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I have a family including 2 small children that I support as a wholesaler in this industry. All of my clients care deeply about keeping tobacco out of children's hands.

Moving forward with this amendment actually seems corrupt to me. Taking jobs from hardworking citizens and gatekeeping these products to state run stores is wrong. Period.

A better option would be to require ID scanners and implement penalties to employers AND employees for underage sales.