

# Colorado House Bill 11-1016

## This Is Now The Law!



Effective immediately, Colorado HB 11-1016 has expanded tobacco products to include “any electronic device that can be used to deliver nicotine to the person inhaling from the device, including but not limited to an electronic cigarette, cigar, cigarillo or pipe”.

Specific changes, which could affect tobacco retailers, are:

Pursuant to C.R.S 12-47-407, E-Cigarettes are now legal to sell in Colorado retail liquor stores.

Pursuant to C.R.S. 18-13-121(1)(a), a person shall not give, sell, distribute, or offer for sale to any person who is under eighteen years of age any cigarettes or tobacco products, which now includes E-Cigarettes.

Pursuant to C.R.S. 18-13-121(1)(b), proper identification must be checked for any person attempting to purchase these types of products if they appear to be under the age of 30, which now includes E-Cigarettes.

Pursuant to C.R.S. 24-35-503(1), store owners can be cited administratively for Sale of Tobacco Products to minors, which now includes E-Cigarettes.

The Colorado Liquor Enforcement Division is diligent in enforcing laws concerning the sale of tobacco products to minors. The Division conducts operations across the state to ensure compliance with the laws and issues both criminal and administrative summonses to those who violate them.

In order to enforce HB11-1016, the Division is making this information available on our website and is taking part in educating tobacco retailers on these changes that affect them.

If you have any questions, please contact the Colorado Liquor Enforcement Division at 303-205-2310.