



WHO FRAMEWORK CONVENTION
ON TOBACCO CONTROL

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1. ORIGIN OF THE REPORT

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2. TOBACCO CONSUMPTION AND RELATED HEALTH, SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC INDICATORS

(with reference to Articles 19.2(a), 20.2, 20.3(a), 20.4(c) as well as Articles 6.2(a), 6.2(b), 6.3, 15.4, 15.5 and 17 as referred to in the respective subsections)

2.1	PREVALENCE OF TOBACCO USE		
2.1.1	Smoking prevalence in the adult population (all) <i>(Please provide prevalence data for total adult population, and identify the age considered, e.g. 15 years old and over, 18-64 years; see 2.1.1.2)</i>		
		Prevalence (%) <i>(please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)</i>	Average number of the most-consumed smoking tobacco product used per day
	MALES		
	Current smokers	34.1 %	6.1
	Daily smokers	28.3 %	7.2
	Occasional smokers	5.8 %	
	Former smokers	15.1 %	
	Never smokers	50.8 %	
	FEMALES		
	Current smokers	7.7 %	4.9
	Daily smokers	5.1 %	6.8
	Occasional smokers	2.6 %	
	Former smokers	3.9 %	
	Never smokers	88.4 %	
	TOTAL (males and females)		
	Current smokers	20.9 %	5.5
	Daily smokers	16.7 %	7.0
	Occasional smokers	4.2 %	
	Former smokers	9.5 %	
	Never smokers	69.6 %	

2.1.1.1	Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.1:
	Cigarettes
2.1.1.2	Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.1 refer:
	25-64
2.1.1.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.1:
	Report in preparation: “National NCD survey 2013-2014, Seychelles Bovet P, Viswanathan, Gedeon et al”. Description: Population based survey of 1240 men and women aged 25-64 from an age stratified random sample from total population of Seychelles completed in March 2014. Questions on tobacco from STEPS. Estimates for population 25-64 adjusted for Ahmad population distribution
2.1.1.4	Please provide the definitions of “current smoker”, “daily smoker”, “occasional smoker”, “former smoker” and “never smoker” used in this report.
	<p>Daily smoker: Smoked at least one cigarette every day</p> <p>Occasional smoker: Smokes less than one cig per day on average on last month</p> <p>Former smoker: Smoked in the past and stopped at least one month ago</p> <p>Never smoker: Never smoked cigarette</p>
2.1.1.5	Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in smoking prevalence in the adult population in the past two years or since submission of your last report.
	Prevalence is decreasing compared to similar NCD survey in 1989, 1994 and 2004; these findings will be published within next few months

2.1.2	Smoking prevalence in the adult population (by age groups)		
	<i>(If data are available, please provide prevalence data by age group, and identify the age group considered, preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44 years)</i>		
		Age group (adults)	Prevalence (%) <i>(please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)</i>
MALES			
	Current smokers ¹	25-34	41.4 %
		35-44	30.3 %
	Add age group	45-54	30.0 %
		55-64	32.3 %
			%
FEMALES			
	Current smokers ¹	25-34	13.0 %
		25-44	5.3 %
	Add age group	45-54	4.4 %
		55-64	6.2 %
			%
TOTAL (males and females)			
	Current smokers ¹	25-34	27.2 %
		35-44	17.8 %
	Add age group	45-54	17.2 %
		55.64	19.2 %
			%

¹ Please provide here data on either all current smokers or daily smokers only, whichever is available.

2.1.2.1	Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.2:
	Cigarettes. Of note daily or occasional smoking of shisha is <0.3%
2.1.2.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.2:
	Report in preparation: "National NCD survey 2013-2014, Seychelles Bovet P, Viswanathan B, Gedeon J et al". Description: Population based survey of 1240 men and women aged 25-64 from an age stratified random sample from total population of Seychelles completed in March 2014. Questions on tobacco from STEPS. Estimates for population 25-64 adjusted for Ahmad population distribution
2.1.2.3	Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in current smoking prevalence by age group in the past two years or since submission of your last report, if data are available.
	Decrease of tobacco use compare to previous similar surveys in 1989, 1994 and 2004.

2.1.3	Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (all) <i>(Please provide prevalence data for total adult population, and identify the age considered in 2.1.3.2, e.g. 15 years old and over, 18–64 years; see 2.1.3.2)</i>	
		Prevalence (%) <i>(please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)</i>
	MALES	
	Current users	0.3 %
	Daily users	0.2 %
	Occasional users	0.1 %
	Former users	%
	Never users	%
	FEMALES	
	Current users	0.4 %
	Daily users	0.3 %
	Occasional users	0.1 %
	Former users	%
	Never users	%
	TOTAL (males and females)	
	Current users	0.3 %
	Daily users	0.2 %
	Occasional users	0.1 %
	Former users	%
	Never users	%

2.1.3.1	Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.3:
	Chewed tobacco, electronic cigarettes
2.1.3.2	Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.3 refer:
	25-64
2.1.3.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.3:
	Report in preparation: “National NCD survey 2013-2014, Seychelles Bovet P, Viswanathan B, Gedeon J et al”. Description: Population based survey of 1240 men and women aged 25-64 from an age stratified random sample from total population of Seychelles completed in March 2014. Questions on tobacco from STEPS. Estimates for population 25-64 adjusted for Ahmad population distribution.
2.1.3.4	Please provide the definitions of “current user”, “daily user”, “occasional user”, “former user” and “never user” (of smokeless tobacco products) used in this report in the space below.
	Daily user: daily use of product; occasional smoker: less than daily use of product
2.1.3.5	Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in smokeless tobacco use in the adult population in the past two years or since submission of your last report.
	Prevalence of products other than cigarettes was always very low (<1%) in all surveys (1989, 1994, 2004). Prevalence of shisha and electronic cigarettes was 0% in 1989, 1994 and 2004, and is found in a few people in 2004, but overall prevalence of daily users is still <1% in 2014 survey.

2.1.4	Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (current users) by age group	
	<i>(If data are available, please provide prevalence data by age group, and identify the age group considered, preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44 years)</i>	
		Age group (adults)
		Prevalence (%) <i>(please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)</i>
	MALES	
	Current users ²	25-34
	<input type="text" value="Add age group"/>	35-44
		45-54
		55-65
		%
	FEMALES	
	Current users ²	25-34
	<input type="text" value="Add age group"/>	35-44
		44-54
	55-64	
	%	
TOTAL (males and females)		
Current users ²	25-34	
<input type="text" value="Add age group"/>	35-44	
	45-54	
	55-64	
	%	

² Please provide data on either all current users or daily users only, whichever is available.

2.1.4.1	Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in the answer to question 2.1.4:
	Chewed tobacco, electronic cigarette
2.1.4.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.4:
	Report in preparation: “National NCD survey 2013-2014, Seychelles Bovet P, Viswanathan B, Gedeon J et al”. Description: Population based survey of 1240 men and women aged 25-64 from an age stratified random sample from total population of Seychelles completed in March 2014. Questions on tobacco from STEPS. Estimates for population 25-64 adjusted for Ahmad population distribution
2.1.4.3	Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in current use of smokeless tobacco by adult age groups in the past two years or since submission of your last report.
	Prevalence of tobacco or similar products other than cigarettes was always very low (<1%) in all surveys (1989, 1994, 2004). Prevalence of shisha and electronic cigarettes was 0% in 1989, 1994 and 2004, and is found in a few people in 2004, but overall prevalence of daily users is still <1% in 2014 survey.

2.1.5	Tobacco use by ethnic group(s)					
		Ethnic group(s)	Prevalence (%) <i>(please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)</i>			
			Males	Females	Total (males and females)	
	Current users ³			%	%	%
				%	%	%
		Add ethnic group		%	%	%
				%	%	%
				%	%	%
2.1.5.1	Please indicate the tobacco products included in the answer to question 2.1.5:					
2.1.5.2	Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.5 refer:					
2.1.5.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.5:					

³ Please provide data on either all current users or daily users only, whichever is available.

2.1.6	Tobacco use by young persons			
		Age range	Prevalence (%) <i>(please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)</i>	
			Smoking tobacco	Smokeless tobacco
				Other tobacco (e.g. water pipe)
	Boys			
	Current users ⁴	13-15	23.2%	%
	Add youth group		%	%
			%	%
			%	%
			%	%
	Girls			
	Current users ⁴	13-15	20.0%	%
	Add youth group		%	%
			%	%
			%	%
			%	%
	TOTAL (boys and girls)			
	Current users ⁴	13-15	21.5 %	%
	Add youth group		%	%
			%	%
			%	%
			%	%
2.1.6.1	Please indicate the tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.6:			
	Cigarettes			

⁴ Please provide data on either all current users or daily users only, whichever is available.

2.1.6.2	<p>Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.6:</p> <p>2002 GYTS</p> <p>Bovet P, Viswanathan B, Faeh D, Warren W. Comparison of smoking, drinking, and marijuana use between students present or absent on the day of a school-based survey. <i>Journal of School Health</i> 2006;76:133-7.</p> <p>Faeh D, Viswanathan B, Chiolero A, Warren W, Bovet P. Clustering in smoking, alcohol drinking and cannabis use in adolescents in a rapidly developing country. <i>BMC Public Health</i> 2006;6:169(e).</p> <p>Bovet P, Viswanathan B, Warren W. The Global Youth Tobacco Survey - Seychelles 2002. Ministry of Health, Seychelles 30 Dec 2002. Factsheet: http://www.cdc.gov/tobacco/global/GYTS/factsheets/2002/seychelles.htm; Report: http://www.afro.who.int/tfi/projects/report-gyts-sey_31dec02_.pdf</p> <p>2007, Global Youth Tobacco Survey (GYTS), Seychelles</p> <p>Viswanathan B, Lasserre AM, William J, Madeleine G, Bovet P. Seychelles 2007 Global School-based Student Health Survey - Short Report. Ministry of Health and Social Development, Republic of Seychelles; University Institute of Social and Preventive Medicine, University of Lausanne, Switzerland, 3 Sep 2008. http://www.who.int/chp/gshs/Seychelles_GSHS_2008_short_report.pdf</p> <p>Lasserre AM, Viswanathan B, Bovet P. Seychelles 2007 Global School-based Student Health Survey - Full Report. Ministry of Health and Social Development, Republic of Seychelles and University Institute of Social and Preventive Medicine, University of Lausanne, 19 Sep 2008. http://www.who.int/chp/gshs/Seychelles_GSHS_2008_long_report.pdf</p> <p>Viswanathan B, William J, Madeleine G, Warren W, Bovet P. The Global Youth Tobacco Survey in Seychelles, 2007 – Full Report. Ministry of Health and Social Development, Seychelles, 5 October 2008</p>
2.1.6.3	<p>Please provide the definition of “current smoking/tobacco use” used to answer question 2.1.6 in the space below.</p> <p>Current smokers: Those who had smoked a cigarette on at least one day during the past 30 days. No question was asked specifically on shisha, electronic cigarettes, but use likely near 0 at this age (and in general population as well) for the time being.</p>
2.1.6.4	<p>Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in tobacco use by young persons in the past two years or since submission of your last report.</p> <p>No new data available since the submission of the last report</p>

2.2	EXPOSURE TO TOBACCO SMOKE
2.2.1	<p>Do you have any data on exposure to tobacco smoke in your population?</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>
2.2.2	<p>If you answered “Yes” to question 2.2.1, please provide details in the space below</p>

	(e.g. exposure by gender, at home, in the workplace, on public transport).
	Exposed to smoke in public places: Boys (13-15 years): 54.3% Girls (13-15 years): 60.6% Exposure at home: reported by 15.1% men, reported by 23.3 % women with question “during the past 7 days, did anyone smoke in your home when you were present”, age 25-64
2.2.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.2.1:
	2007, Global Youth Tobacco Survey (GYTS), Seychelles Exposure at home in 2013-2014: Report in preparation: “National NCD survey 2013-2014, Seychelles Bovet P, Viswanathan B, Gedeon J et al”. Description: Population based survey of 1240 men and women aged 25-64 from an age stratified random sample from total population of Seychelles completed in March 2014. Questions on tobacco from STEPS. Estimates for population 25-64 adjusted for Ahmad population distribution .

2.3	TOBACCO-RELATED MORTALITY
2.3.1	Do you have information on tobacco-related mortality in your population? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
2.3.2	If you answered “Yes” to question 2.3.1, what is the estimated total number of deaths attributable to tobacco use in your population?
2.3.3	If available, please provide any additional information on mortality attributable to tobacco use (e.g. lung cancer, cardiovascular diseases) in your jurisdiction.
2.3.4	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions 2.3.2 and 2.3.3, and please submit a copy of the study you refer to:

2.4	TOBACCO-RELATED COSTS
2.4.1	Do you have information on the economic burden of tobacco use in your population, e.g. the overall cost of tobacco use imposed on your society? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
2.4.2	If you answered “Yes” to question 2.4.1, please provide details (e.g. direct (health care-related) and indirect costs and, if possible, the method used to estimate these costs).
2.4.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.4.2, and please submit a copy of the study you refer to:

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2.5	SUPPLY OF TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS <i>(with reference to Articles 6.2(b), 20.4(c), and 15.5)</i>						
2.5.1	Licit supply of tobacco products						
		Product	Unit (<i>e.g. pieces, tonnes</i>)	Domestic production	Retail sales	Exports	Imports
	Smoking tobacco products <input type="button" value="Add product"/>	Cigarettes	Millions	56.0			
		Cigarettes	Millions				3.3
		Cigars, Cherrots, Cigarillos	Pieces				2,850
	Smokeless tobacco products <input type="button" value="Add product"/>						
	Other tobacco products <input type="button" value="Add product"/>	Other manufactured tobacco	kg				1,842
		Other unmanufactured tobacco	kg				408,064.73
		Other tobacco extracts and essences	kg				48,016
	Tobacco	Leaves					
2.5.2	Please provide information on the volumes of duty-free sales (e.g. product, unit, quantity), if available.						
	Duty free cigarettes allocation remain the same since 2009 (200 cigarettes allowed without tax per person)						
2.5.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions 2.5.1 and 2.5.2:						
	There was no export of tobacco products in 2013, Mr. Michel Mellie, 4611668/4611660 Statistics Division						

2.6		SEIZURES OF ILLICIT TOBACCO PRODUCTS <i>(with reference to Article 15.5)</i>			
2.6.1		Year	Product	Unit (e.g. millions of pieces)	Quantity seized
	Smoking tobacco products <input type="button" value="Add row"/>	2013	Cigarettes	Thousands	66.1
		2013	Chewable Tobacco	kg	83.5
		2013	Electronic Cigarettes	Pieces	1
	Smokeless tobacco products <input type="button" value="Add row"/>				
	Other tobacco products <input type="button" value="Add row"/>				
2.6.2	Do you have any information on the percentage of illicit tobacco products on the national tobacco market? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No				
2.6.3	If you answered “Yes” to question 2.6.2, what percentage of the national tobacco market do illicit tobacco products constitute? %				
2.6.4	If you answered “Yes” to question 2.6.3 and you have information available, what is the trend over the past two years or since submission of your last report in the percentage of illicit tobacco products in relation to the national tobacco market?				
2.6.5	Please provide any further information on illicit tobacco products.				
	Seizure of tobacco product is done both at the cargo section and at the customs of the arrival at the airport. Passengers at arrival may be checked for number of cigarettes bought and if they have more than the allocated duty free requirements (200 cigarettes), they are asked to pay the duty immediately.				
2.6.6	Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions in section 2.6:				
	Mr. Selwyn Knowles, Asst. Commissioner, Customs, Mr. Kelwyn Didon, Manager, 4293773				

2.7		TOBACCO-GROWING	
2.7.1	Is there any tobacco-growing in your jurisdiction? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
2.7.2	If you answered “Yes” to question 2.7.1, please provide information on the number of workers involved in tobacco-growing. If available, please provide this figure		

	broken down by gender.
2.7.3	Please provide, if available, the share of the value of tobacco leaf production in the national gross domestic product.
2.7.4	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions in section 2.7:

2.8	TAXATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS <i>(with reference to Articles 6.2(a) and 6.3)</i>				
2.8.1	What proportion of the retail price of the most popular price category of tobacco product consists of taxes (e.g. sum of excise, sales and import duties (if applicable) and value added tax/goods and services tax (VAT/GST))? 66.7%				
2.8.2	How are the excise taxes levied (what types of taxes are levied)?				
	• Specific tax only	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	• Ad valorem tax only	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	• Combination of specific and ad valorem taxes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
	• More complex structure (<i>please explain:</i> Customs duty is also applied)				
2.8.3	If available, please provide details on the rates of taxation for tobacco products at all levels of Government and be as specific as possible (specify the type of tax, e.g. VAT, sales, import duties)				
		Product	Type of tax	Rate or amount	Base of tax ⁵
	Smoking tobacco products <input type="button" value="Add product"/>	Imported Cigarettes	Value added tax (VAT)	15%	VAT = (CIF+ Custom Duty + Excise tax)
		Imported Cigarettes	Excise tax	404.00	Seychelles Rupees for 200 cigarettes
		Imported Cigarettes	Customs duty	96.00	Seychelles Rupees for 200 cigarettes

⁵ The “base of the tax” should clearly indicate the tax rate or amount the tax is based on. If the tax is expressed as a percentage (e.g. ad valorem tax), the base of the tax is the actual value of the good that is taxed; for example, 45% of the manufacturer’s price, 30% of the retail price. In this case the “base” is the manufacturer’s price or retail price. If the tax is expressed as an amount (e.g. specific tax), the base of the tax is the volume (number of pieces or by weight) of goods that is taxed. For example, if a tax is US\$ 5 per 100 cigarettes, the amount of tax is US\$ 5 and the base of the tax is 100 cigarettes.

		Locally produced Cigarettes	Value added tax (VAT)	15%	VAT= (CIF+ Custom Duty + Excise tax)
		Locally produced Cigarettes	Excise tax	500.00	VAT= (CIF+ Custom Duty + Excise tax)
	Smokeless tobacco products				
	<input type="button" value="Add product"/>				
	Other tobacco products				
	<input type="button" value="Add product"/>				
2.8.4	<p>Please briefly describe the trends in taxation for tobacco products in the past two years or since submission of your last report in your jurisdiction.</p> <p>Explanation concerning the content of table 2.8.3: For the locally produced cigarettes the customs duty is included within the excise tax and that is why the Excise tax is SR. 500 for 200 cigarettes, while for the imported cigarettes excise and customs duty are separated e.g. Excise is SR.404 for 200 cigarettes and customs duty is SR.96.00.</p> <p>VAT took effect as of 1st January 2013 and replaced the goods and services tax (GST) which has been in existence since 2001. The VAT Act was passed in the National Assembly in December 2010.</p> <p>Locally produced cigarettes: 15% on VAT + excise tax of SR.500 per 200 cigarettes (which corresponds to around 75% of retail cost of cigarettes). Since 1st January 2013, GST has been replaced by VAT and same has been increased from 12% of GST to 15% of VAT.</p> <p>Imported Cigarettes: On CIF, to which one adds 15% Value Added Tax (VAT) (which is calculated on CIF value+ custom duty + excise tax) and then Excise tax of SR.404 per 200 cigarettes and customs duty of SR.96 for 200 cigarettes. Since 1st January 2013, GST has been replaced by VAT and the same has been increased from 12% of GST to 15% of VAT.</p> <p>The amendment and other information on VAT can be downloaded from the link: www.src.gov.sc</p>				
2.8.5	<p>Do you earmark any percentage of your taxation income for funding any national plan or strategy on tobacco control in your jurisdiction?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>(In reference to Article 26)</p>				

2.8.6	If you answered “Yes” to question 2.8.5, please provide details in the space below.
2.8.7	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions 2.8.1 to 2.8.6: Source of Information: 2014, Mr. Paul Barrack, Trade Advisor, Mrs. Luisa Woodcock, Director GST, Seychelles Revenue Commission, Dept. of Finance, Tel: 293724/4293769

2.9	PRICE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS <i>(with reference to Article 6.2(a))</i>
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2.9.1	Please provide the retail prices of the three most widely sold brands of domestic and imported tobacco products at the most widely used point of sale in your capital city.					
		Most widely sold brand			Number of units or amount per package	Retail price
		Smoking tobacco products	Smokeless tobacco products	Other tobacco products		
Domestic	Mahe King				10	37.50
Imported	Benson & Hedges				20	93
	Marlboro light				20	93
	555				20	93

2.9.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.9.1.					
	2014, Retail shop, Gayathri Enterprise, Pettit Paris, Seychelles					
2.9.3	Please provide the currency used to complete the “Rate or amount” section of question 2.8.3 and the “Retail price” section of question 2.9.1. If known, please provide the exchange rate of this currency to US dollars as well as the date of this exchange rate.					
	Seychelles Rupees (1U\$=SR 12.3, dated 24 March 2014)					
2.9.4	Please briefly describe the trend in the prices of tobacco products in the past two years or since submission of your last report in your jurisdiction.					
	The price of imported cigarettes have increased from SR 80.00 to SR.93.00 in 2013, while the price of the locally produced remain the same in Seychelles					

3. LEGISLATION, REGULATION AND POLICIES

3.1	Article	GENERAL OBLIGATIONS (with reference to Article 5)		
3.1.1	5	General obligations		
3.1.1.1	5.1	Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes in accordance with the Convention?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.1.1.2		If you answered “No” to question 3.1.1.1, have you partially developed and implemented tobacco control strategies by including tobacco control in national health, public health or health promotion strategies, plans and programmes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.1.1.3		If you answered “No” to question 3.1.1.2, is any aspect of tobacco control that is referred to in the Convention included in any national strategy, plan or programme?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.1.1.4	5.2(a)	<p>Have you established or reinforced and financed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a focal point for tobacco control • a tobacco control unit • a national coordinating mechanism for tobacco control 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.1.1.5		<p>If you answered “Yes” to any of the questions under 3.1.1.4, please provide details (e.g. the nature of the national coordinating mechanism, the institution to which the focal point for tobacco control or the tobacco control unit belongs).</p> <p>Focal point for tobacco control is located within the Unit for Prevention and Control of CVD, NCD section, Public Health Authority, Ministry of Health</p> <p>A tobacco control program including activities and targets is part of the plan of action of the Unit. The manager of this is Unit is the focal point for tobacco control in Seychelles. This person is also the executive secretary of the National Tobacco Control Board.</p>		
3.1.1.6		Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 5.1 and 5.2 (<i>General obligations</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.		

	<p>Following the enactment of the National Tobacco Control Act 2009, which is comprehensive and largely compliant with the FCTC requirements include; 1) total ban in all enclosed public places, work places, public transports, 2) total ban on advertising, sponsorship and promotion, 3) requirement for health warnings on tobacco packets, 4) ban of sales by/to minors, 5) provisions on illicit trade 6) setting up of national tobacco control board and many others.</p> <p>Related regulations have been developed during the past 2 years. This includes the regulation on display of the health warnings on tobacco packages which specify that all cigarette packets displayed or sold in the Seychelles will need to bear a health warning that covers at least 50% of the main display areas with the characteristics specified as per the stated documents including the presence of any of 4 images (pictorial warnings) and associated texts. The regulation will be enforced as from 31st May 2014. Several sensitization programs have been organised for the implementation of the act and the related regulations.</p> <p>The total ban in enclosed public and work places has been well implemented; reference: Impact of a smoking ban in enclosed public places; a rapid assessment in the Seychelles; Viswanathan B, Plumettaz C, Gedeon J, Bovet P. Tobacco Control 2011;20:427-430.</p>
3.1.1.7	<p>If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.</p>

3.1.2	5.3	<p>Protection of public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry</p> <p><i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i></p>		
		<p>Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:</p>		
3.1.2.1		– protecting public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.1.2.2		– ensuring that the public has access, in accordance with Article 12(c), to a wide range of information on tobacco industry activities relevant to the objectives of the Convention, such as in a public repository?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.1.2.3	<p>If you answered “Yes” to any of the questions under 3.1.2.1 or 3.1.2.2, please provide details in the space below.</p> <p>A provision of Tobacco Control Act 2009 (Section 13) states that every manufacturer, importer or exporter of TP shall submit to the Board at the end of each quarter information on amount and selling price of TP, copies of outer packaging of units for sale, information on country from which TP were imported or exported, measures of constituents, etc. However, the related regulations are not yet issued</p>			
3.1.2.4	<p>Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 5.3 in the past two years or since submission of your last report.</p> <p>The Board has not yet been working on the related regulation for Article 13 in Seychelles Tobacco Control Act, but this is to come</p>			
3.1.2.5	<p>USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES</p> <p>Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the “Guidelines for implementation of Article 5.3 of the WHO FCTC” in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 5.3 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary.</p>			
3.1.2.6	<p>If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.</p> <p>Tobacco Control Act 2009 requests for regular reporting by tobacco manufacturers and importers to report on sale and other issue (however no regulations for this articles is yet implemented)</p>			

3.2	Article	MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF DEMAND FOR TOBACCO (with reference to Articles 6–14)		
3.2.1	6	Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco (Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.2.1.1	6.2(a)	– tax policies and, where appropriate, price policies on tobacco products so as to contribute to the health objectives aimed at reducing tobacco consumption?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.1.2	6.2(b)	– prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, sales to international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.1.3		– prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, imports by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.1.4	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 6 (<i>Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
3.2.1.5	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.			

3.2.2	8.2	Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke <i>(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.2.2.1		– banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.2.2		If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.2.1, what is the type/nature of the measure providing for the ban?		
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> national law 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> subnational law(s) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> administrative and executive orders 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> voluntary agreements 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> other measures (<i>please specify:</i>) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.2.3		Please provide a brief explanation of the type/nature and content of the measures providing for the ban.		
		Following the National Tobacco Control Act 2009, total ban in enclosed work place came in to force and well implemented in Seychelles		
3.2.2.4		If you answered "Yes" to any options in 3.2.2.2, do any of these measures provide for a mechanism/ infrastructure for enforcement?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.2.5		If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.2.4 please provide details of this system.		
		Tobacco Control Act 2009 allows for penalties for contravention to the provisions. Ministry of Health sends warning letters when offenses are reported		

3.2.2.6	If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.2.1, please specify the settings and extent/comprehensiveness of measures applied in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places.	Complete	Partial	None
Indoor workplaces:				
• government buildings		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• health-care facilities		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• educational facilities ¹		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• universities		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• private workplaces		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• other (<i>please specify:</i>)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Public transport:				
• airplanes		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• trains		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• ferries		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• ground public transport (buses, trolleybuses, trams)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• motor vehicles used as places of work (taxis, ambulances, delivery vehicles)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• private vehicles		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• other (<i>please specify:</i>)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

¹ except universities

	Indoor public places:			
	• cultural facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	• shopping malls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	• pubs and bars	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	• nightclubs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	• restaurants	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	• other (<i>please specify:</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.2.2.7	Please provide a brief summary of complete and partial measures, with specific details of the partial measures that have been implemented.			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces 			
	Following the National Tobacco Control Act 2009, total ban in enclosed work place came in to force and well implemented in Seychelles			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Banning tobacco smoking in public transport 			
	Total ban in all public transports came in to force and implemented in Seychelles since September 2009. Public transports refer to any publicly or privately operated mode of all transports used for the carriage of the members of the public, whether for hire or reward.			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Banning tobacco smoking in indoor public places 			
	Following the National Tobacco Control Act 2009, total ban in enclosed public place came in to force and well implemented in Seychelles since September 2009. Public place includes; 1) an enclosed place which is open to the public or part of the public, 2) outdoor premises of a health institution, education institution and child day care centre. (act in attach)			
3.2.2.8	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 8 (<i>Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
	A National Tobacco Control Act came in to force in Seychelles since 19th August 2009, which includes a total ban in enclosed workplaces, public places and public transports. The ban was implemented quite well since September 2009, in all enclosed public places including restaurants, bars and discos and in enclosed workplaces and in public transports, which includes taxis, buses and other public vehicles and has been virtually fully implemented.			

3.2.2.9	<p data-bbox="445 165 1362 230">USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES</p> <p data-bbox="445 248 1430 454">Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the “Guidelines for implementation of Article 8 of the WHO FCTC” in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 8 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary.</p>
3.2.2.10	<p data-bbox="445 533 1378 598">If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.</p>

3.2.3	9	Regulation of the contents of tobacco products <i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.2.3.1		– testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.3.2		– testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.3.3		– regulating the contents of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.3.4		– regulating the emissions of tobacco products?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.3.5	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 9 (<i>Regulation of the contents of tobacco products</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
	The Seychelles Tobacco Control act allows for such tests but regulations have not been yet developed			
3.2.3.6	USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the “Guidelines for implementation of Articles 9 and 10 of the WHO FCTC” in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 9 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary .			
3.2.3.7	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.			

3.2.4	10	Regulation of tobacco product disclosures <i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.2.4.1		– requiring manufacturers or importers of tobacco products to disclose to Government authorities information about the:		
		• contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.4.2		– requiring public disclosure of information about the:		
		• contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.4.3	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 10 (<i>Regulation of tobacco product disclosures</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
	These provisions are included in Seychelles Tobacco Control Act, but related regulations have not been yet developed.			
3.2.4.4	USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the “Guidelines for implementation of Articles 9 and 10 of the WHO FCTC” in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 10 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary .			
	(Empty space for response)			
3.2.4.5	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.			
	(Empty space for response)			

3.2.5	11	Packaging and labelling of tobacco products		
		<i>(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.2.5.1	11	– requiring that packaging, individual cigarettes or other tobacco products do not carry advertising or promotion?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.2	11.1(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 about its characteristics, health effects, hazards or emissions?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.3	11.1(b)	– requiring that each unit packet and package of tobacco products and any outside packaging and labelling of such products carry health warnings describing the harmful effects of tobacco use?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.4	11.1(b)(i)	– ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.5	11.1(b)(ii)	– ensuring that the health warnings are rotated?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.6	11.1(b)(iii)	– ensuring that the health warnings are clear, visible and legible?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.7	11.1(b)(iii)	If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.5.6, does your law mandate, as a minimum, a style, size and colour of font to render the warning clear, visible and legible?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.8	11.1(b)(iv)	– ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.9		– ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the principal display areas?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.10	11.1(b)(v)	– ensuring that health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

3.2.5.11		If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.5.10, does the Government own the copyright to these pictures and pictograms?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.12		If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.5.10, would you grant a non-exclusive and royalty-free licence for the use of health warnings developed in your jurisdiction with other Parties?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.13	11.2	– requiring that each unit packet and package of tobacco products and any outside packaging and labelling of such products contain information on relevant:		
		• constituents of tobacco products	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• emissions of tobacco products	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.14	11.3	– requiring that the warnings and other textual information appear on each unit packet and package and on any outside packaging and labelling in the principal language or languages of the country?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.5.15	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 11 (<i>Packaging and labelling of tobacco products</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
	<p>A regulation on display of health warnings to the Seychelles National Tobacco Control Act 2009 has been finalized and published in the Gazette in May 2013. The regulation requests that all cigarette packets have pictorial health warnings that cover at least 50% of each of the two main sides of the packet as from 31st May 2014. It also specifies the content and format of the health warning to be displayed on cigarette packets, including which image and which text must appear in these messages on all cigarettes packets sold in Seychelles. Several sensitization programs related to the regulation has been done since May 2013 for effective implementation</p> <p>The regulation and the Tobacco Control Act can be downloaded from the link: www.health.gov.sc.</p>			
3.2.5.16	<p>USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES</p> <p>Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the “Guidelines for implementation of Article 11 of the WHO FCTC” in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 11 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary.</p>			

3.2.5.17	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to or not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

3.2.6	12	<p>Education, communication, training and public awareness</p> <p><i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i></p> <p>Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:</p>		
3.2.6.1	12(a)	– educational and public awareness programmes? <i>(Please refer to programmes implemented since submission of your two-year report.)</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.6.2		If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.6.1, to whom are these programmes targeted?		
		• adults or the general public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• children and young people	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• men	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• women	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• pregnant women	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• ethnic groups	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• other <i>(please specify:)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.6.3		If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.6.1, do you reflect the following key differences among targeted population groups in educational and public awareness programmes?		
		• age	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• gender	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• educational background	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• cultural background	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• socioeconomic status	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• other <i>(please specify:)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

3.2.6.4	12(b)	If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.6.1, do these educational and public awareness programmes cover:			
		• health risks of tobacco consumption?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		• health risks of exposure to tobacco smoke?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
			• benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	12(f)	• adverse economic consequences of			
		- tobacco production?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		- tobacco consumption?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
• adverse environmental consequences of					
- tobacco production?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
		- tobacco consumption?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.6.5	12(e)	– awareness and participation of the following agencies and organizations in development and implementation of intersectoral programmes and strategies for tobacco control:			
		• public agencies?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		• nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		• private organizations?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		• other (<i>please specify:</i>)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.6.6	12	Are the elaboration, management and implementation of communication, education, training and public awareness programmes guided by research and do they undergo pre-testing, monitoring and evaluation?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.6.7	12(d)	Are appropriate and special training or sensitization and awareness programmes on tobacco control addressed to:			
		• health workers?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		• community workers?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		• social workers?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • media professionals? 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • educators? 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • decision-makers? 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • administrators? 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • other (<i>please specify:</i>)? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.6.8	<p>Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 12 (<i>Education, communication, training and public awareness</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.</p> <p>Several sensitization programs were organised to various target groups during the last two years. This includes: several media programs on the national tobacco control act, smoking cessation program and world no tobacco days. Several sessions to work places, educators, administrators, decision-makers, community workers and NGO's on the national tobacco control act, especially the ban smoking in enclosed public, work places and public transports and the health warnings on tobacco packages. Data from survey such as GYTS or GSHS are used to shape education programs.</p>		
3.2.6.9	<p>USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES</p> <p>Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the “Guidelines for implementation of Article 12 of the WHO FCTC” in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 12 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary.</p>		
3.2.6.10	<p>If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.</p>		

3.2.7	13	Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship		
		<p><i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i></p> <p>Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, any legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes:</p>		
3.2.7.1	13.2	– instituting a comprehensive ban on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If you answered “No” to question 3.2.7.1, please proceed to question 3.2.7.3.				
3.2.7.2		If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.7.1, does your ban cover:		
		• display and visibility of tobacco products at points of sales?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• the domestic Internet?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• the global Internet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• brand stretching and/or brand sharing?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• product placement as a means of advertising or promotion?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• the depiction of tobacco or tobacco use in entertainment media products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• tobacco sponsorship of international events or activities and/or participants therein?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• contributions from tobacco companies to any other entity for “socially responsible causes” and/or any other activities implemented under the umbrella of “corporate social responsibility” by the tobacco industry?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
• cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		

	13.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> the same forms of cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship entering your territory for which domestic regulation apply? 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Please proceed to question 3.2.7.12.				
3.2.7.3	13.2	If you answered "No" to question 3.2.7.1. are you precluded by your constitution or constitutional principles from undertaking a comprehensive ban on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.4	13.3	– applying restrictions on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.5	13.3	– applying restrictions on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory with cross-border effects?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.6	13.4(a)	– prohibiting those 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 about its characteristics, health effects, hazards or emissions?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.7	13.4(b)	– requiring that health or other appropriate warnings or messages accompany all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.8	13.4(c)	– restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.9	13.4(d)	– requiring the disclosure to relevant Government authorities of expenditures by the tobacco industry on advertising, promotion and sponsorship not yet prohibited?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

3.2.7.10	13.4(e)	– restricting tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship on:		
		• radio?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• television?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• print media?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• the domestic Internet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• the global Internet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• other media (<i>please specify:</i>)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.11	13.4(f)	– restricting tobacco sponsorship of:		
		• international events and activities?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• participants therein?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Whether you answered “Yes” or “No” to question 3.2.7.1, are you:				
3.2.7.12	13.6	– cooperating with other Parties in the development of technologies and other means necessary to facilitate the elimination of cross-border advertising?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.13	13.7	– imposing penalties for cross-border advertising equal to those applicable to domestic advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory in accordance with national law?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.7.14	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 13 (<i>Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
	The ban is total and applies to direct and indirect advertising, promotion and sponsoring, hence includes all aspects. Of note, this ban existed on an informal policy before the law was implemented in 2009 and was fully implemented (on a national policy basis).			
3.2.7.15	<p>USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES</p> <p>Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the “Guidelines for implementation of Article 13 of the WHO FCTC” in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 13 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of</p>			

	guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary .
3.2.7.16	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

3.2.8	14	Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation <i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.2.8.1	14.1	– developing and disseminating appropriate, comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.8.2	14.1	– programmes to promote cessation of tobacco use, including:		
		• media campaigns emphasizing the importance of quitting?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• programmes specially designed for:		
		○ underage girls and young women	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		○ women	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		○ pregnant women	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• telephone quitlines	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• local events, such as activities related to World No Tobacco Day or National No Smoking Day, if appropriate?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• other (<i>please specify:</i>)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.2.8.3	14.2(a)	– design and implementation of programmes aimed at promoting the cessation of tobacco use, in such locations as:		
		• educational institutions?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• health-care facilities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• workplaces?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> sporting environments? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> other (<i>please specify:</i>)? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.8.4	14.2(b)	– inclusion of diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence and counselling services for cessation of tobacco use in national programmes, plans and strategies for:			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> tobacco control? 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> health? 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> education? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.8.5		– inclusion of programmes on the diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence in your health-care system?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.8.6	14.2(b)	If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.8.5, which structures in your health-care system provide programmes for the diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence?			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> primary health care 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> secondary and tertiary health care 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> specialist health-care systems (<i>please specify:</i> A unit on NCD in ministry of health provides advice and NRT when available to smokers willing to quit) 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> rehabilitation centres 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> other (<i>please specify:</i>) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.8.7	14.2(b)	If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.8.5, are the services provided in these settings covered by public funding or reimbursement schemes?			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> primary health care 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> secondary and tertiary health care 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> specialist health-care systems (<i>please specify:</i> National health system, including free provision of nicotine gums when available) 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input type="checkbox"/> None

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input type="checkbox"/> None
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> rehabilitation centres 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> other (<i>please specify:</i>) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
3.2.8.8	14.2(b)	If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.8.5, which health and other professionals are involved in programmes offering treatment for tobacco dependence and counselling services?			
		Health professionals including:			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> physicians 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> dentists 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> family doctors 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> practitioners of traditional medicine 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> other medical professionals (<i>please specify:</i> NCD section & Tobacco Focal Point) 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> nurses 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> midwives 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> pharmacists 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		Community workers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		Social workers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		Others (<i>please specify:</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.8.9	14.2(c)	– training on tobacco dependence treatment incorporated into the curricula of health professional training at pre- and post-qualification levels at the following schools:			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> medical? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> dental? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> nursing? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • pharmacy? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • other (<i>please specify:</i>)? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.8.10	14.2(d)	– facilitating accessibility and/or affordability of pharmaceutical products for the treatment of tobacco dependence?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.8.11	14.2(d)	<p>If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.8.10, where and how can these products be legally purchased in your country?</p> <p>Since 2009, nicotine replacement therapy is available in most private pharmacies in Seychelles.</p>			
3.2.8.12	14.2(d)	<p>If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.8.10, which pharmaceutical products are legally available for the treatment of tobacco dependence in your jurisdiction?</p>			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • nicotine replacement therapy 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • bupropion 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • varenicline 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • other (<i>please specify:</i>) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
3.2.8.13	14.2(d)	<p>If you answered “Yes” to question 3.2.8.10, are the costs of these products covered by public funding or reimbursement?</p>			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • nicotine replacement therapy 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • bupropion 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • varenicline 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • other (<i>please specify:</i>) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully	<input type="checkbox"/> Partially	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
3.2.8.14	<p>Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 14 (<i>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.</p> <p>Since 2009, nicotine replacement therapy is available in few private pharmacies in Seychelles. A proposal will be sent under the WHO Plan Of Action (POA) for the purchase of nicotine replacement therapy to treat a limited number of smokers. Provision of NRT has not been sustained under the Ministry of Health budget and currently advocating for the same.</p>				
3.2.8.15	<p>USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES</p> <p>Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the</p>				

	<p>“Guidelines for implementation of Article 14 of the WHO FCTC” in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 14 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary.</p>
3.2.8.16	<p>If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.</p>

3.3	Article	MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF THE SUPPLY OF TOBACCO <i>(with reference to Articles 15–17)</i>		
3.3.1	15	Illicit trade in tobacco products <i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.3.1.1	15.2	– requiring marking of all unit packets and packages of tobacco products and any outside packaging of such products to assist in determining the origin of the product?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.2	15.2(a)	– requiring marking of all unit packets and packages of tobacco products and any outside packaging of such products to assist in determining whether the product is legally sold on the domestic market?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.3	15.2(a)	– requiring that unit packets and packages of tobacco products for retail and wholesale use that are sold on the domestic market carry the statement: “Sales only allowed in ...” or carry any other effective marking indicating the final destination of the product?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.4	15.2(b)	– developing a practical tracking and tracing regime that would further secure the distribution system and assist in the investigation of illicit trade?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.5	15.3	– requiring that marking is presented in legible form or appears in the principal language and/or languages of the country?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.6	15.4(a)	– requiring the monitoring and collection of data on cross-border trade in tobacco products, including illicit trade?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

3.3.1.7	15.4(a)	– facilitating the exchange of this information among customs, tax and other authorities, as appropriate, and in accordance with national law and applicable bilateral and multilateral agreements?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.8	15.4(b)	– enacting or strengthening legislation, with appropriate penalties and remedies, against illicit trade in tobacco products, including counterfeit and contraband cigarettes?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.9	15.4(c)	– requiring that confiscated manufacturing equipment, counterfeit and contraband cigarettes and other tobacco products derived from illicit trade are destroyed, using environment-friendly methods where possible, or disposed of in accordance with national law?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.10	15.4(d)	– adopting and implementing measures to monitor, document and control the storage and distribution of tobacco products held or moving under suspension of taxes or duties?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.11	15.4(e)	– enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from illicit trade in tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.12	15.6	– promoting cooperation between national agencies and relevant regional and international intergovernmental organizations in investigations, prosecutions and proceedings, with a view to eliminating illicit trade in tobacco products, with special emphasis on cooperation at regional and subregional levels?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.1.13	15.7	– licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution in order to prevent illicit trade?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

3.3.1.14	<p>Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 15 (<i>Illicit trade in tobacco products</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.</p>
	<p>All the above mentioned items are explicitly included in the 2009 Seychelles Tobacco Control Act but some of these measures will need further regulations, which have not yet been developed</p>
3.3.1.15	<p>If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.</p>

3.3.2	16	Sales to and by minors <i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.3.2.1	16.1	– prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors? If “Yes”, please specify the legal age: 18	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.2	16.1(a)	– requiring that all sellers of tobacco products place a clear and prominent indicator inside their point of sale about the prohibition of tobacco sales to minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.3	16.1(a)	– requiring that, in case of doubt, each seller of tobacco products requests that the purchaser provides appropriate evidence of having reached full legal age?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.4	16.1(b)	– banning the sale of tobacco products in any manner by which they are directly accessible, such as open store shelves?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.5	16.1(c)	– prohibiting the manufacture and sale of sweets, snacks, toys or any other objects in the form of tobacco products which appeal to minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.6	16.1(d)	– prohibiting the sale of tobacco products from vending machines?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If you answered “Yes” to question 3.3.2.6, please proceed to question 3.3.2.8.				
3.3.2.7	16.1(d)	If you answered “No” to question 3.3.2.6, do you ensure that tobacco vending machines are not accessible to minors and/or do not promote the sale of tobacco products to minors?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.8	16.2	– prohibiting and/or promoting the prohibition of the distribution of free tobacco products:		
		• to the public?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> to minors? 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.9	16.3	– prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually or in small packets?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.10	16.6	– providing for penalties against sellers and distributors in order to ensure compliance?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.11	16.7	– prohibiting the sales of tobacco products by minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.3.2.12	<p>Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 16 (<i>Sales to and by minors</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.</p> <p>Virtually all above mentioned items are included in 2009 Seychelles Tobacco Control act but some regulations need to be issued for full implementation</p>			
3.3.2.13	<p>If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.</p>			

3.3.3	17	Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities <i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>			
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, measures or programmes on any of the following:			
3.3.3.1	17	– promoting economically viable and sustainable alternatives for:			
		• tobacco growers?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
		• tobacco workers?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
		• tobacco individual sellers?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.3.3.2	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 17 (<i>Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.				
3.3.3.3	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.				

3.4	<i>Article</i>	OTHER MEASURES AND POLICIES <i>(with reference to Articles 18–21)</i>			
3.4.1	18	Protection of the environment and the health of persons <i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>			
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:			
3.4.1.1	18	– implementing measures in respect of tobacco cultivation within your territory, which take into consideration:			
		• the protection of the environment?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
		• the health of persons in relation to the environment?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.1.2	18	– implementing measures in respect of tobacco manufacturing within your territory, which take into consideration:			
		• the protection of the environment?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
		• the health of persons in relation to the environment?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.1.3	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 18 (<i>Protection of the environment and the health of persons</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.				
3.4.1.4	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.				

3.4.2	19	Liability <i>(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>			
3.4.2.1	19.1	Does your tobacco control legislation contain measures regarding criminal liability for any violations of that tobacco control legislation?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.2.2	19.1	Do you have separate criminal liability provisions in relation to tobacco control (outside of the tobacco control legislation)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.2.3	19.1	Do you have any civil liability measures that are specific to tobacco control?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.2.4	19.1	Do you have any general civil liability provisions that could apply to tobacco control?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.2.5	19.1	Do you have civil or criminal liability provisions that provide for compensation for adverse health effects and/or for reimbursement of medical, social or other relevant costs?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.2.6	19.1	Has any person in your jurisdiction launched any criminal and/or civil liability action, including compensation where appropriate, against any tobacco company in relation to any adverse health effect caused by tobacco use?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.2.7	19.1	Have you taken, as appropriate, any legislative, executive, administrative and/or other action against the tobacco industry for full or partial reimbursement of medical, social and other relevant costs related to tobacco use in your jurisdiction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable
3.4.2.8		Please provide a brief description of any progress made, as appropriate, in implementing Article 19 (<i>Liability</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			

3.4.2.9		If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

3.4.3	20	Research, surveillance and exchange of information <i>(Please check “Yes” or “No”. For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)</i>		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:		
3.4.3.1	20.1(a)	– developing and/or promoting research that addresses:		
		• determinants of tobacco consumption?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• consequences of tobacco consumption?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• social and economic indicators related to tobacco consumption?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• tobacco use among women, with special regard to pregnant women?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• the determinants and consequences of exposure to tobacco smoke?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• identification of effective programmes for the treatment of tobacco dependence?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• identification of alternative livelihoods?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• other (<i>please specify:</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.4.3.2	20.1(b)	– training and support for all persons engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.4.3.3	20.3(a)	– a national system for epidemiological surveillance of:		
		• patterns of tobacco consumption?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• determinants of tobacco consumption?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		• consequences of tobacco consumption?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• social, economic and health indicators related to tobacco consumption?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		• exposure to tobacco smoke?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> other relevant information (<i>please specify:</i>) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3.4.3.4	20.3(a)	If you answered "Yes" to any question under 3.4.3.3, please list all surveys, including the year of the survey, that you have undertaken in the past.		
		<p>Research on the prevalence of smoking and some associated detriments has been done in young persons in 2002 & 2007 (Global Youth Tobacco Survey) and reports have been published both nationally and internationally and the same can be viewed at http://www.cdc.gov/tobacco/global/GYTS/factsheets/2007/seychelles.htm.</p> <p>There were also data analysed from Seychelles Heart Surveys in 1989, 1994 and 2004 (with several papers published on various issues related to tobacco).</p> <p>Stringhini S, Viswanathan B, Gédéon J, Paccaud F, Bovet P. The social transition of risk factors for cardiovascular disease in the African region: Evidence from three cross-sectional surveys in the Seychelles. <i>International journal of cardiology</i> 11/2012; • 7.08 Impact Factor</p> <p>Report in preparation: "National NCD survey 2013-2014, Seychelles Bovet P, Viswanathan B, Gedeon J et al". Description: Population based survey of 1240 men and women aged 25-64 from an age stratified random sample from total population of Seychelles completed in March 2014. Questions on tobacco from STEPS. Estimates for population 25-64 adjusted for Ahmad population distribution</p>		
3.4.3.5	20.3(a)	In reference to any question under 3.4.3.3, does your country have any plans to repeat any of the above or to undertake a new tobacco survey within three to five years of your last survey? Please provide details in the space below.		
		Report in preparation: "National NCD survey 2013-2014, Seychelles Bovet P, Viswanathan B, Gedeon J et al". Description: Population based survey of 1240 men and women aged 25-64 from an age stratified random sample from total population of Seychelles completed in March 2014. Questions on tobacco from STEPS. Estimates for population 25-64 adjusted for Ahmad population distribution		
3.4.3.6	20.4	– regional and global exchange of publicly available national:		
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> information on the practices of the tobacco industry? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> information on the cultivation of tobacco? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.4.3.7	20.4(a)	– an updated database of:		

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • laws and regulations on tobacco control? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • information about the enforcement of laws on tobacco control? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • pertinent jurisprudence? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3.4.3.8	<p>Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 20 (<i>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.</p>			
3.4.3.9	<p>If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.</p>			

4. INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE

Note: The goal of this section is to assist the Convention Secretariat in matching available skills and resources with identified needs at national, subregional, regional and international levels.

	<i>Article</i>	Pursuant to Article 21.1(c) and in accordance with Article 26, 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 or nongovernmental 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	Assistance received
4.1	22.1(a)	– development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
4.2	22.1(b)	– provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4.3	22.1(c)	– appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4.4	22.1(d)	– provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistic support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4.5	22.1(e)	– identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
4.6	22.1(f)	– promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4.7	<p>If you answered “Yes” to any of questions 4.1–4.6, please identify the Party or Parties from which assistance was received or to which assistance was provided.</p> <p>Technical assistance was received from different bodies, including several epidemiologists and public health specialists of the University of Lausanne, Switzerland (a WHO collaborating centre)</p>			

4.8	Please provide information about any assistance provided or received in the space below.
	<p>Seychelles received financial support from WHO under the WHO POA 2012-2014 to organise World No Tobacco Days and funding for two officers to participate in the COP5.</p> <p>In addition, Seychelles also received financial assistance from WHO with the conduct of the National Survey of risk factors of Non Communicable Diseases in the adult population from 2013-2014.</p> <p>Within these various support initiatives, further collaboration has been developed, in particular with other experts Dr. Pascal Bovet, University of Lausanne, Switzerland) particularly for tobacco control legislation and studies related to tobacco prevalence and impact of smoking on health.</p>
4.9	If you have not received or provided assistance in any of the aforementioned areas, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration, if appropriate.
4.10	<p>Have you encouraged relevant regional and international intergovernmental organizations and financial and development institutions in which you are represented to provide financial assistance for developing country Parties and for Parties with economies in transition to assist them in meeting their obligations under the Convention? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><i>(Please refer to Article 26.4.)</i></p>
4.11	If you answered “Yes” to question 4.10, please provide details in the space below.

5. PRIORITIES AND COMMENTS

5.1	What are the priorities for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control in your jurisdiction?
	Development of a further set of regulations needed for full implementation of Seychelles Tobacco Control Act 2009. This is led by National Tobacco Control Board but the process is slowed by the limited availability of expert from attorney general office (where other priorities are pressing)
5.2	<p>Have you identified any specific gaps between the resources available and the needs assessed for implementing the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>
5.3	If you answered “Yes” to question 5.2, please provide details in the space below.
	<p>Limited expertise and resources available in a small country (90'000 population) to develop all needed regulations.</p> <p>Strengthening and sustaining the smoking cessation programs within the Ministry of Health (provision of nicotine replacement therapy at free cost for smokers who</p>

	wishes to quit the habit
5.4	<p>What, if any, are the constraints or barriers, other than lack of resources, you have encountered in implementing the Convention?</p> <p><i>(Please refer to Article 21.1(b).)</i></p>
5.5	<p>Please provide any other relevant information not covered elsewhere that you consider important.</p>
5.6	<p>Your suggestions for further development and revision of the reporting instrument:</p>

End of reporting instrument