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New level of the specific excise duty for cigarettes

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In brief

Government Decision no. 196/2014 approving the specific excise duty for cigarettes will enter into force as of 1 April 2014.

In detail

Excise duties and other special taxes – provisions applicable as of 1 April

Specific excise duty of EUR 59.77/ 1,000 cigarettes, new advalorem rate of 18% and the new minimum level

of excise duty of EUR 81.50/ 1,000 cigarettes.

Households using natural gas or electricity for excise duty exempted purposes will not be required to notify the customs territorial authority regarding the specific use.

[Source: Official Gazette of Romania no. 208 dated 24 March 2014]

The takeaway

The specific excise duty for cigarettes as of 1 April 2014 will be EUR 59.77/ 1,000 cigarettes.

Let's talk

For a deeper discussion of how this issue might affect your business, please contact:



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