

**ACT No. 21**

Regular Session, 2002

HOUSE BILL NO. 167

BY REPRESENTATIVES DEWITT AND HAMMETT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 4 of Act No. 32 of the 2000 Regular Session, relative to the tobacco tax; to extend the additional tax of four-twentieths of one cent per cigarette; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. Section 4 of Act No. 32 of the 2000 Regular Session is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 4. The increase in the cigarette tax levied by Section 1 of this Act shall be effective for the period beginning on July 1, 2000 and ending on June 30, ~~2002~~ 2012.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2002.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_