NOTIFICATION PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

G. T. HOSPITAL COMPOUND, 10TH FLOOR, NEW MANTRALAYA, MUMBAI-400001 DATE: 24th September, 2020.

Reference:-

- Epidemic Act, 1897.
- Indian Penal Code, 1860.
- 3) Mumbai Police Act, 1951.
- 4) Criminal Procedure Code, 1973
- 5) COTPA Act, 2003.
- National Disaster Management Act, 2005.
- 7) Government of India, Notification No. GSR-739 (E), Date 24.09.2015.
- Public Health Department GR No. Corona-2020/C.R.110/Aarogya-5, Date 29.05.2020.

No. TANIKA-2015/C.R.177/Arogya-5, Whereas it is necessary to do so in the public interest.

Now, Therefore, in Pursuance of sub section (2) of section 7 of the Cigarette and other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce Production, Supply and Distribution) Act, 2003 (Act No. 34 of 2003), the Government of Maharashtra hereby imposes complete ban on the sale of single stick loose Cigarette and Beedi, being sold without packet as they do not have specific health warning on it in public interest with immediate effect in the State of Maharashtra.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra.

Principal Secretary, Government of Maharashtra