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New Interim Control:

Tobacco Paraphernalia Establishments on Polk Street

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The Way It Was:

Tobacco Paraphernalia Establishments in the Polk Street NCD required a conditional use authorization if a retail store sells *more than 15%* of merchandise that is classified as tobacco paraphernalia.

The Way It Is Now:

The threshold for a Tobacco Paraphernalia Establishment was lowered so that if a retail store sold ONE item of paraphernalia then they qualified as a Tobacco Paraphernalia Establishment.

A conditional use authorization is still required for any new Tobacco Paraphernalia Establishment.

The Link to signed legislation:

<http://www.sfbos.org/ftp/uploadedfiles/bdsupvrs/resolutions09/r0389-09.pdf>