

**225A.8 Addictive disorders prevention — prohibitions.**

1. For purposes of [this section](#), “entity” means a manufacturer, distributor, wholesaler, retailer, or distributing agent, or an agent of a manufacturer, distributor, wholesaler, retailer, or distributing agent as those terms are defined in [section 453A.1](#).

2. To promote comprehensive tobacco use prevention and control initiatives outlined in the state behavioral health service system plan, an entity shall not perform any of the following acts:

a. Give away cigarettes or tobacco products.

b. Provide free articles, products, commodities, gifts, or concessions in any exchange for the purchase of cigarettes or tobacco products.

3. The prohibitions in [this section](#) shall not apply to transactions between manufacturers, distributors, wholesalers, or retailers as those terms are defined in [section 453A.1](#).

[2024 Acts, ch 1161, §8, 11](#)

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