

## Cigarette packs worth Rs 9.19L seized

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**Pune:** Crime branch officials on Monday seized Indian and foreign cigarettes worth Rs 9.19 lakh from a stockist in Camp because the packets did not carry the cancer awareness images and warnings as mandated by law.

The cancer awareness warning covered 15% space of the seized packets. Cigarettes and other Tobacco Products (Packaging and Labelling) Rules, 2008, mandate that 85% surface area of the packets must have graphics and pictorial and text health warnings, especially on cancer.

The teams from the anti-extortion and anti-narcotics cells raided the godown off Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar Road. An offence has been filed against the person running the godown and its manager. TNN

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