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ISSUE OF COMMAND PAPER ON NO-SMOKING LEGISLATION

An Act to prohibit smoking in certain public places, premises and in public service vehicles to be cited as the Smoke-Free Environment Act 2012, has been drafted, together with a Bill to amend the Public Health Act, which provides additional discounts in certain cases following the commencement of the Smoke-Free Environment Act, 2012.

A draft Bill for the Smoke-Free Environment Act 2012 has been published today as a Command Paper and the public are invited to provide observations and comment in a process of consultation.

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