**Appendix 1.** Number and percentage of participants Baseline Fagerström Test for Nicotine Dependence [posted as supplied by author]

<b>Modified FTND Questions</b>	Modified FTND Scoring*	Varenicline (N=213) n (%)	Placebo (N=218) n (%)
Question 1: How soon after we		e your first ST?	
>60 minutes	0	10 (4.7)	14 (6.4)
31-60 minutes	1	32 (15.0)	31 (14.2)
6-30 minutes	2	82 (38.5)	99 (45.4)
0-5 minutes	3	89 (41.8)	74 (33.9)
Question 2: How many times a	a day do you take	e ST?	
8-12	0	89 (41.8)	87 (39.9)
>12	1	124 (58.2)	131 (60.1)
Question 3: What type of ST d	o you use?		
Loose	1	114 (53.5)	126 (57.8)
Bag	0	105 (49.3)	98 (45.0)
Question 4: Do you keep ST in	the mouth mos	t of the time?	
Yes	1	1940(91.1)	204 (93.6)
No	0	19 (8.9)	14 (6.4)
Question 5: Do you intentiona	lly swallow toba	cco juices?	
Yes	1	144 (67.6)	153 (70.2)
No	0	69 (32.4)	65 (29.8)
Question 6: How many minute	es do you keep ed		?
0-20 minutes	0	19 (8.9)	22 (10.1)
21-35 minutes	1	66 (31.0)	56 (25.7)
≥36 minutes	2	128 (60.1)	140 (64.2)
Question 7: Do you use ST if y	ou are ill and in	ı bed?	
Yes	1	143 (67.1)	154 (70.6)
No	0	70 (32.9)	64 (29.4)

<sup>\*</sup> Modified FTND minimum score = 0; maximum score = 10. The questionnaire has not been standardised and the mean score for a representative population of ST users is not known.

FTND=Fagerström Test for Nicotine Dependence; ST=smokeless tobacco.