

## REPORTING INSTRUMENT

### 1. Origin of the report [Help](#)

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## 2. Demographics [Help](#)

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

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Year (latest available)	Age groups	Percentage of <i>male</i> population	Percentage of <i>female</i> population	Percentage of <i>total</i> population
2005	0-14	17,51	15,73	16,59
2005	15-64	73,46	69,98	71,67
2005	65+	9,03	14,29	11,74

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

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Name of ethnic group	Percentage of total population
Slovak	85,62
Hungary	9,56
Romany	1,82
Czech	0,90

## 3. Tobacco use

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

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

	Age groups <sup>1</sup> (adults) 15-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				

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

Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>			2006	25
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>			2006	13

	Age group (Adult) 65+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>3</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Females</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>				
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>				

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

	Age groups <sup>4</sup> (adults) 15-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>4</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>4</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>4</sup></b>	18		2006	15

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

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

<sup>4</sup> De préférence, par tranches de dix ans, par ex. : 25-34, 35-44. etc.

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

	Age group (Adult) 65+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>4</sup></b>				
<b>Female smokers<sup>4</sup></b>				
<b>Total smokers<sup>4</sup></b>				

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

	Age group <sup>3 15-64</sup>	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Age group (Adult) 65+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Female</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				
<b>Total</b>				
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

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

	Ethnic group Black robo	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Ethnic group Slovak	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Ethnic group Hungary	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Ethnic group Romany	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

	Ethnic group Czech	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users <sup>4</sup>				

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

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	Youth groups <sup>6</sup>	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence <sup>7</sup> (%)
Males	16		2003	39
Females	16		2003	36

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

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

	Domestic production	Exports	Imports
Year (latest available)	2005	1722t -raw tobacco-	342t -raw tobacco-
Quantity (specify product and unit; e.g. millions of cigarettes)	933h		

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

- (b) Please provide information regarding duty-free sales volumes, if available.  
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- (c) Seizures of illicit tobacco (ref. **Article 15.4(a)** in accordance with **Article 15.5**)  
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	Year (latest available)	Quantity seized (specify unit, e.g., millions of pieces)
Cigarettes	2006	33878884
Other tobacco products (optional; please specify product) :	2006	24 428 170 kilograms

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

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

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

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

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

1. Act No. 106/2004 Coll. on excise duty on tobacco products sets the following excise rates:

(1) The tax rate on tobacco products with the exception of cigarettes is as follows:

description of goods	tax rate
cigars, cigarillos	SKK 1,40/piece
tobacco	SKK 1 350,00/kg.

(2) The combine tax rate on cigarettes with the exception of Paragraph 3 is as follows:

specific part	SKK 1,10/piece
percentage part	23 % from the cigarette price.

(3) The minimum tax rate on cigarettes is SKK 1,70/piece.

(4) The minimum tax rate on cigarettes shall be used if the amount of the combined tax rate calculated under the tax rate stated in Paragraph 2 does not reach the minimum tax rate stated in Paragraph 3.

2. According to Act. No. 222/2004 Coll. on VAT tax rate on tobacco products is 19%.

3. In the Slovak Republic there are not applied import duties on tobacco products except customs duties.

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

The most popular brands of cigarettes for the period of June-December 2006:

50 SKK/ 19 pieces of cigarettes in packet  
 41 SKK / 10 pieces of cigarettes in packet  
 69 SKK / 20 pieces of cigarettes in packet

In the Slovak Republic we don't have domestic cigarettes producers, that is the reason, why we don't distinguish between domestic and imported tobacco products. Data for other tobacco products are not collected and are not available.

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

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

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

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

Article	Pursuant to <b>Article 21.1(a)</b> , have you adopted and implemented legislative, executive, administrative and/or other measures on:	Yes (please attach a brief summary and relevant documentation)	No
<b>Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco</b>			
<b>6.2(b)</b>	Prohibiting or restricting sales to and/or importations by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke</b>		<b>Full/Partial/None</b>	
<b>8.2</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	in indoor workplaces?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- government buildings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- health care facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- educational facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- private workplaces	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



	in public transport?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in indoor public places?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- cultural facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- bars and night clubs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- restaurants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If you responded "Partial" to the measures outlined in Article 8.2, please provide specific details of the partial ban here: it shall be prohibited to smoke in catering establishments, except for those featuring a separated smoking area.				
<b>Regulation of tobacco product disclosures</b>				
<b>10</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Requiring manufacturers and/or importers of tobacco products to disclose to governmental authorities information about contents?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Illicit trade in tobacco products</b>				
<b>15.2(a)</b>	Requiring marking of packaging to assist in determining the origin of the product?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	and to assist in determining whether the product is legally for sale on the domestic market?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>15.3</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Requiring that marking is in legible form and/or appear in its principal language or languages?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>15.4(b)</b>	Enacting or strengthening legislation against illicit trade in tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>15.4(e)</b>	Enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from the illicit trade?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>15.7</b>	Licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Sales to and by minors</b>				
<b>16.1</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Specify legal age: 18
<b>16.2</b>	Prohibiting or promoting the prohibition of the distribution of free tobacco products to the public and especially minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>16.3</b>	Prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually or in small packets?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>16.6</b>	Providing for penalties against sellers and distributors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>16.7</b>	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products by minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Liability</b>				
<b>19.1</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Dealing with criminal and civil liability, including compensation where appropriate?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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

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

Article	Have you adopted and implemented legislative, executive, administrative and/or other measures on:	Yes (please attach a brief summary and relevant documentation) <sup>8</sup>	No
<b>Regulation of the contents of tobacco products</b>			
9 <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Packaging and labelling of tobacco products</b>			
11.1(a) <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Requiring that packaging and labelling do not promote a product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)	Requiring that packaging and labelling also carry health warnings describing the harmful effects of tobacco use?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(i)	Ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(ii)	Ensuring that the health warnings are rotating?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(iii)	Ensuring that the health warnings are large, clear, visible and legible?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(iv)	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the principal display areas?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(v)	Ensuring that the health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.2	Requiring that packaging and labelling contains information on relevant constituents and emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.3	Requiring that the warnings and other textual information appear on each unit package, and on any outside packaging and labelling in your principal language or languages?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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<sup>8</sup> Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if available, and please specify sections of your legislation related to each “yes” response.

Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>			
13.2	Instituting a comprehensive ban of all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	including on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from its territory?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.3	Applying restrictions, in the absence of a comprehensive ban, on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Restricting or instituting a comprehensive ban on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from its territory?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(a)	Prohibiting all forms of tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship that promote a tobacco product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(b)	Requiring that health or other appropriate warnings or messages accompany all tobacco advertising and promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(c)	Restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(d)	Requiring the disclosure to relevant governmental authorities of expenditures by the tobacco industry on advertising, promotion and sponsorship not yet prohibited?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(e)	Restricting tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship on radio, television, print media and other media, such as the Internet?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(f)	Prohibiting or restricting tobacco sponsorship of international events, activities and/or participants therein?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

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

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

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

	Yes (please attach the relevant documentation) <sup>9</sup>	No
Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 5.1</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If no, have some partial strategies, plans and programmes been developed and implemented? ( <b>Article 5.1</b> )	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

<b>General obligations</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>5.2(a)</b>	A national coordinating mechanism or focal point(s) for tobacco control? National Coordinating Committee for Tobacco Control and Centre for Tobacco Control at National Public Health Authority of the Slovak Republic	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>5.3</b>	Protection of policies from the commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry?	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Education, communication, training and public awareness</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>12(a)</b>	Broad access to effective and comprehensive educational and public awareness programmes on the health risks? Help - For Life Without Tobacco, Health Promotion School, Health Cities, Health Workplaces, CINDI, Quit and Win.	<input type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at adults and/or the general public? World No Tobacco Day, Non-smoking Day, European week against cancer, World Health Day.	<input type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at children and youth? Health School Promotion, Health Cities, Schools without alcohol, drugs and cigarettes.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(b)</b>	Public awareness about the health risks of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke, and about the benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles? Via information in television and radio broadcasting.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(c)</b>	Public access to a wide range of information on the tobacco industry? Via internet.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(e)</b>	Awareness and participation of public and private agencies and nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry in developing and implementing intersectoral programmes and strategies for tobacco control? Yes, mainly organizations as: League against cancer, Stop Smoking.	<input type="checkbox"/>

<sup>9</sup> Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if possible.

<b>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>14.1</b>	Comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices to promote cessation of tobacco use and adequate treatment for tobacco dependence? Guidelines for Interventions and Tobacco Dependence Treatment in 2004, 2005, 2006.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>14.2(d)</b>	Facilitation of accessibility and affordability for treatment of tobacco dependence including pharmaceutical products? By the network of Local Public Health Authorities, where are services for smoking cessation and prevention.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>17</b>	Promotion of economically viable alternatives for tobacco workers, growers and, as the case may be, individual sellers?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>20.1(a)</b>	Research that addresses the determinants and consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke as well as research for identification of alternative crops? We have made surveys on monitoring of passive smoking in public places and public attitude to measures on tobacco control, within legislation, protection of non-smoker, smoking young people.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.4(b)</b>	Updated data from national surveillance programmes? Yes.	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

<b>Education, communication, training and public awareness</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>12(d)</b>	Appropriate training or awareness programmes on tobacco control addressed to persons such as health, community and social workers, media professionals, educators, decision-makers, administrators and other concerned persons? By training programmes and conferences, seminars, press releases.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(f)</b>	Public awareness of and access to information regarding the adverse health, economic, and environmental consequences of tobacco production and consumption? By press, radio and television broadcasting, communication by internet. Monitoring of awareness is made by survey of public opinion.	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
<b>14.2(a)</b>	Design and implementation of programmes aimed at promoting the cessation of tobacco use, in such locations as educational institutions, health care facilities, workplaces and sporting environments? By campaign Quit and Win, Help - For life without tobacco. Network of Local Public Health Authorities is concerned in area service for giving up smoking.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>14.2(b)</b>	Diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence and counselling services on cessation of tobacco use in national health and education programmes, plans and strategies, with the participation of health workers, community workers and social workers?  Counselling services on cessation of tobacco use is concerned by network of Local Public Health Authorities, Centre for Drug Treatment and local health services organization.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>14.2(c)</b>	Establishment in health care facilities and rehabilitation centres of programmes for diagnosing, counselling, preventing and treating tobacco dependence? Physicians are providing short advice how to quit smoke in hospitals and departments, treatment of tobacco dependence are provided only by psychiatrists.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Protection of the environment and the health of persons</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
<b>18</b>	Due regard to the protection of the environment and the health of persons in relation to the environment in respect of tobacco cultivation and manufacture within its territory?	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
<b>20.1(b)</b>	Training and support for all those engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?  Public Health Authority of the Slovak Republic has organized training workshop to media, public health authorities, state institutes, control organizations in tobacco control and legislation.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.2</b>	Programmes for national, regional and global surveillance of the magnitude, patterns, determinants and consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke?  Slovak Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic, Specialized Public Health Authority in Banska Bystrica and Institute of Health Information and Statistics have established surveillance system in tobacco control.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.3(a)</b>	A national system for epidemiological surveillance of tobacco consumption and related social, economic and health indicators?  Health Monitor Survey.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.4</b>	The exchange of publicly available scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information, as well as information regarding practices of the tobacco industry and the cultivation of tobacco?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.4(a)</b>	An updated database of laws and regulations on tobacco control, and information about their enforcement, as well as pertinent jurisprudence?  Yes.	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

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

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

	Assistance provided (please give details below)	Assistance received (please give details below)
Development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control? ( <b>Article 22.1(a)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 22.1(b)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12? ( <b>Article 22.1(c)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistical support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 22.1(d)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? ( <b>Article 22.1(e)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? ( <b>Article 22.1(f)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Other. Specify:		
<p>Additional details:</p> <p>If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.</p> <p>Establishment of National Centre for Tobacco Control</p> <p>If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was received/provided.</p> <p>Assistance with World Health Organization</p>		

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

Assistance provided <a href="#">Help</a>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)	Assistance received	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)
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<p>Additional details:</p> <p>If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.</p> <p>If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was received/provided.</p>			

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

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please give details below)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Additional details:</p>	

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

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

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- adoption of ban of smoking in bars and restaurants.</li> <li>- adopt using of colour illustrations on package of tobacco products.</li> <li>- adoption of the National Programme for Tobacco Control and the National Action Plan for Tobacco Control 2009 - 2010.</li> <li>- adoption of total sale ban of tobacco products by vending machines.</li> <li>- decrease number of cigarettess in package of tobaccos products to 15.</li> </ul>
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What, if any, are the constraints or barriers you have encountered in implementing the Convention? (ref. **Article 21.1(b)**)

None.
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**9. Additional comments**  [Help](#)

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

**10. Questionnaire feedback**

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

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