

**Hybrid
event**

Tobacco product waste – a threat to the environment and for the whole sustainable agenda.

Thursday, 17 November 2022 | 13:00-14:15 (Cairo time)

Hybrid side event at the SDG Pavilion at the United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP27)

Tobacco hinders the development agenda, undermining the three main pillars: social, economy and environment. This last pillar is the least acknowledged. Tobacco's total environmental footprint is comparable to that of entire countries. Join this side event to find out more.

The webinar will be conducted in English.

Venue: SDG Pavilion in the Blue Zone, Area B of COP27 – P29

To connect via Zoom please register here:

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Speakers

Professor Nick Voulvoulis, *Professor of Environmental Technology, Imperial College London*

Professor Tom Novotny, *Professor Emeritus of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, San Diego State University*

Rachel Rose Jackson, *Director of Climate Research & Policy, Corporate Accountability*

Olumide Idowu, *Executive Coordinator, African Youth Initiative on Climate Change*

Fatimah El-Awa, *Regional Adviser, Tobacco Free Initiative, WHO Regional Office for the Eastern Mediterranean*

