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Ti whomever this reaches. I am thirty three years old, I've been hearing day after day these bans are for the children's safety. When demanded we cover labels or refuse to carry due to faces, food, and appealing to children when selling ejuice. We have taken the 65% tax hike for us and tobacco. We always comply. In the end we still get scrutinized because heads hops, smoke shops, and convince stores. Yet there has been no one coming down this hard on candy flavored liquor or children's medications. We even refuse to give any details about pros and cons.

I started vaping back in 2008, I was using wintergreen grizzly snuff. Towards the end of that, I was using anywhere between 4-7 cans a day. My best friend and I made a pact to quit together. I also work in the industry. With my disability I have a hard time trying to find work. I only see you driving a black market just like prohibition. My proposal is still stop letting anyone, yes that means ANTONE who isn't a licensed vape shop, is no longer able to sell any vape products. The shop I work/manage has been super diligent about checking IDs. We turn down even our regulars if they don't have an ID or expired. I do agree to a point with some ejuice companies just cater to children, I refuse to carry them. Please consider reading articles about the health benefits from the UK, we're the only country to demonize it. Regulations are needed more than just a frivolous ban. I would just consider banning disposables, that's the biggest issue if any.