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Hello BOH members,

Attached is the revised draft regulations as discussed at the meeting on Thursday. The only change is the fining around local policy vs state law. I did include the definition of oral nicotine pouches but I didn't add any language around regulating it. If everything is good, the Board will vote on this change at the March meeting.

For oral nicotine pouches, I am working on getting a list of cities and towns who have added restrictions to their regulations. Please let me know if there is a specific question you have that you'd like me to research.

Maureen Buzby and possibly others from Nicotine Free Generation movement will be coming to the BOH meeting in April to discuss their position to the Board.

After the April meeting, the Board can decide if you would like me to add language to the regulations regarding either oral nicotine pouches and/or nicotine free generation. Changing tobacco regulations around sales is a much longer process than just changing the language to match what the law says and I don't think there will be much resistance to lowering the fines with this current version.

Please let me know if you have any questions or comments.

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