

A Bill to Tax Tobacco for a Healthier American Population

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The Federal Tobacco Tax will be increased forty cents to one dollar and
3 forty one cents (\$1.41) per pack with the profits going to addiction
4 treatment programs to be opened by the states.

5 **SECTION 2.** A Tobacco Tax will be defined as a tax imposed on all tobacco products such
6 as cigarettes, cigars and other tobacco products.

7 **SECTION 3.** The Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau will be responsible for the
8 enforcement of this legislation.

9 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will be implemented on the first day of the first fiscal year
10 after passage.

11 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by

Rep. Joseph McCauley