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License to smoke

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"Licensing is the antitobacco movement's latest proposal to 'denormalize' smoking -- that is, to portray smoking as unacceptable and smokers as deviants. It confirms that public-health elites suffer from Mary Poppins Syndrome: They won't rest until we're all practically perfect in every way."

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