Dear Senator Dyson,

My name is Sean Smith and I am writing you today in opposition to the inclusion of Electronic Cigarettes in SB209. Let me first say that I started smoking while in the Marine Corps and continued to smoke up until a month ago when I found Electronic Cigarettes that truly worked to curb the cravings. As of today I have been completely tobacco free for one month and still have no desire or craving for an actual cigarette. The main reason I oppose the inclusion of electronic cigarettes is not only because I use them personally, but should the bill pass as it stands now it would put numerous companies out of business. Attached for your information is a letter from the 17th Surgeon General of the United States to a California council member regarding electronic cigarettes.

Thank You, Sean Smith Smith.sean.d@gmail.com (907)854-2905