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To: Michigan American Legion Post and Affiliates
Michigan American Legion Officers & Members

From: The American Legion, Department of Michigan

Re: No Smoking Law Compliance

Non – Exemption

(No Michigan Post is Exempt)

Michigan's No Smoking Law

Effective May 1, 2010

The American Legion, Department of Michigan, hereby notifies all Michigan posts and/or lounges, they are **not exempt** from the state's new no smoking legislation as passed by the Michigan Legislature and signed into law today by Governor Jennifer M. Granholm and are expected to be in compliance. Michigan is now the 38th state to adopt this type of no smoking law.

Effective May 1, 2010, the Michigan Public Code is amended to prohibit smoking in public places, in places of employment, and in food service establishments.

The new law further requires that a no smoking sign or the international no smoking symbol be clearly and conspicuously posted at entrances to and within every building.

Additionally, the new law requires that ashtrays and other smoking paraphernalia be removed

Thank you for your compliance.