

## REPORTING INSTRUMENT

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## 2. Demographics [Help](#)

(a) Age and sex:  [Help](#)

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Year (latest available)	Age groups	Percentage of <i>male</i> population	Percentage of <i>female</i> population	Percentage of <i>total</i> population
	20-64			
2007	10-14	13.8	13.1	13.4
2007	15-19	11.6	11.1	11.3
2007	20-24	8	8.1	8
2007	25-29	6.5	7.4	6.9
2007	30-34	6.3	7.1	6.7
2007	35-39	5.9	6.4	6.2
2007	40-44	5.2	5.4	5.3
2007	45-49	4.3	4.1	4.2
2007	50-54	3.4	3.2	3.3
2007	55-59	2.3	2.2	2.3
2007	60-64	2	1.3	1.9
2007	65+	5.1	4.7	4.8

(b) Ethnicity (optional):  [Help](#)

Create Ethnic Group

Name of ethnic group	Percentage of total population
Black/African	0.3
Caucasian/White	0.8
Chinese	0.7
Creole	24.9
East Indian	3.0
Garifuna	6.1
Maya Ketchi	5.3
Maya Mopan	3.9
Maya Yucatec	1.4
Mennonite	3.6
Mestizo	48.7

### 3. Tobacco use

#### i. Prevalence (ref. Article 19.2(a), Article 20.2 and Article 20.3(a)) [Help](#)

#### (a) Smoking tobacco: [Help](#)

	Age groups <sup>1</sup> (adults) 20-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	8081	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	52.00
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	2371	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	15.30
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	824	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	43.90

<sup>1</sup> Preferably by 10-year categories; e.g. 25-34, 35-44, etc.

<sup>2</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	219	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	11.70
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	8905	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	51.20
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	2590	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	14.90

	Age group (Adult) 20-24	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>3</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 25-29	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>4</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

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<sup>3</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>4</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

	Age group (Adult) 30-34	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>5</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 35-39	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>6</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 40-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>7</sup>				

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<sup>5</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>6</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>7</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 45-49	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>8</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

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	Age group (Adult) 50-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>9</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				

<sup>8</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>9</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
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	Age group (Adult) 55-59	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>10</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 60-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>11</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

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	Age group (Adult) 65+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>12</sup>				

<sup>10</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>11</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

available, please provide the average number of cigarettes smoked per day by the smoking population:

	Age groups <sup>13</sup> (adults) 20-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>14</sup></b>	9010	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	8.90
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>	934	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	11.30
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>	9944	cigarettes, cigars, pipes	2006	9.10

	Age group (Adult) 20-24	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>15</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 25-29	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>16</sup></b>				

<sup>12</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>13</sup> Preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44, etc.

<sup>14</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>15</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 30-34	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>17</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 35-39	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>18</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 40-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>19</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 45-49	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>20</sup></b>				

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<sup>16</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>17</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>18</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>19</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>20</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 50-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>21</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 55-59	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>22</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 60-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>23</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

	Age group (Adult) 65+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>24</sup></b>				

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<sup>21</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>22</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>23</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>24</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>				

(b) Smokeless tobacco, including snuff and chewing tobacco (optional):  [Help](#)

	Age group 20-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 20-24	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 25-29	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				

Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 30-34	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 35-39	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 40-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 45-49	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 50-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 55-59	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
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<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 60-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 65+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				

Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				
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(c) If prevalence data is appropriate and available for ethnic groups, please provide.  [Help](#)

**Question 3i(c) is mandatory if data is available**

Use more than one table if necessary (e.g., you can use one table per ethnic group). Please be sure to report the prevalence of smoking, not the number of smokers.

The definitions for daily smokers and occasional smokers are to be provided by the Parties. As the definition of daily and occasional smokers varies internationally, please ensure that you provide a definition relevant to your country.

	Ethnic group Black/African	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Ethnic group Caucasian/White	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	156			1.30
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>	0			0.00

	Ethnic group Chinese	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Ethnic group Creole	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	3019			25.4
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>	318			11.30

	Ethnic group East Indian	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Ethnic group Garifuna	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	2023			17.00
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>	369			13.2

	Ethnic group Maya Ketchi	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	720			6.10
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>	390			13.90

	Ethnic group Maya Mopan	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Ethnic group Maya Yucatec	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>				

	Ethnic group Mennonite	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	0			0.0

Occasional users <sup>2</sup>	0			0.00
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	Ethnic group Mestizo	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	4118			34.70
Occasional users <sup>2</sup>	1347			48.1

(d) If prevalence data is appropriate and available for youth groups, please provide.  [Help](#)

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	Youth groups <sup>25</sup>	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence <sup>26</sup> (%)
Males				
Females				

ii. Supply  [Help](#)

(a) Licit supply of tobacco (ref. **Article 20.4(c)** and **Article 15.4(a)**) in accordance with **Article 15.5**)  [Help](#)

**Question 3ii(a) is mandatory**

Please use as many categories of tobacco products as necessary. Use more than one table if necessary (e.g., you can use one table per product). Please provide the relevant documentation and sources used.

	Domestic production	Exports	Imports
Year (latest available)	2006		2007
Quantity (specify product and unit; e.g. millions of cigarettes)	6,415,011,800 pieces of cigarettes		3,001,400 pieces of cigarettes

Note: licit supply = domestic production + (imports - exports)

(b) Please provide information regarding duty-free sales volumes, if available.  
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<sup>25</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>26</sup> Parties should provide definition for youth smoking; e.g. at least one cigarette in the past 30 days.

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- (c) Seizures of illicit tobacco (ref. **Article 15.4(a)** in accordance with **Article 15.5**)  [Help](#)

	Year (latest available)	Quantity seized (specify unit, e.g., millions of pieces)
Cigarettes	2007	248,360 pieces
Other tobacco products (optional; please specify product) : tobacco leaves and cigars	2007	60 pounds of tobacco leaves 3275 pieces of cigars

- (d) Please provide information regarding illicit or smuggled tobacco (optional) (ref. **Article 15.4(a)** in accordance with **Article 15.5**).  [Help](#)

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#### 4. Taxation [Help](#)

- (a) Please provide your rates of taxation for tobacco products for all levels of government, and be as specific as possible (specify the type of tax: excise, VAT or sales, import duties) (ref. **Article 6.3**).  [Help](#)

(a) It is important that you are as specific as possible. Please list each tax separately and for each tax, specify the rate (or amount in the case of certain taxes - e.g., excise tax) and the base (i.e., what is the rate or amount applied to). If the tax is a percentage, please carefully detail to what amount this percentage applies. Nominal values should be given in local currency.

Name of Tax	Current Rate
Sales Tax	14%
Customs and Excise	BZ\$18 per cartoon
Import Duty	BZ\$34.40 per lb
Revenue Replacement	BZ\$117.50 per lb

Environmental Tax	2%
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Rate of exchange: US\$1.00 = BZ\$2.00

- (b) Please attach the relevant documentation (ref. **Article 6.3**). (Please provide documentation in one of the six official languages, if available.)  [Help](#)
- (c) Please provide retail prices for the three most popular brands of domestic and imported tobacco products in your jurisdiction, and the relevant year (ref. **Article 6.2(a)**).  [Help](#)

(c) Please provide all retail prices for the three (3) most popular brands of domestic and imported tobacco products in your jurisdiction. Please supply these prices for the latest available year in the capital city, from a retail outlet widely used by the local population. Nominal values should be given in local currency. Please specify the kind of tobacco (e.g., cigarette, bidi, chewing tobacco etc.) you are referring to as well as the brand name.

Local Brand	Price in local currency
Independence	\$7.00
Milport	\$7.00
Colonial	\$7.00
Imported Brand	Price in local currency
Benson & Hedges	\$12.50
Winston	\$9.30
Pall Mall	\$7.48

**5. Legislative, executive, administrative and other measures**  [Help](#)

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*This section of the questionnaire comprises questions regarding obligations under the WHO Framework Convention requiring that Contracting Parties adopt and implement legislation, regulation, executive or administrative or other measures or provisions.*

*In cases where legal measures have been taken to satisfy the terms of the Convention, copies of the legislation, regulation, executive, administrative or other measures should be attached to the completed questionnaire. In cases where legal measures have been taken in a form not amenable to reproduction and inclusion in your answers to this questionnaire, please provide as much detail about the measure (s) taken in the space provided.*

**i. Core questions**  [Help](#)

**All sections in ‘Question 5i. Core Questions’ are mandatory**

In this question you are to check the Yes or No boxes for each section. If you check the ‘Yes’ box you are required to submit a brief summary and relevant documents.

It should be noted that the measures identified below are not exhaustive, but reflect the spirit and intent of the Convention.

Please check yes or no. For affirmative answers, you are asked to attach a brief summary and the relevant documentation. (Please provide documentation in one of the six official languages, if available.)

Article	Pursuant to <b>Article 21.1(a)</b> , have you adopted and implemented legislative, executive, administrative and/or other measures on:	Yes (please attach a brief summary and relevant documentation)	No	
<b>Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco</b>				
<b>6.2(b)</b>	Prohibiting or restricting sales to and/or importations by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
<b>Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke</b>		<b>Full/Partial/None</b>		
<b>8.2</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	in indoor workplaces?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- government buildings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- health care facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- educational facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- private workplaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in public transport?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in indoor public places?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- cultural facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- bars and night clubs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	- restaurants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If you responded “Partial” to the measures outlined in Article 8.2, please provide specific details of the partial ban here: Voluntary bans are implemented in all above places, except for the health care facilities for which these are implemented through in-house policies. The International airport has a full ban on smoking. All the banks have internal no-smoking policies.				
<b>Regulation of tobacco product disclosures</b>				
<b>10</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	<b>This section refers to Article 10 – Regulation of tobacco product disclosures.</b> <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a> In this section you need to advise if your country requires manufacturers and/or importers of tobacco to disclose information	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

	about contents. Yes/No. If Yes a brief description is required.		
	Requiring manufacturers and/or importers of tobacco products to disclose to governmental authorities information about contents?		
<b>Illicit trade in tobacco products</b>			
<b>15.2(a)</b>	Requiring marking of packaging to assist in determining the origin of the product?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	and to assist in determining whether the product is legally for sale on the domestic market?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15.3</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Help	Requiring that marking is in legible form and/or appear in its principal language or languages?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15.4(b)</b>	Enacting or strengthening legislation against illicit trade in tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15.4(e)</b>	Enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from the illicit trade?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>15.7</b>	Licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Sales to and by minors</b>			
<b>16.1</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Help	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors?	<input type="checkbox"/> Specify legal age:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>16.2</b>	Prohibiting or promoting the prohibition of the distribution of free tobacco products to the public and especially minors?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>16.3</b>	Prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually or in small packets?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>16.6</b>	Providing for penalties against sellers and distributors?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>16.7</b>	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products by minors?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Liability</b>			
<b>19.1</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Help	<p><b>This section refers to Article 19 – Liability</b>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a>  This section requires a Yes/No answer on liability. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p> <p>Dealing with criminal and civil liability, including compensation where appropriate?</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ii. **Optional questions**  [Help](#)

All sections in 'Question 5ii. Optional questions' are optional unless specified otherwise

It should be noted that responses to these questions are not required at the time of Group 1 reports, but may be answered at this time if applicable.

Article	Have you adopted and implemented legislative, executive, administrative and/or other measures on:	Yes (please attach a brief summary and relevant documentation) <sup>27</sup>	No
<b>Regulation of the contents of tobacco products</b>			
<b>9</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	<b>This section refers to Article 9 –  <i>Regulation of the contents of tobacco products</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a>                      This section requires a Yes/No answer on regulation of the contents of tobacco products. If a 'Yes' answer has been provided a brief description is required.                 </b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the contents of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the emissions of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Packaging and labelling of tobacco products</b>			
<b>11.1(a)</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	<b>This section refers to Article 11 –  <i>Packaging and labelling of tobacco products</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a>                      This section requires a Yes/No answer on packaging and labelling of tobacco products. If a 'Yes' answer has been provided a brief description is required.                 </b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requiring that packaging and labelling do not promote a product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)</b>	Requiring that packaging and labelling also carry health warnings describing the harmful effects of tobacco use?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)(i)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)(ii)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings are rotating?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)(iii)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings are large, clear, visible and legible?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)(iv)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<sup>27</sup> Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if available, and please specify sections of your legislation related to each "yes" response.

	principal display areas?		
<b>11.1(b)(v)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.2</b>	Requiring that packaging and labelling contains information on relevant constituents and emissions of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.3</b>	Requiring that the warnings and other textual information appear on each unit package, and on any outside packaging and labelling in your principal language or languages?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p><b>Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a></p> <p><b>This section refers to Article 13 – Tobacco advertising and sponsorship</b>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a>  This section requires a Yes/No answer on tobacco advertising and sponsorship. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p> <p><b>Questions on Articles 13.2, 13.3 and 13.4(d) are mandatory</b></p>			
<b>13.2</b>	Instituting a comprehensive ban of all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	including on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from its territory?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.3</b>	Applying restrictions, in the absence of a comprehensive ban, on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Restricting or instituting a comprehensive ban on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from its territory?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(a)</b>	Prohibiting all forms of tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship that promote a tobacco product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(b)</b>	Requiring that health or other appropriate warnings or messages accompany all tobacco advertising and promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(c)</b>	Restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(d)</b>	Requiring the disclosure to relevant governmental authorities of expenditures by the tobacco industry on advertising, promotion and sponsorship not yet prohibited?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(e)</b>	Restricting tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship on radio, television, print media and other media, such as the Internet?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(f)</b>	Prohibiting or restricting tobacco sponsorship of international events, activities and/or participants therein?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

If you have any additional legislation or other measures not covered in Question 5, you may provide additional details here:  [Help](#)

Please provide any additional legislation or other measures not covered in Question 5 in this section.

## 6. Programmes and plans [Help](#)

### **6. Programmes and plans**

*This section of the questionnaire comprises questions regarding obligations under the WHO Framework Convention requiring that Contracting Parties establish plans, policies or research initiatives or otherwise engage in tobacco control-related programmes and projects. This section also addresses obligations requiring dissemination of information to the public and/or to other Contracting Parties or the COP.*

#### i. Core questions [Help](#)

**All sections in ‘Question 6i. Core Questions’ are mandatory**

**This section refers to Article 5 –**

*General Obligations*

<http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html>

This section requires a Yes/No answer on general obligations. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required.

It should be noted that the measures identified below are not exhaustive, but reflect the spirit and intent of the Convention.

	Yes (please attach the relevant documentation) <sup>28</sup>	No
Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 5.1</b> )	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If no, have some partial strategies, plans and programmes been developed and implemented? ( <b>Article 5.1</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you responded yes to either of the first two questions, which of the following do these strategies, plans and programmes cover? Please check, and provide a brief summary. (Please provide the summary in one of the six official languages.)

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<sup>28</sup> Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if possible.

<b>General obligations</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 5 –</b>  <i>General Obligations</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on general obligations. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p>		
5.2(a)	A national coordinating mechanism or focal point(s) for tobacco control? A Focal Point has been named in the Ministry of Health. The Belize National Tobacco Control Committee has been established. It is lead by the Ministry of Health and includes representation from various sectors including the Ministries of Education, Human Development, Finance, Attorney General's Ministry, the media, the Belize Bureau of Standards, Custom's Department, The Belize Cancer Society and the National Drug Abuse Control Council.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5.3	Protection of policies from the commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry?	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Education, communication, training and public awareness</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 12 –</b>  <i>Education, communication, training and public awareness</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on education, communication, training and public awareness. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required including level of expenditure if possible.</p>		
12(a)	Broad access to effective and comprehensive educational and public awareness programmes on the health risks?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at adults and/or the general public?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at children and youth?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12(b)	Public awareness about the health risks of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke, and about the benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12(c)	Public access to a wide range of information on the tobacco industry?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12(e)	Awareness and participation of public and private agencies and nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry in developing and implementing intersectoral programmes and strategies for tobacco control? Yes, the National Tobacco Control Committee which is a mutisectoral body, developed the National Tobacco Control Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 14 –</b>  <i>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p>		
14.1	Comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices to promote cessation of tobacco use and adequate treatment for tobacco dependence?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
14.2(d)	Facilitation of accessibility and affordability for treatment of tobacco dependence including pharmaceutical products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

<b>Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 17 –</b>  <i>Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on provision of support for economically viable alternative activities. If a 'Yes' answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p>		
17	Promotion of economically viable alternatives for tobacco workers, growers and, as the case may be, individual sellers?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 20 –</b>  <i>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on research, surveillance and exchange of information activities. If a 'Yes' answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p>		
20.1(a)	Research that addresses the determinants and consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke as well as research for identification of alternative crops?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
20.4(b)	Updated data from national surveillance programmes? Yes, A Study on Diabetes, Hypertension and their risk Factors was conducted in 2006. The results of this study will form the basis for surveillance of tobacco use.	<input type="checkbox"/>

ii. **Optional questions**  [Help](#)

All sections in 'Question 6ii. Optional questions' are optional
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<b>Education, communication, training and public awareness</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 12 –</b>  <i>Education, communication, training and public awareness</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on education, communication, training and public awareness. If a 'Yes' answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p>		
12(d)	Appropriate training or awareness programmes on tobacco control addressed to persons such as health, community and social workers, media professionals, educators, decision-makers, administrators and other concerned persons?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12(f)	Public awareness of and access to information regarding the adverse health, economic, and environmental consequences of tobacco production and consumption?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

<b>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 14 –</b>  <i>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p>		
<b>14.2(a)</b>	Design and implementation of programmes aimed at promoting the cessation of tobacco use, in such locations as educational institutions, health care facilities, workplaces and sporting environments? Yes, there are ongoing programmes promoting the cessation of tobacco use in educational insitutions, but these programmes are not standardized and are not yet national in scope.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>14.2(b)</b>	Diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence and counselling services on cessation of tobacco use in national health and education programmes, plans and strategies, with the participation of health workers, community workers and social workers?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>14.2(c)</b>	Establishment in health care facilities and rehabilitation centres of programmes for diagnosing, counselling, preventing and treating tobacco dependence?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Protection of the environment and the health of persons</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 18 –</b>  <i>Protection of the environment and the health of persons</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on protection of the environment and the health of persons. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p>		
<b>18</b>	Due regard to the protection of the environment and the health of persons in relation to the environment in respect of tobacco cultivation and manufacture within its territory?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<p><b>This section refers to Article 20 –</b>  <i>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</i>  <a href="http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html">http://www.who.int/tobacco/framework/download/en/index.html</a></p> <p>This section requires a Yes/No answer on research, surveillance and exchange of information activities. If a ‘Yes’ answer has been provided a brief description is required.</p>		
<b>20.1(b)</b>	Training and support for all those engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.2</b>	Programmes for national, regional and global surveillance of the magnitude, patterns, determinants and consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.3(a)</b>	A national system for epidemiological surveillance of tobacco consumption and related social, economic and health indicators?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.4</b>	The exchange of publicly available scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information, as well as information regarding practices of the tobacco industry and the	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

	cultivation of tobacco?	
20.4(a)	An updated database of laws and regulations on tobacco control, and information about their enforcement, as well as pertinent jurisprudence?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

## 7. Technical and financial assistance [Help](#)

### **7. Technical and financial assistance**

*This section of the questionnaire comprises questions regarding technical and financial assistance provided or received for tobacco control activities under the WHO Framework Convention. Questions regarding collaboration and/or cooperation are included in this section in those cases in which the collaboration and/or cooperation in question involves or could involve the receipt of assistance.*

#### **Question 7 is mandatory**

Please advise if you have either provided or received assistance.

If you answered 'Yes' to either provision or receipt of assistance in relation to articles 21.1(c), 22.1 and 21.3 you will need to provide the following:

For low- and middle-income countries requesting or receiving assistance: the reporting state party; period covered in the report; country or countries from which assistance was received; time request was made; and status of request (i.e., assistance provided (please provide full details of the nature and level of assistance); not provided; or under consideration).

For donor countries providing assistance: the country/organization; period of reporting; country from which request received; nature of assistance requested; and decision on request (i.e., accepted (please provide full details of the nature and level of assistance); not accepted; or under consideration).

If you answered 'No' to either the provision or receipt of assistance you will need to identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.

The goal of this section is to assist the Secretariat in facilitating the coordination of available skills and resources with identified needs.

Pursuant to **Article 21.1(c)**, have you either provided or received financial or technical assistance (be it through unilateral, bilateral, regional, subregional or other multilateral channels, including relevant regional and international intergovernmental organizations and financial and development institutions) for the development and strengthening of multisectoral comprehensive tobacco control programmes of developing country Parties and Parties with economies in transition in any of the following areas:

	Assistance provided (please give details below)	Assistance received (please give details below)
Development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control? ( <b>Article 22.1(a)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 22.1(b)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

in accordance with Article 12? ( <b>Article 22.1(c)</b> )		
Provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistical support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 22.1(d)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input type="checkbox"/> No
Identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? ( <b>Article 22.1(e)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? ( <b>Article 22.1(f)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Other. Specify:		
<p>Additional details:</p> <p>If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.</p> <p>Although the National Tobacco Control Plan has been developed, there has been no budgetary allocations for the plan</p> <p>If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was received/provided.</p>		

Pursuant to **Article 21.3**, have you either provided or received financial or technical assistance to support developing country Parties and Parties with economies in transition in meeting reporting obligations?

Assistance provided <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;"> <p><b>This section also refers to Articles 22 and 26</b>            Article 22 – <i>Cooperation in the scientific, technical, and legal fields and provision of related expertise</i>            Article 26 – <i>Financial resources</i></p> </div>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)	Assistance received	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)
<p>Additional details:</p> <p>If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.</p> <p>Technical assistance is required for the strengthening of the national surveillance system as well as support for research, data collection and exchange of information to monitor tobacco use, its impact and to facilitate the preparation of reports.</p> <p>If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was received/provided.</p>			

Have you identified any specific gaps between the resources available and the needs assessed, for the financial and technical assistance provided or received?  [Help](#)

<p>Please advise if you identified any specific gaps between resources available and the needs assessed.          If you answered ‘Yes’ to the identification of specific gaps you will need to provide details.          If you answered ‘No’ to the identification of specific gaps you will need to check the ‘No’ box.</p>
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<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please give details below)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Additional details: Not certain what is required in this question. However limitations in human and financial resources have been identified as needs. The needs far outweigh the available resources resulting in a huge gap between needs and available resources.	

**8. Priorities for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control**  [Help](#)

**Question 8 is mandatory**

Please advise what the priority areas are for implementation of the FCTC in your country. You will also need to identify the constraints or barriers you have encountered in implementing the Convention.

What are the priority areas for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control in your jurisdiction? (Ref. **Article 21.1(b)**)

The priority areas for implementation are: The priorities include labelling to meet the provisions of the FCTC and institution of smoking bans.

What, if any, are the constraints or barriers you have encountered in implementing the Convention? (ref. **Article 21.1(b)**)

Financial and technical expertise and changes in administration

**9. Additional comments**  [Help](#)

Please provide any additional comments on relevant information not covered elsewhere within the questionnaire.

Please provide any relevant information not covered elsewhere that you feel is important.

**10. Questionnaire feedback**

(a) Please provide feedback for improvement of the Group 1 questionnaire.  [Help](#)

(a) Please provide any suggestions as to how the Group 1 questionnaire may be improved.

- questionnaire should be designed to allow for modifications, i.e. deleting of created tables, formatting of fonts.
- some questions pertaining to Article 21.1 (b) were difficult to understand eg the one that talks abouts identified gaps and needs.
- Pages are not numbered
- for demographics, the instructions did not indicate that tables would have been created based the age groups and ethnic groups provided.
- A space should be provided within the body of the report for definitions.

(b) Please provide input for the future development of the Group 2 questionnaire.

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(b) Please provide any suggestions for the future development of the Group 2 Questionnaire.