

**Timeline for Statutory Initiative Relating to
Tobacco Use Prevention and Control Program
(Revised April 28, 2008)**

Submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval for circulation	Tuesday, April 15, 2008
Earliest Date the law allows Secretary of State to approve the petition's ballot title	Tuesday, April 22, 2008
Latest Date by which the Secretary of State must provide the petitions' ballot title	Thursday, April 24, 2008
Date that Secretary of State supplied Sponsoring Committee with ballot title for petition along with a listing of corrections for the petition's format	Thursday, April 24, 2008
Date that Sponsoring Committee returned petition to Secretary of State for review	Friday, April 25, 2008
Date that Secretary of State approved petition for circulation	Friday, April 25, 2008
Deadline for submitting petition signatures to the Secretary of State (90 days before the election at which the measure is to appear on the ballot <u>or</u> one year from the date the petition is approved for circulation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2008 General Election – Prior to midnight on Tuesday August 5, 2008 • One year from date petition was approved for circulation – Monday, April 28, 2009 (adjusted forward because one year date fell on a weekend)
Number of Signatures needed to place measure on ballot.	12,844
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