FEDERAL LAW NO. 160-FZ OF OCTOBER 16, 2006 ON AMENDING CERTAIN LEGISLATIVE ACTS OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION AND INVALIDATING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF LEGISLATIVE ACTS OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE ADOPTION OF THE FEDERAL LAW ON ADVERTISING (with the Amendments and Additions of December 4, 2007)

Adopted by the State Duma on September 22, 2006 Approved by the Federation Council on October 6, 2006

# **Article 1**

To amend Article 4 of Law of the Russian Federation No. 2124-I of December 27, 1991 on the Mass Media (Vedomosti Syezda Narodnykh Deputatov Rossiyskoy Federatsii i Verkhovnogo Soveta Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1992, No. 7, item 300; Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1995, No. 30, item 2870; 2000, No. 26, item 2737; 2002, No. 30, item 3029; 2006, No. 31, item 3452 as follows:

- 1) paragraph two after the words "It shall be prohibited to use in" shall be supplemented with the word "radio," and after the words "hidden inserts" shall be supplemented with the words "and other technical modes and methods of dissemination of information":
- 2) in paragraph three the words "except for the advertising of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances entered in Lists II and III in accordance with the Federal Law on Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances in the mass media intended for medical and pharmaceutical workers" shall be eliminated.

## **Article 2**

Item 2 of Article 9 of Law of the Russian Federation No. 2300-I of February 7, 1992 on the Protection of Consumers' Rights (in the wording of Federal Law No. 2-FZ of January 9, 1996) (Vedomosti Syezda Narodnykh Deputatov Rossiyskoy Federatsii i Verkhovnogo Soveta Rossiyskoy Federatsii, No. 15, item 766; Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1996, No. 3, item 140; 2004, No. 52, item 5275) shall be set forth in the following wording:

"2. If the type of activity carried out by the manufacturer (executor, seller) is subject to licensing and/or the executor has state accreditation, then the consumer must be informed about the type of activity of the manufacturer (executor, seller), the number of the licence and/or the number of the certificate on the state registration, the periods of validity of such a licence and/or certificate and also information about the body that has issued the licence or certificate."

### **Article 3**

In paragraph four of Article 1 of Law of the Russian Federation No. 4180-I of December 22, 1992 on the Transplantation of Human Organs and/or Tissues (Vedomosti Syezda Narodnykh Deputatov Rossiyskoy Federatsii i Verkhovnogo Soveta Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1993, No. 2, item 62) the words "and also the advertising of such actions" shall be eliminated.

### **Article 4**

Federal Law No. 109-FZ of July 19, 1997 on the Safety of the Handling of Pesticides and Agrochemicals (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1997, No. 29, item 3510) as follows:

- 1) in paragraph two of Article 2 the word "advertising," shall be eliminated;
  - 2) paragraphs four and five of Article 17 shall be eliminated.

# Article 5

In paragraph six of Article 31 of Federal Law No. 149-FZ of December 17, 1997 on Seed Growing (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1997, No. 51, item 5715) the words "and also to disseminate deliberately false advertising about batches of seeds in the mass media" shall be eliminated.

### **Article 6**

To amend Article 46 of Federal Law No. 3-FZ of January 8, 1998 on Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1998, No. 2, item 219; 2005, No. 19, item 1752) as follows:

- 1) in the title the words "and Restriction of Advertising" shall be eliminated:
  - 2) Item 3 shall be set forth in the following wording:
- "3. Distribution of Samples of medicines containing narcotic drugs or psychotropic substances shall be prohibited.";
- 3) in Item 5 the words "and failure to take measures stipulated by the federal antimonopoly body on its own initiative or on the recommendation of the bodies indicated in Item 1 of Article 41 of this Federal Law" shall be eliminated.

## Article 7

To amend Article 36.27 of Federal Law No. 75-FZ of May 7, 1998 on Nonstate Pension Funds (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1998, No. 19, item 2071; 2003, No. 2, item 166) as follows:

- 1) in paragraph two of Item 3 the words ", form of advertising or materials of advertising character" shall be eliminated;
  - 2) Item 5 shall be invalidated.

#### Article 8

To amend Federal Law No. 86-FZ of June 22, 1998 on Medicines (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1998, No. 26, item 3006; 2002, No. 1, item 2; 2004, No. 35, item 3607) as follows:

- 1) in the title of Chapter XI the words ". Advertising of Medicines" shall be eliminated;
  - 2) Article 44 shall be invalidated.

# **Article 9**

In paragraph ten of Item 2 of Article 61.1 of the Budgetary Code of the Russian Federation (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1998, No. 31, item 3823; 2004, No. 34, item 3535) the words "for the dissemination of outdoor advertising" shall be replaced with the words "for the installation of an advertising construction".

### Article 10

Abrogated from March 30, 2008.

# Article 11

In Subitem 80 of Item 1 of Article 333.33 of Part Two of the Tax Code of the Russian Federation (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2000, No. 32, item 3340; 2004, No. 45, item 4377; 2005, No. 30, item 3117; No. 52, item 5581; 2006, No. 1, item 12; No. 27, item 2881) the words "for the dissemination of outdoor advertising" shall be replaced with the words "for the installation of an advertising construction".

#### Article 12

To amend Item 3 of Article 90 of the Land Code of the Russian Federation (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2001, No. 44, item 4147) as follows:

- 1) in paragraph five the words "and outdoor advertising" shall be replaced with the words "and installation of advertising constructions";
- 2) in paragraph ten the words "outdoor advertising," shall be replaced with the words "advertising constructions not conforming to the requirements of the technical regulations and the normative acts on the safety of transport traffic and also";
- 3) in paragraph eleven the word "advertising" shall be replaced with the words "advertising constructions not conforming to the requirements of the technical regulations and the normative acts on the safety of transport traffic and also information".

### Article 13

In paragraph one of Article 11.21 of the Code of the Russian Federation on Administrative Offences (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2002, No. 1, item 1) the words "installation of

outdoor advertising" shall be replaced with the words "installation of an advertising construction".

# **Article 14**

To amend Federal Law No. 131-FZ of October 6, 2003 on the General Principles of the Organisation of Local Self-Government in the Russian Federation (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2003, No. 40, item 3822; 2005, No. 1, item 17, 25; 2006, No. 1, item 10; No. 23, item 2380; No. 30, item 3296; No. 31, item 3452) as follows:

- 1) Item 1 of Article 15 shall be supplemented with Point 15.1 reading as follows:
- "15.1) issuance of permits for the installation of advertising constructions on the territory of the municipal district, cancellation of such permits, and issuance of Orders for the dismantling of advertising constructions installed anew without permission on the territory of the municipal district carried out in accordance with Federal Law No. 38-FZ of March 13, 2006 on Advertising (hereinafter, the Federal Law on Advertising);";
- 2) Item 1 of Article 16 shall be supplemented with Point 26.1 reading as follows:
- "26.1) issuance of permits for the installation of advertising constructions on the territory of the city okrug, cancellation of such permits, and issuance of Orders for the dismantling of advertising constructions installed anew without permission on the territory of the city okrug carried out in accordance with Federal Law on Advertising;".

# **Article 15**

To invalidate:

- 1) Article 13 of Federal Law No. 7-FZ of January 13, 1995 on the Procedure for the Coverage of the Activity of the Bodies of State Power in the State Mass Media (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1995, No. 3, item 170);
- 2) Article 17 of Federal Law No. 171-FZ of November 22, 1995 on the State Regulation of the Manufacture and Turnover of Ethyl Alcohol, Alcoholic and Alcohol-Containing Products (in the wording of Federal Law No. 18-FZ of January 7, 1999) (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1995, No. 48, item 4553; 1999, No. 2, item 245);
- 3) Chapter 9 and Item 7 of Article 51 of Federal Law No. 39-FZ of April 22, 1996 on the Securities Market (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1996, No. 17, item 1918);
- 4) Article 1 of Federal Law No. 18-FZ of January 7, 1999 on Amending and Supplementing the Federal Law on the State Regulation of the Manufacture and Turnover of Ethyl Alcohol and Alcoholic Products in the part concerning the setting forth of Article 17 in the new wording (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1999, No. 2, item 245);

- 5) Item 32 of Article 1 of Federal Law No. 185-FZ of December 28, 2002 on Amending and Supplementing the Federal Law on the Securities Market and on Supplementing the Federal Law on Non-Commercial Organisations in the part concerning the amending of Article 36 and Item 7 of Article 51 (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2002, No. 52, item 5141);
- 6) Item 37 of Article 1 of Federal Law No. 14-FZ of January 10, 2003 on Amending and Supplementing the Federal Law on Non-State Pension Funds in the part concerning Item 5 of Article 36.27 (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2003, No. 2, item 166);
- 7) Item 33 of Article 101 of Federal Law No. 122-FZ of August 22, 2004 on Amending and Invalidating Certain Legislative Acts of the Russian Federation in Connection with the Adoption of the Federal Laws on Amending and Supplementing the Federal Law on the General Principles of the Organisation of the Legislative (Representative) and Executive Bodies of State Power of the Entities of the Russian Federation and on the General Principles of the Organisation of Local Self-Government in the Russian Federation (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2004, No. 35, item 3607);
- 8) Article 22 of Federal Law No. 214-FZ of December 30, 2004 on the Participation in the Share Construction of Blocks of Flats and Other Immovables and on Amending Certain Legislative Acts of the Russian Federation (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2005, No. 1, item 40);
- 9) Article 22 of Federal Law No. 215-FZ of December 30, 2004 on Housing Accumulation Cooperatives (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2005, No. 1, item 41);
- 10) Item 5 of Article 1 of Federal Law No. 138-FZ of July 27, 2006 on Amending the Federal Law on the Securities Market and Certain Other Legislative Acts of the Russian Federation (Sobraniye Zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 2006, No. 31, item 3437).

### Article 16

To establish that, in accordance with Point 15.1 of Item 1 of Article 15 and Point 26.1 of Item 1 of Article 16 of Federal Law No. 131-FZ of October 6, 2003 on the General Principles of the Organisation of Self-Government of the Russian Federation (in the wording of this Federal Law), a permit for the dissemination of outdoor advertising issued by the body of local self-government of the municipal district or by the body of local self-government of the city okrug before July 1, 2006, shall be deemed to be a permit for the installation of an advertising construction and a decision on its cancellation or invalidation may be taken on the grounds stipulated by Federal Law No. 38-FZ of March 13, 2006 on Advertising.

- **1.** This Federal Law shall enter into force upon the expiry of ten days after the day of its official publication, except for Article 11 and Items 3 and 10 of Article 15 of this Federal Law.
- **2.** Article 11 of this Federal Law shall enter into force upon the expiry of one month from the day of its official publication.
- **3.** Items 3 and 10 of Article 15 of this Federal Law shall enter into force from February 1, 2007.

President of the Russian Federation

Vladimir Putin

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