

## REPORTING INSTRUMENT

### 1. Origin of the report Help

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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
2002 NCD Steps Survey Report	15-24	691	956	1647
2002 NCD Step Survey Report	25-34	565	940	1505
2002 NCD Step Survey Report	35-44	633	947	1580
2002 NCD Step Survey Report	45-54	499	742	1241
2002 NCD S	55-64	364	426	790

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

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### Question 2(b) is optional

If appropriate, please include ethnicity. Use more than one table if necessary (e.g., if there are more than five ethnic groups). Please report all ethnic groups reported in official statistics.

Name of ethnic group	Percentage of total population
Fijian	56.3%
Indian	40.9%
Others	2.8%

## 3. Tobacco use

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

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

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

Use more than one table per section if necessary (e.g., you can use one table per age group). Please be sure to report the prevalence of smoking, not the number of smokers. Please provide the relevant documentation and sources used.

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.

Where possible, break this data into Male and Female.

	Age groups <sup>1</sup> (adults) 15-24	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	137	Manufactured cigarette	2002	18.7%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	140	manufactured cigarettes	2002	19.9%
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	24	Manufacturer Cigarettes	2002	2.3%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	106	Manufacturer cigarettes	2002	12.2%
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	data not available		-	-
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific data not available		-	-

	Age group (Adult) 25-34	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>3</sup>	167		2002	31.5%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	180		2002	29.1%
<b>Females</b>				

<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.

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

Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	48		2002	4.6%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	153		2002	17.0%
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific not available			
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Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific data not available			

	Age group (Adult) 35-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>4</sup>	171		2002	27.1%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	187		2002	30.4%
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	37		2002	3.8%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	136		2002	15.5%
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific data not available			
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific data not available			

	Age group (Adult) 45-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>5</sup>	145		2002	29.6%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	154		2002	28.8%
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	44		2002	5.2%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	79		2002	13.2%
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				

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

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

Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific data not available			
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific data not available			

	Age group (Adult) 55-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>6</sup>	95		2002	27.8%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	127		2002	35.9%
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	22		2002	5%
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	48		2002	13.2%
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific data not available			
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>	specific data not available			

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

	Age groups <sup>7</sup> (adults) 15-24	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	123	Manufactured cigarettes	2002	6
<b>Female smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	24	Manufactured Cigarettes	2002	4.2
<b>Total smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	147	Manufactured Cigarettes	2002	

	Age group (Adult)	Tobacco products	Year of data	Average number of
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<sup>6</sup> Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

<sup>7</sup> De préférence, par tranches de dix ans, par ex. : 25-34, 35-44. etc.

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

	25-34	included	(latest available)	cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	142	Manufactured Cigarettes	2002	7.1
<b>Female smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	42	Manufactured Cigarettes	2002	5.7
<b>Total smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	184	Manufactured Cigarettes		

	Age group (Adult) 35-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	127	B&H	2002	7.9
<b>Female smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	30	B&H	2002	6.5
<b>Total smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	157			

	Age group (Adult) 45-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	111	B&H	2002	8.2
<b>Female smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	32	B&H, Consulate	2002	5.6
<b>Total smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	143			

	Age group (Adult) 55-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	72	B&H	2002	8
<b>Female smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	10	B&H, Consulate	2002	3.5
<b>Total smokers<sup>4</sup></b>				

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

	Age group <sup>3 15-</sup>	Tobacco products	Year of data	Prevalence
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	24	included	(latest available)	(%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users	0	N/A	N/A	N/A
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 25-34	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users	N/A			
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 35-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 45-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 55-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users	0			
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

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

	Ethnic group Black Fijian	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	Males- 26.4% Females- 5%	Manufactured cigarettes/ handrolled	2002	36.2%
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>	Male- 34.4% Female- 22.2%	manufactured cigarettes/ handrolled	2002	45.1%



	Ethnic group Indian	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	Males- 25.4% Female- 1.4%	manufactured cigarette/ handrolled	2002	59%
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>	Male- 17.1% Female- 1.6%	manufactured cigarette/ hand rolled	2002	24.1%

	Ethnic group Others	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users	male- 26.3% Female- 10.5%	manufactured & handrolled	2002	not specified
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>	Male- 15.3% Female- 21.1 %	manufactured and handrolled cigarette	2002	not specified

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

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	Youth groups <sup>8</sup>	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence <sup>9</sup> (%)
Males	13-15	Benson & Hedges, Consulate	2005 GYTS Survey	30.3%
Females	13-15 yrs	Benson & Hedges, Consulate	2005 GYTS Survey	14.1%

ii. **Supply**  [Help](#)

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

<sup>6</sup> Parties should provide definition for youth smoking: e.g. at least one cigarette in the past 30 days.

- (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	2006	2006
Quantity (specify product and unit; e.g. millions of cigarettes)	<p>Quarter 1- January 1<sup>st</sup>- March 31<sup>st</sup> 9,480,450 cigarettes manufactured, 8,873,445 cigarettes sold</p> <p>Quarter 2- April 1<sup>st</sup>- June 31<sup>st</sup> 9,789,920</p> <p>Quarter 3- July 1<sup>st</sup> - September 30<sup>th</sup> 1,208,2190 cigarettes manufactured, 10247720 cigarttes sold</p> <p>Quarter 4- October 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup> 1,102,6060 cigarettes manufactured 1,0007135 cigarettes sold</p> <p>* Specific details of Tobacco products attached</p>	<p>24011000 Tobacco, not stemmed/stripped-101.2 Kg</p> <p>24022000 Cigarettes containing tobacco-2763 kg (Bureau of Statistics)</p>	<p>24011000-Tobacco notstemmed/stripped-75012 kg</p> <p>24012000-Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped-477.1 kg</p> <p>24013000-Tobacco refuse</p> <p>24021000-Cigars, cheroots and cigarillos, containing tobacco-179.42 kg</p> <p>24022000-Cigarettes containing tobacco-18276.65 kg</p> <p>24029010-Other cigars, cheroots and cigarillos, containing tobacco substitute-220.09 kg</p> <p>24029090-Other cigarettes containing tobacco substitutes-2149 kg</p> <p>24031000-Smoking tobacco, whether or not containing tobacco substitutes in any proportion-3317.8 kg</p> <p>24039100-Other homogenised or reconstituted tobacco- 19 kg</p> <p>24039910-Tobacco extracts and essences- 330 kg</p> <p>24039990 Other tobacco extracts and</p>

			essences- 11.2 kg (Bureau of Statistics)
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Note: licit supply = domestic production + (imports - exports)

(b) Please provide information regarding duty-free sales volumes, if available.

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Manufacturers & Distributors-Tobacco Control Regulation 36 & 37

DUTY FREE SALES-

British American Tobacco (Fiji)- 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter October 1<sup>st</sup>- December 31<sup>st</sup> 2006

Cigarette-Dunhill Premier 20's (1,500) ,Dunhill Distict 20's (3500) ,B&H Smooth 10 (281,600) ,B& H Smooth 10 (6,000) ,Rothmans 10 (44,000) ,Pall Mall Filter 10 (38,000) ,Pall Mall Smooth 10 (8,000) ,Pall Mall Menthol 10 (20,000) ,Consulate 10 (1,000) ,B& H 20 (61,150) ,Rothmans 20 (2,000) ,Dunhill Menthol 20 (2,500)

DUTY FREE SALES-

British American Tobacco 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter- April 1<sup>st</sup> - June 31<sup>st</sup>

Dunhill Premier 20's	180	Smoking causes lung cancer
Dunhill Distinct 20's	-	Smoking causes lung cancer
B&H 10	296,340	Smoking causes lung cancer
B&H Smooth 10	17,000	Smoking causes lung cancer
Rothmans 10	46,000	Smoking causes lung cancer
Pall Mall Filter 10	12,000	Smoking causes lung cancer
Pall Mall Smooth 10	4,000	Smoking causes lung cancer
Pall Mall Menthol 10	1,000	Smoking causes lung cancer
Consulate 10	8,000	Smoking causes lung cancer
B&H 20	55,820	Smoking causes lung cancer

Rothmans 20	3,000	Smoking causes lung cancer
Dunhill Menthol 20	-	Smoking causes lung cancer

- (c) Seizures of illicit tobacco (ref. **Article 15.4(a)** in accordance with **Article 15.5**)  
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	Year (latest available)	Quantity seized (specify unit, e.g., millions of pieces)
Cigarettes	2006	Bula Tale Investments-100 Cartons Red Flower- 4 shipping container Tai Ifi Shipping-440 cartons
Other tobacco products (optional; please specify product) :		

- (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](#)

Fiscal Duty- is calculated either on the total weight of the cigarettes or on the number of cigarettes, whichever produces the most revenue;

Excise duty- is calculated on a per stick basis.

Excise is collected at point of manufacture and fiscal duty at the time of import.

- (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](#)

<p>2007 Price List of Top 3 purchased Tobacco Products</p> <p>1. Benson &amp; Hedges Packet 10's- Fj\$2.25 Packet 20- \$4.35</p> <p>2. Rothman 10's- \$2.25 Packet 20's- \$4.35</p> <p>3. Pall Mall Filter- \$2.00 Packet 20's- \$3.90</p> <p>Packet 10's are the highly purchased tobacco product.</p>
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**5. Legislative, executive, administrative and other measures**  [Help](#)

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

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"/>
	- government buildings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- health care facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- educational facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- private workplaces	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	- other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in public transport?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in indoor public places?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- cultural facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/>
<p>If you responded “Partial” to the measures outlined in Article 8.2, please provide specific details of the partial ban here: The partial ban apply mainly to eating houses requiring not less than half of the eating house to be designated smoke free area and the other half as smoking area. However the owner if he wishes have all the right to declare the whole area of the eating house to be smokefree.</p>				
<b>Regulation of tobacco product disclosures</b>				
<b>10</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Requiring manufacturers and/or importers of tobacco products to disclose to governmental authorities information about contents?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	and to assist in determining whether the product is legally for sale on the domestic market?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>15.3</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" 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"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Specify legal age: 18
<b>16.2</b>	Prohibiting or promoting the prohibition of the distribution of free tobacco products to the public and especially minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Dealing with criminal and civil liability, including compensation where appropriate?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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

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>10</sup>	No
<b>Regulation of the contents of tobacco products</b>			
9 <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the emissions of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Packaging and labelling of tobacco products</b>			
11.1(a) <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)	Requiring that packaging and labelling also carry health warnings describing the harmful effects of tobacco use?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(i)	Ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(ii)	Ensuring that the health warnings are rotating?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(iii)	Ensuring that the health warnings are large, clear, visible and legible?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(iv)	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the principal display areas?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(v)	Ensuring that the health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.2	Requiring that packaging and labelling contains information on relevant constituents and emissions of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.3	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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<sup>10</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.

Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>			
13.2	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"/>
13.3	Applying restrictions, in the absence of a comprehensive ban, on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input 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"/>
13.4(a)	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"/>
13.4(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"/>
13.4(c)	Restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(d)	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"/>
13.4(e)	Restricting tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship on radio, television, print media and other media, such as the Internet?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(f)	Prohibiting or restricting tobacco sponsorship of international events, activities and/or participants therein?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

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

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



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>11</sup>	No
Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 5.1</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If no, have some partial strategies, plans and programmes been developed and implemented? ( <b>Article 5.1</b> )	<input checked="" 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.)

<b>General obligations</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>5.2(a)</b>	A national coordinating mechanism or focal point(s) for tobacco control? yes, the Ministry of Health has set up the Tobacco Control Enforcement Unit to oversee the implementation of Tobacco Control Act 1998, and related legislations. The three divisions has one focal person for Tobacco Control coordination Tobacco Control activities.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>5.3</b>	Protection of policies from the commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry? Yes, there is a distinct line being a stakeholder for the Government (huge tax contribution) and an industry which manufactures a lethal product, decisions are vested on spirit of the Tobacco Control Act which governs and regulate the tobacco industry and not merely on commercial interest or self gain. The Tobacco Control Enforcement Unit upholds this principal and does not in any way compromises its position in providing favours nor work in collaboration with the industry for personal gain.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Education, communication, training and public awareness</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>12(a)</b>	Broad access to effective and comprehensive educational and public awareness programmes on the health risks? yes, continuous mass public awareness campaign being conducted on the health effects through the National Centre for Health Promotion social marketing campaigns.	<input type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at adults and/or the general public? general public	<input type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at children and youth? the upcoming plans are youth specific targetted programmes will be conducted in April 2007.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(b)</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? yes, community awareness programmes in villages and settlements conducted by medical professionals cover this area of awareness.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(c)</b>	Public access to a wide range of information on the tobacco industry?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(e)</b>	Awareness and participation of public and private agencies and nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry in developing and implementing	<input type="checkbox"/>

<sup>11</sup> Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if possible.

	intersectoral programmes and strategies for tobacco control? yes, thorough the Fiji Cancer Society, Church organisations- Seventh day adventist, Assemblies of God, Methodist church and Tobacco Alcohol and Kava Action Group.	
<b>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
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 type="checkbox"/> Help		
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"/> Help		
<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>  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?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

ii. **Optional questions**  Help

<b>Education, communication, training and public awareness</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
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? in line with the Tobacco Control Action Plan advocacy training on Tobacco Control for the above mentioned target group has been undertaken within the three Division in Fiji. this has been funded by WHO and continues to be a skill building exercise.	<input type="checkbox"/>
12(f)	Public awareness of and access to information regarding the adverse health, economic, and environmental consequences of tobacco production and consumption? the Ministry of Health, Tobacco Control Enforcement Unit and National Centre for Health promotion are the fore runners on the dissemination of information to school students and those interested on tobacco control. However, such country specific information on disease burden and economic implications are rare and requires extensive research for public use. there is a need for resources to improve on the informational area such as Fiji tobacco control website and so forth.	<input type="checkbox"/>

Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
14.2(a)	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?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
14.2(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"/>
14.2(c)	Establishment in health care facilities and rehabilitation centres of programmes for diagnosing, counselling, preventing and treating tobacco dependence?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Protection of the environment and the health of persons <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
18	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"/>
Research, surveillance and exchange of information <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
20.1(b)	Training and support for all those engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
20.2	Programmes for national, regional and global surveillance of the magnitude, patterns, determinants and consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke? yes, the Global Youth Tobacco Survey has been conducted in Fiji twice, 1999 and 2005 highlighting the magnitude, patterns, determinants and consequence of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke.	<input type="checkbox"/>
20.3(a)	A national system for epidemiological surveillance of tobacco consumption and related social, economic and health indicators?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
20.4	The exchange of publicly available scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information, as well as information regarding practices of the tobacco industry and the cultivation of tobacco?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
20.4(a)	An updated database of laws and regulations on tobacco control, and information about their enforcement, as well as pertinent jurisprudence? yes, to a much lesser extent there are pertinent legislations available which governs issues relating to tobacco control apart from the existing Tobacco Control Act 1998. There is room for improvement for the Tobacco Control Enforcement Unit to research on particular provisions applicable to tobacco products.	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

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 type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12? ( <b>Article 22.1(c)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input 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>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 <a href="#">Help</a>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)	Assistance received	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below) WHO Bi Annum funding 2006-2007
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Additional details:

If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.

If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was received/provided.

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

Yes (please give details below)

Resources such as provision of Testing facilities to verify evidence seized by officers.

Provision of Enforcement vehicles to aid enforcement of FCTC

No

Additional details: At the moment the Tobacco Control Unit finds it difficult to carry out operational programmes due to lack of resource more importantly a full time vehicle.

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

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 area is the consultation stages for the review of any legislation in Fiji. The legislation under review will require extensive consultation on stakeholders that will be affected and also the public to see if proposed provisions are practically feasible to implement.

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

the constant threat of political instability in Fiji have put the review of the legislation on hold. Cabinet decision and Parliamentary approval is required for the passing of any legislation, with our current situation (5<sup>th</sup> December 2006 coup) the country is still awaiting for fresh election for the new new government.

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

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](#)

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