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Improving the reporting system of the WHO FCTC

Report by the Convention Secretariat

Purpose of the document

The present report describes the work carried out under the guidance of the Bureau of the Conference of the Parties (COP) to the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC) to improve the reporting system of the WHO FCTC. The present report contains a proposal to improve the reporting system, including in relation to the reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC (which would apply as of the next reporting cycle).

Action by the Conference of the Parties

The COP is invited to note the present report, consider the proposed revised reporting instrument for the WHO FCTC contained in Annex 2 and adopt the draft decision contained in Annex 3 of the present report.

Contribution to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): All SDGs; in particular, SDG 3 and Target 3.a.

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Additional financial implications if not included in the Workplan and Budget: None.

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BACKGROUND

1. Article 21 of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC) requires that Parties submit to the Conference of the Parties (COP) to the WHO FCTC, through the Convention Secretariat, periodic reports on their implementation of the Convention. The article provides a list of items that should be included in the periodic reports of Parties. It also stipulates that “the frequency and format of such reports by all Parties shall be determined by the Conference of the Parties”.
2. The reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC was established in 2006, following decision FCTC/COP1(14), which described the proposed approach to reporting by Parties, including data collection and the analysis of data. The first global progress report on the implementation of the Convention, based on the first set of reports submitted by the Parties, was published by the Convention Secretariat in 2007.
3. Since 2006, the reporting system of the Convention has evolved significantly in format, content and process, based on feedback from Parties, a series of COP decisions,¹ and guidance from the Bureau of the COP.
4. In 2019, an external audit of the Convention Secretariat operations encouraged the Convention Secretariat to consider the integration of a quality assurance framework in the reporting system of the WHO FCTC, with a view to improving the quality of the collected data.
5. Further to the Ninth session of the COP (COP9), the Bureau of the COP requested the Convention Secretariat to review the reporting system of the WHO FCTC, with the aim of:
 - (a) decreasing the reporting burden on the Parties;
 - (b) implementing a quality assurance framework for the WHO FCTC to improve the quality of data collected;
 - (c) better tailoring the collection of data to the current needs of the COP and its subsidiary bodies;
 - (d) exploiting synergies with other relevant official public data sources; and
 - (e) increasing the focus on the monitoring the indicators in the *Global Strategy to Accelerate Tobacco Control: Advancing Sustainable Development through the Implementation of the WHO FCTC 2019–2025*.
6. The present report contains a description of the experience with reporting under the WHO FCTC and a summary of the work carried out by the Convention Secretariat under the guidance of the Bureau to review the reporting system of the WHO FCTC, with a view to improving it. The present report also includes a proposed revised reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC and a corresponding reporting process.

¹ FCTC/COP2(9), FCTC/COP3(17), FCTC/COP4(16), FCTC/COP5(11), FCTC/COP6(15) and FCTC/COP7(13).

EXPERIENCE WITH REPORTING UNDER THE WHO FCTC

7. The current reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC consists of a core questionnaire and a voluntary module called “additional questions”.

8. The core questionnaire of the WHO FCTC consists of more than 300 questions and 11 tables. Since 2012, the percentage of Parties reporting within each cycle has stabilized, ranging from 72% in 2014 to 84% in 2016 and 2018, 77% in 2020, and 74% in 2023.

9. In addition to the fact that some Parties have not submitted the full core questionnaire in some reporting cycles, there are sections and specific questions in the core questionnaire that consistently elicit a low number of responses, (for example, tobacco use by ethnic groups, the percentage of illicit tobacco products in the market and prices of tobacco products). In addition, in some cases, there are concerns with the quality of reported data or data are provided in different formats or are quantified differently. Such data do not provide a reliable basis for analysis to inform COP decision-making.

10. The “additional questions” were added in 2014 pursuant to decision FCTC/COP5(11) and include over 275 questions. In successive reporting cycles since 2014, the percentage of Parties that completed the “additional questions” ranged from 1.7% to 12%.

REVIEW OF THE REPORTING SYSTEM OF THE WHO FCTC

11. The Convention Secretariat identified several areas of work to be undertaken in reviewing the reporting system of the WHO FCTC, including: (a) an internal review of the reporting system, including a comparison to explore overlapping items and potential for synergies with the data collection process for the World Health Organization (WHO) report on the global tobacco epidemic; (b) a review of potential official external sources of data that could be used to assess global progress in the implementation of the Convention; (c) the organization of a stakeholder consultation; and (d) the development of a revised reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC and a corresponding reporting process.

12. Should the proposed revised reporting instrument (questionnaire) and reporting process be adopted at the Tenth session of the COP, the Convention Secretariat would: (a) develop a new online reporting platform, incorporating the reporting questionnaire and features to make the platform as user-friendly as possible; (b) conduct pilot testing of the updated platform with a few interested Parties; and (c) further adjust and finalize the questionnaire and platform for use in the next reporting cycle.

Internal review of the reporting system of the WHO FCTC

13. The Convention Secretariat conducted the internal review of the reporting system of the WHO FCTC. The review consolidated observations on the reporting instrument and process from the Convention Secretariat, WHO colleagues with technical and data collection expertise, and WHO FCTC Knowledge Hubs, as well as comments submitted by Parties as part of their regular implementation reports. During the review, the Convention Secretariat engaged closely with WHO colleagues, as one of the aims of the review was to further harmonize the WHO FCTC and WHO data collection processes. The review also explored possible improvements to the reporting process and the requirements of an updated online reporting platform.

14. The review resulted in several findings: many questions in the reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC could be edited to improve clarity; several open-ended questions could be deleted; out-of-date questions (due to an evolution in evidence and tobacco control policies) could be deleted or replaced; some sections of the reporting instrument could be reordered; indicators from the Global Strategy could be better captured; key questions from the “additional questions” could be integrated into the core questionnaire and the use of “additional questions” discontinued; and the reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC could be better harmonized with data collected for the WHO report on the global tobacco epidemic.

15. The Convention Secretariat draws attention to the fact that, since the transition to the COP session-bound reporting cycles in 2012, the reporting cycles for the WHO FCTC (and the publication of global progress reports) as well as WHO reports on the global tobacco epidemic, were scheduled on alternating years – even years for WHO FCTC and odd years for WHO. The postponement of COP9 from 2020 to 2021 due to the COVID-19 pandemic resulted in a change in these cycles, meaning that Parties respond to two major data collection systems in the same year. This provides an opportunity to further harmonize the two data collection processes.

Review of official external sources of data

16. The Convention Secretariat has engaged with several entities collecting data relevant to tobacco control from official sources. WHO is a major source of data on tobacco use and tobacco control policies. Other sources of data, including databases, within the United Nations system identified as having some relevant data include the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), the International Labour Organization (ILO), the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), the United Nations Commodity Trade Statistics Database (UN Comtrade), the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), the World Bank and the World Customs Organization (WCO). The Convention Secretariat held discussions with relevant entities to understand what data they collect and what is the potential for using these data in assessing global progress in implementation of the WHO FCTC. A table listing the entities that hold data that may be relevant to sections of the reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC is contained in Annex 1 of the present report.

17. During the review it was observed that data collected by WHO for its report on the global tobacco epidemic could be used to assess progress in implementation of the WHO FCTC in respect of a number of Convention articles. Considering that Parties to the WHO FCTC contribute to that report and validate the data sheets prepared by WHO, it may not be necessary to collect the same information through the reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC. The Convention Secretariat could obtain those data through collaboration with WHO. Such approach would reduce the reporting burden of Parties, as Parties would not need to input in the WHO FCTC reporting instrument data that had been collected by WHO. In addition, it would improve the quality of data used to assess global progress in implementation of the WHO FCTC.

Organization of stakeholder consultation

18. The Convention Secretariat organized a meeting on 20–21 June in Geneva, Switzerland, to consult a group of stakeholders with expertise and relevant experience in collecting data, as well as a good understanding of reporting under the WHO FCTC, on the proposal to improve the reporting system of the WHO FCTC. The outcome of the meeting contributed to further refining the proposed revised reporting instrument and process.

Proposed revised reporting instrument and reporting process of the WHO FCTC

19. In light of the above considerations, a proposed revised reporting system of the WHO FCTC would accommodate the following amendments.

20. In relation to the reporting instrument, it is proposed that:

- (a) a revised reporting instrument (questionnaire) be adopted to collect data from the Parties on their progress in implementation of the Convention, in accordance with Article 21 of the Convention, as presented in Annex 2 of the present report;
- (b) the use of “additional questions”, as a separate questionnaire, be discontinued;
- (c) data from official external sources, as presented in Annex 1 of the present report, with special regard to those collected by WHO, be used for assessing global progress in implementation of the WHO FCTC;
- (d) information that is collected by WHO during the data collection process for the biennial WHO reports on the global tobacco epidemic should not be collected in the WHO FCTC reporting instrument but obtained by the Convention Secretariat for analysis from WHO; and
- (e) Parties continue to report on information that is not collected by WHO.

21. The reporting instrument contained in Annex 2 presents the proposed revised questions that would be included in the new online reporting platform to be completed by the Parties in the successive reporting cycles. In addition, Annex 2 contains a list of items/questions/indicators for which information is collected by WHO as part of the data collection process for WHO reports on the global tobacco epidemic; it is proposed that this information also be used to assess global progress in implementation of the Convention, thus ensuring that the same information is not collected twice from the Parties.

22. In relation to the reporting process, should the COP adopt the proposed revised reporting instrument, it is proposed that the revised questionnaire be built into a new online reporting platform, which is more user-friendly and responds better to the needs of Parties with unstable internet connectivity. Interested Parties would be invited to test the platform in 2024, with a view to adjusting it as necessary and making it available for Parties to use in the next reporting cycle.

ACTION BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES

23. The COP is invited to note the present report, consider the list of official external data sources that could be relevant to the reporting system of the WHO FCTC contained in Annex 1, as well the proposed revised reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC contained in Annex 2, and adopt the draft decision contained in Annex 3 of the present report.

ANNEX 1

**DATA NEEDS OF THE REPORTING INSTRUMENT OF THE WHO FCTC
AND POTENTIAL USE OF OFFICIAL EXTERNAL SOURCES OF DATA**

Data relevant to the reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC	Article and section of the current reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC	Data source	Recommendation on the use of the data source
Tobacco consumption	Article 20/B1	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use tobacco prevalence data collected and analysed by WHO • Continue collecting information on prevalence surveys that Parties have conducted since their previous report and sharing it with WHO
Taxation and price of tobacco products	Article 6/B8/B9/C21	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use tobacco taxation and price data collected by WHO
Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke (smoke-free policies)	Article 8/C22	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use data on smoke-free policies collected by WHO
Packaging and labelling of tobacco products	Article 11/C25	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use data on packaging and labelling collected by WHO
Mass media campaigns	Article 12/C26	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use data collected on Article 12 by WHO • Continue to collect some data on Article 12 that is not collected by WHO
Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship	Article 13/C27	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use data on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship collected by WHO • Continue to collect some data on Article 13 that is not collected by WHO
Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation	Article 14/C28	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue collecting data on Article 14 and sharing it with WHO

Data relevant to the reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC	Article and section of the current reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC	Data source	Recommendation on the use of the data source
Sales to and by minors	Article 16/C32	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue collecting data on Article 16 and align questions where possible with WHO
Electronic nicotine delivery systems (ENDS) and electronic non-nicotine delivery systems (ENNDS) and heated tobacco products (HTPs)	COP decisions E6 and E7	World Health Organization. <i>Report on the global tobacco epidemic.</i> ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use data on ENDS/ENNDS and HTPs collected by WHO • Continue to collect data on ENDS/ENNDS and HTPs that is not collected by WHO
Domestic production of tobacco/tobacco growing	Articles 17 and 18, and Article 20/B7	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This data source could be used to assess global progress on trends concerning domestic production of tobacco and tobacco growing
Estimated total number of deaths attributable to tobacco use	Article 20/B3	Global Burden of Disease/Institute of Health Metrics and Evaluation ²	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This data source could be used to report on global progress through WHO
Domestic production of tobacco products	Article 20/B5	United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) ³	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This data source will be assessed to report on domestic production of tobacco products in the future
Trade in tobacco and tobacco products (exports and imports)	Article 20/B5	United Nations Commodity Trade Statistics Database (UN Comtrade)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This data source could be used to assess global progress on trends concerning trade in tobacco and tobacco products

¹ This includes data in the WHO Global Health Observatory, on WHO website accompanying the successive reports on the global tobacco epidemic by WHO, and in the country sign-off sheets used for collecting information about policies applied by the WHO Member States (and WHO FCTC Parties).

² Not a United Nations entity, but due to the use of this data by WHO, the dataset could also be considered for use for the purposes of measuring progress in the implementation of the WHO FCTC.

³ We will continue assessing the potential of any new data that might be collected in the future by UNIDO for the purposes of assessing global progress in implementation of the WHO FCTC.

ANNEX 2

PROPOSED REVISED REPORTING INSTRUMENT OF THE WHO FCTC

The present Annex contains:

- 1. Questions for the proposed revised reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC to be completed by the Parties in the successive WHO FCTC reporting cycles. The proposal focuses on the content of the questions; their format may vary depending on the new online reporting platform.*
- 2. A list of items/questions/indicators for which information is collected by WHO as part of the data collection process for WHO reports on the global tobacco epidemic. It is proposed that this information also be used to assess global progress in implementation of the Convention, thus ensuring that the same information is not collected twice from the Parties.*

1. The questions for the proposed revised reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC are:

Question number	Question	Reference
A	Name of reporting Party:	
B	Information on the national contact responsible for completing the report: Name: Title: Institution: Website of institution: Mailing address: Telephone number: Email:	
C	Information on the national contact responsible for submitting the report on behalf of the government: Name: Title: Institution: Website of institution: Mailing address: Telephone number: Email:	
D	Reporting period covered in the report: From: year <i>[drop-down]</i> To: year <i>[drop-down]</i>	
Article 2: Relationship between this Convention and other agreements and legal instruments		
1	Since the submission of your previous report, have you adopted or implemented any forward-looking measures that could be said to be contemplated by Article 2.1 “measures that go beyond this Convention and its protocols” (e.g. tobacco-free generation or other strategies)? 1 Yes 2 No	Art. 2.1
2	If yes to adopting or implementing measures that could be said to be contemplated by Article 2.1. Please provide details on the forward-looking measures that you have adopted or implemented since the submission of your previous report that could be said to be contemplated by Article 2.1 “measures that go beyond this Convention and its protocols” (e.g. tobacco-free generation or other strategies). Please specify proposed date(s) for implementation: <i>[Free-text answer]</i> <i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i>	Art. 2.1

Question number		Question	Reference
Guiding principles; Article 5: General obligations; also in reference to Article 4.7 and products on national market			
3		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 5 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 5
		<p>If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 5:</p>	
4		<p>What is the status of your current national tobacco control plan or strategy?</p> <p>1 No current plan or strategy 2 Regarding the current plan or strategy: a. the first national tobacco control plan or strategy is being developed b. A plan or strategy has been in place for several years and is currently being implemented c. A new plan or strategy is being developed d. There is a newly adopted plan or strategy in place 3 Other (please specify)</p>	Art. 5.1
	4a	<p>If status is other than “no current plan or strategy” above:</p> <p>Is your national tobacco control plan or strategy costed?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Global Strategy (GS) ¹ : 1.1.1 and 3.2.3
		If yes to having a costed plan or strategy:	

¹ Global Strategy to Accelerate Tobacco Control: Advancing Sustainable Development through the Implementation of the WHO FCTC 2019–2025.

Question number		Question	Reference
	4a1	<p>Is your costed national tobacco control plan or strategy fully funded?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	GS: 1.1.1 and 3.2.3
	4a2	<p>Please attach your costed national tobacco control plan or strategy:</p> <p><i>File upload:</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	GS: 1.1.1 and 3.2.3
5		<p>Since your previous report, have you included civil society members who are not affiliated with the tobacco industry, in the development and implementation of national tobacco control approaches?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 4.7 and GS: 2.2.1
6		<p>Please provide the national government's estimated expenditure on tobacco control, for the latest year available, in your country's currency:</p> <p>Expenditure: <i>[number]</i> Currency: <i>currency [drop-down]</i> Year: <i>year [drop-down]</i> Don't know:</p>	GS: 1.1.1 and 3.2.3
7		<p>Do you have a focal point (s) for tobacco control?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p> <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Toolkit for Parties to Implement Article 5.2(a) of the WHO FCTC for guidance on answering this section.</p>	Art. 5.2.a
8		<p>Do you have a national multisectoral coordinating mechanism for tobacco control?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p> <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Toolkit for Parties to Implement Article 5.2(a) of the WHO FCTC for guidance on answering this section.</p>	GS: 3.2.2

Question number	Question	Reference
	If yes to having a national multisectoral coordinating mechanism for tobacco control:	
8a	<p>Is your national multisectoral coordinating mechanism for tobacco control financed?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p> <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Toolkit for Parties to Implement Article 5.2(a) of the WHO FCTC for guidance on answering this section.</p>	GS: 3.2.2
8b	<p>Is your national multisectoral coordinating mechanism for tobacco control functional?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p> <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Toolkit for Parties to Implement Article 5.2(a) of the WHO FCTC for guidance on answering this section.</p>	GS: 3.2.2
8c	<p>Please provide details on the national multisectoral coordinating mechanism for tobacco control (e.g. description of the national coordinating mechanism, frequency of meetings, membership of the national coordinating mechanism, the institution that houses or hosts its secretariat):</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p> <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Toolkit for Parties to Implement Article 5.2(a) of the WHO FCTC for guidance on answering this section.</p>	GS: 3.2.2
8d	<p>Since your previous report, have you included civil society who are not affiliated with the tobacco industry in your national multisectoral coordinating mechanism for tobacco control?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p> <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Toolkit for Parties to Implement Article 5.2(a) of the WHO FCTC for guidance on answering this section.</p>	Art. 4.7 and GS: 3.2.2

Question number	Question	Reference
9	<p>Is tobacco control or WHO FCTC implementation included in your current bilateral agreement (e.g. country cooperation strategy, bilateral cooperation strategy) with WHO?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes 2. No 3. No current bilateral agreement with WHO 4. Not applicable 	GS: 2.1.1
10	<p>Do you use any of the following to fund tobacco control activities?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 License fees for tobacco retailing, distribution, etc. 2 Tobacco product registration fees 3 Fines for non-compliance with tobacco control measures 4 Designated tobacco taxes (earmarking) 5 Other fees for the tobacco industry (please specify) 	Art. 5 and Art. 26.2 and Art. 6 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 5)
11	<p>Do you have a comprehensive set of national laws, legislation, or regulations that specifically address tobacco control?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 5.2.b
	<p>If yes to having a comprehensive set of national laws, legislation, or regulations that specifically address tobacco control:</p>	
11a	<p>What year was the most recent tobacco control law, legislation or regulation adopted or amended?</p> <p><i>Year [drop-down].</i></p>	Art. 5.2.b
11b	<p>Since your previous report, what is the status of your current comprehensive set of national legislation, laws or regulations on tobacco control?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Policy changes are being discussed 2 A draft law is being developed 3 Draft legislation has been developed and is currently being consulted on 4 Draft legislation is currently pending in the national legislature 5 There is a new, comprehensive law in place 6 Regulations are being developed 7 The law is being implemented 8 Other (please specify) 	Art. 5.2.b

Question number		Question	Reference
	11c	<p>Please upload a copy of your comprehensive set of national laws, legislation or regulations that specifically address tobacco control.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i></p> <p><i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 5.2.b
	11d	<p>Do any of the measures implemented at the national level covered under the following articles provide for a specific mechanism/infrastructure for enforcement?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Article 6 2. Article 8 3. Article 11 4. Article 13 5. Article 15 6. Article 16 7. Other (please specify) 	Art. 5.2.b and Art. 20.4.a
	11e	<p>If yes to having specific mechanisms/infrastructure for enforcement for any articles in the above question or other:</p> <p>Please share details on any of these specific mechanisms/infrastructures for enforcement:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 5 and Art. 20.4.a
12		<p>Are any of the following products legally available on your national market, whether for general sale or only under specific circumstances?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, they are available; no, they are not available; no, they are banned</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless tobacco products 2 Water pipe tobacco 3 Electronic nicotine delivery systems (ENDS) 4 Electronic non-nicotine delivery systems (ENNDS) 5 Heated tobacco products (HTPs) 6 Nicotine pouches 	Art. 5; Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)

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13		<p>Are these products regulated in your laws or regulations?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, they are regulated; yes, they are partially regulated; no, they are not regulated; not applicable</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless tobacco products 2 Water pipe tobacco 3 Electronic nicotine delivery systems (ENDS) 4 Electronic non-nicotine delivery systems (ENNDS) 5 Heated tobacco products (HTPs) 6 Nicotine pouches 	Art. 5; Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
14		<p>If yes to having any of the products regulated in laws and regulations:</p> <p>Please upload a copy of laws or regulations that regulate these products.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple for each yes above).</i></p> <p><i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 5 and Art. 20.4.a; Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
Article 5.3: Protection of public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry			
15		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 5.3 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 5.3
	If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 5.3:		
	15a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes to the implementation of Article 5.3 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 5.3
	15b	<p>If any of the significant changes to the implementation of Article 5 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 5.3

Question number		Question	Reference
16		<p>Have you raised awareness among the public and all branches of government in the past two years about the following:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate responses for each of the below: raised awareness among the public; raised awareness among all branches of government; raised awareness among both the public and all branches of government; neither of these</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The addictive and harmful nature of tobacco products 2 Tobacco industry interference with Parties' tobacco control policies 3 The tobacco industry's practice of using individuals, front groups and affiliated organizations to act on their behalf (to further the interests of the tobacco industry) 4 The true purpose and scope of activities described as socially responsible performed by the tobacco industry 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendations 1 and 6.1)
17		<p>Have you established measures to limit unnecessary interactions between government bodies and persons working for these bodies with the tobacco industry?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 2.1)
18		<p>Have you had any interactions with the tobacco industry <u>necessary for effective regulation of the industry and its products</u> since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 2.1)
	18a	<p>If yes to having any interactions with the tobacco industry <u>necessary for effective regulation of the industry and its products</u> since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p>Did you take the following measures to ensure transparency in necessary interactions with the tobacco industry since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Conducted interactions in public, such as through public hearings 2 Provided public notice of interactions 3 Disclosed records of interactions to the public such as <u>posting [records/minutes] of meetings</u> on a government website 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 2.2)

Question number		Question	Reference
19		<p>Since the submission of your previous report, whether or not you accepted or rejected them, were you offered any of the following partnerships or arrangements with the tobacco industry?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Non-binding or non-enforceable agreement with the tobacco industry 2 Voluntary arrangement with the tobacco industry 3 Tobacco industry participation in youth, public education or any initiatives related to tobacco control 4 Voluntary code of conduct or instrument drafted by the tobacco industry 5 Proposed tobacco control legislation or policy drafted by or in collaboration with the tobacco industry 6 Any other partnership with the tobacco industry 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 3)
	19a	<p>If you answered yes to any of the previous options; since the submission of your previous report, have you taken any action to reject the partnerships or arrangements offered by the tobacco industry?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, a partnership was rejected; no, a partnership was accepted, endorsed or supported</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Non-binding or non-enforceable agreement with the tobacco industry 2 Voluntary arrangement with the tobacco industry 3 Tobacco industry participation in youth, public education or any initiatives related to tobacco control 4 Voluntary code of conduct or instrument drafted by the tobacco industry 5 Proposed tobacco control legislation or policy drafted by or in collaboration with the tobacco industry 6 Any other partnership with the tobacco industry 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 3)

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20	<p>Have you adopted any of the following measures to avoid conflict of interest, including government officials, employees, consultants and contractors?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Policy on disclosure and management of conflicts of interest for persons involved in tobacco control policies 2 Code of conduct for public officials prescribing standards for dealings with the tobacco industry 3 Ban on awarding of contracts for any work related to tobacco control policies to candidates who have conflicts of interest 4 Policy to require public officials who have been involved in tobacco control policies to inform their institutions about any intention to engage in any occupational activity with the tobacco industry within a specified period 5 Policy to require applicants for government positions related to tobacco control policies to declare any current or previous occupational activity with the tobacco industry 6 Requirement on government officials to declare and divest themselves of direct interests in the tobacco industry 7 Ban/restriction on government institutions and their bodies from having any financial interest in the tobacco industry 8 Ban on any person employed by the tobacco industry or any front group to be a member of any government body, committee or advisory group involved in tobacco control or public health policy 9 Ban on nomination of any person employed by the tobacco industry or front group to serve on delegations to meetings of the Conference of the Parties (COP) or its subsidiary bodies 10 Ban on any public official or government employee to accept payments, gifts or services, monetary or in-kind, from the tobacco industry 11 Ban on contributions from the tobacco industry or any front group to political parties, candidates or campaigns 	<p>Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 4)</p>
21	<p>If no to ban on contributions from the tobacco industry or any front group to political parties, candidates or campaigns (#11 above):</p> <p>Do you require full disclosure of contributions to political parties, candidates or campaigns from the tobacco industry or any front group?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	<p>Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 4.11)</p>

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22	<p>Do you require the tobacco industry to periodically submit information on the following to relevant authorities?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, not applicable</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Tobacco production and manufacture 2 Market share 3 Marketing expenditures 4 Revenues 5 Lobbying 6 Philanthropy and corporate social responsibilities activities 7 Political contributions 8 Any other activities not prohibited or not yet prohibited under Article 13 of the Convention 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendations 5.1 and 5.2)
23	<p>Do you require the disclosure or registration of the following to relevant authorities?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Tobacco industry entities 2 Organizations affiliated with the tobacco industry 3 Individuals acting on behalf of the tobacco industry, including lobbyists 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 5.3)
24	<p>Is your government required to impose penalties on the tobacco industry if they issue or communicate false or misleading information to government or the public?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 5.4)
25	<p>Have you adopted measures to ensure public access to a wide range of information on tobacco industry activities, such as in a public repository (e.g. a dedicated webpage or an open-access website)?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 12.c and Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 5.5)
26	<p>Do you prohibit acceptance by any branch of government contributions (e.g. financial, community, etc.) from the tobacco industry or those working to further its interests?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 6.4)

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27		<p>Have you taken any action to remove or prohibit the granting of incentives, privileges, benefits or preferential tax exemptions to the tobacco industry?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art.5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 7.1)
28		<p>Do you have any wholly or partially State-owned tobacco industry operating in your country?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 8)
	<p>If yes to wholly or partially State-owned tobacco industry operating in your country:</p>		
	28a	<p>Do you treat a state-owned tobacco company in the same way that you treat a non-State-owned tobacco company or companies in the setting and implementation of tobacco control policy?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 8.1)
	28b	<p>Do you separate the setting and implementing of tobacco control policy from overseeing and managing the tobacco industry?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 8.2)
	28c	<p>Do you prohibit representatives of State-owned tobacco industry from being members of delegations to meetings of the Conference of the Parties and its subsidiary bodies?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 8.3)
29		<p>Have you taken any of the following measures to monitor and enforce implementation of Article 5.3?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <p>1 Monitoring the tobacco industry, such as through a database on tobacco industry monitoring 2 “Whistleblower” protection in code of conduct or staff regulations 3 Complaint procedures such as an ombudsperson system 4 Measures to establish criminal/civil (including administrative) liability in relation to the implementation of Article 5.3</p>	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendations on “Enforcement and monitoring”)

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30	<p>Do the measures or actions referred to [in this Article 5.3 section] apply to the electronic nicotine delivery systems/electronic non-nicotine delivery systems (ENDS/ENNDS) industry?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 Yes, partially 3 No</p>	Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
Article 6: Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco		
31	<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 6 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 6
	If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 6:	
31a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 6 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 6
31b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 6 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 6
32	<p>Do you have tax policies and, where appropriate, price policies on tobacco products so as to contribute to the health objectives aimed at reducing tobacco consumption?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 6.2.a and GS: 1.1.2
33	<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to Article 6. Where documents are voluminous, please upload only the applicable sections of laws and regulations relevant to Article 6.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 6 and Art. 20.4.a

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Article 8: Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke		
34	<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 8 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 8
	If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 8:	
34a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 8 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 8
34b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 8 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 8
35	<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to Article 8.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 8 and Art. 20.4.a
Article 9: Regulation of the contents of tobacco products		
36	<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 9 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 9
	If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 9:	
36a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 9 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 9
36b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 9 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 9

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37		<p>For each of the following tobacco products, do you require testing and measuring of emissions?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless 2 Cigarettes 3 Rolling tobacco for cigarettes 4 Waterpipe tobacco 5 Heated tobacco products 6 Other smoked tobacco products (please specify) 7 Other (please specify) 	Art. 9
	37a	<p>If yes to requiring the testing and measuring of the emissions of tobacco products (yes to any of the above):</p> <p>Do you require the use of a laboratory approved by your government for testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 9 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 2.5)
38		<p>For each of the following tobacco products, do you require the testing and measuring of contents?</p> <p>Please select the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless tobacco 2 Cigarettes 3 Rolling tobacco for cigarettes 4 Waterpipe tobacco 5 Heated tobacco products 6 Other smoked tobacco products (please specify) 7 Other (please specify) 	Art. 9
	38a	<p>If yes to requiring the testing and measuring of the contents of tobacco products (yes to any of the above):</p> <p>Do you require the use of a laboratory approved by your government for testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 9 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 2.5)

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39		<p>For each of the following tobacco products, do you regulate emissions (e.g. set maximum limits)?</p> <p>Please select the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless tobacco 2 Cigarettes 3 Rolling tobacco for cigarettes 4 Waterpipe tobacco 5 Heated tobacco products 6 Other smoked tobacco products (please specify) 7 Other (please specify) 	Art. 9
	39a	<p>If yes, to regulating the emissions of tobacco products:</p> <p>For each of the following emissions, please indicate whether it is regulated in tobacco products:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, don't know</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Nicotine 2 NNK 3 NNN 4 Acetaldehyde 5 Acrolein 6 Benzene 7 Benzo[<i>a</i>]pyrene 8 1,3-Butadiene 9 Carbon monoxide 10 Formaldehyde 	Art. 9; Document FCTC/COP/6/14 (Table 3)
40		<p>Do you regulate the contents of tobacco products?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 9

Question number	Question	Reference
	<p>If yes to regulating the contents of tobacco products:</p> <p>40a</p> <p>Do you ban menthol in the following tobacco products?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless tobacco 2 Cigarettes 3 Rolling tobacco for cigarettes 4 Waterpipe tobacco 5 Heated tobacco products 6 Other smoked tobacco products (please specify) 7 Other (please specify) <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the products listed above:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Complete ban 2 Partial ban 3 No ban 4 This tobacco product is not legally sold on the national market 	<p>Art. 9 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 3.1.2.2)</p>
	<p>Do you ban menthol analogues, precursors and derivatives in the following tobacco products?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless tobacco 2 Cigarettes 3 Rolling tobacco for cigarettes 4 Waterpipe tobacco 5 Heated tobacco products 6 Other smoked tobacco products (please specify) 7 Other (please specify) <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the products listed above:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Complete ban 2 Partial ban 3 No ban 4 This tobacco product is not legally sold on the national market 	<p>Art. 9 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 3.1.2.2)</p>

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	40c	<p>Do you ban “<u>other flavours</u>” in the following tobacco products?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless tobacco 2 Cigarettes 3 Rolling tobacco for cigarettes 4 Waterpipe tobacco 5 Heated tobacco products 6 Other smoked tobacco products (please specify) 7 Other (please specify) <p>Note: by “<u>other flavours</u>” we mean flavours other than menthol and menthol analogues, precursors and derivatives</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the products listed above:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Complete ban 2 Partial ban on some specific flavours 3 Only some specific flavours are allowed 4 No ban 5 This tobacco product is not legally sold on the national market 	Art. 9 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 3.1.2.2)
	40d1	<p>If yes, to a partial ban on some specific flavours for any of the above tobacco products:</p> <p>Please give details on the <u>specific flavours that are banned</u> in tobacco products:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 9 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 3.1.2.2)
	40d2	<p>If yes, to only some specific flavours are allowed for any of the above tobacco products:</p> <p>Please give details on the <u>specific flavours that are allowed</u> in tobacco products:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 9 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 3.1.2.2)

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	40e	<p>Do you ban other ingredients that may be used to increase the attractiveness/palatability or that may be used to mask tobacco harshness (e.g. sugars, sweeteners), in the following tobacco products?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smokeless tobacco 2 Cigarettes 3 Rolling tobacco for cigarettes 4 Waterpipe tobacco 5 Heated tobacco products 6 Other smoked tobacco products (please specify) 7 Other (please specify) <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the products listed above:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Complete ban 2 Partial ban 3 No ban 4 This tobacco product is not legally sold on the national market 	<p>Art. 9 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 3.1.2.2)</p>
41		<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to Article 9.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i></p> <p><i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	<p>Art. 9 and Art. 20.4.a</p>
Article 10: Regulation of tobacco product disclosures			
42		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 10 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	<p>Art. 10</p>
		<p>If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 10:</p>	
	42a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 10 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	<p>Art. 10</p>
	42b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 10 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	<p>Art. 10</p>

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43		<p>Do you require manufacturers or importers of tobacco products to disclose information about the emissions of tobacco products to governmental authorities?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 10
	43a	<p>If yes to requiring emissions information disclosure to the government:</p> <p>Do you disclose information about the toxic emissions in tobacco products to the public in a meaningful way (that is in a way that may be understood by the public)?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 10 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 2.7)
44		<p>Do you require manufacturers or importers of tobacco products to disclose information about the contents of tobacco products to governmental authorities?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 10
	44a	<p>If yes to requiring contents information disclosure to the government:</p> <p>Do you disclose the information reported about the toxic constituents in tobacco products to the public in a meaningful way (that is in a way that may be understood by the public)?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 10 and the Partial guidelines for implementation of Art. 9 and 10 (Recommendation 2.7)
45		<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to Article 10.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 10 and Art. 20.4a
ENDS/ENNDS: regulation of the product contents and product disclosures			
46		<p>Do you require the emissions of ENDS/ENNDS to be tested and measured?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, not on national legal market</p> <p>1. ENDS 2. ENNDS</p>	Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)

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47		<p>Do you require the contents of ENDS/ENNDS to be tested and measured?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, not on national legal market</p> <p>1. ENDS 2. ENNDS</p>	Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
48		<p>Do you require manufacturers or importers of ENDS/ENNDS products to disclose information about the emissions of ENDS/ENNDS products to governmental authorities?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, not on national legal market</p> <p>1. ENDS 2. ENNDS</p>	Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
49		<p>Do you require manufacturers or importers of ENDS/ENNDS products to disclose information about the contents of ENDS/ENNDS products to governmental authorities?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, not on national legal market</p> <p>1. ENDS 2. ENNDS</p>	Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
50		<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to ENDS/ENNDS contents, emissions and disclosures regulations.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 20.4a; Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
Article 11: Packaging and labelling of tobacco products			
51		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 11 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 11
	<p>If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 11:</p> <p>51a</p>	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 11 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 11

Question number		Question	Reference
	51b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 11 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 11
52		<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to Article 11.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i></p> <p><i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 11 and Art. 20.4.a
Article 12: Education, communication, training and public awareness			
53		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 12 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 12
		If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 12:	
	53a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 12 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 12
	53b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 12 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 12
54		<p>In the past two years, has there been any anti-tobacco media campaign in your country, at the national or subnational level, that has?</p> <p>Please choose the appropriate response for each item: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Aired on television 2. Aired on radio 3. Displayed on billboards, transit or other outdoor advertising 4. Published in press (e.g. newspapers) 5. Published on social media 6. Published on a website 7. Other ads on the internet 8. Other (please specify) 	Art. 12.a and 12.b

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54a		<p>Please provide the name of one of your <u>best</u> anti-tobacco mass media campaigns in the past two years. Indicate websites or other details and upload the campaign materials used if available:</p> <p><i>Campaign name: free-text answer</i> <i>Campaign dates: from-to</i> <i>Campaign details: free-text answer</i> <i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p> <p>Note: Allow entry for multiple campaigns if needed.</p>	Art. 12.a and 12.b
54b		<p>If yes to airing any campaign above in the past two years:</p> <p>Did any of the anti-tobacco media campaigns aired in your country in the past two years at the national or subnational level cover the topics below:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Health risks of tobacco consumption 2 Health risks of exposure to tobacco smoke 3 Addictiveness of tobacco consumption 4 Benefits of tobacco cessation 5 Information on help to quit tobacco use (e.g. promotion of the quit line) 6 A national quit tobacco use month or day 7 Quit and Win tobacco cessation campaign/competition 8 Tobacco industry efforts to interfere with tobacco control policies 9 Adverse environmental consequences of tobacco agriculture, production and/or consumption 10 Adverse economic consequences of tobacco agriculture, production and/or consumption 11 Tobacco free generation 12 Other (please specify) 	Art. 12.a, 12.b, 12.c and 12.f

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	54c	<p>If yes to airing any campaign above:</p> <p>Were any of the anti-tobacco media campaigns at the national or subnational level, that aired in your country in the past two years:</p> <p>Please choose the appropriate response for each item: yes, no, don't know</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Adapted from campaigns developed in other countries? 2 Guided by research? 3 Subject to pre-testing? 4 Subject to monitoring? e.g. to measure reach and awareness? 5 Subject to evaluation? e.g. to measure impacts on beliefs, intentions behaviour? 	Art. 12
	54c1	<p>If yes to research, pre-testing, monitoring, or evaluation:</p> <p>Please briefly describe the process that was used to adapt, research, pre-test, monitor and evaluate the best anti-tobacco mass media campaign you ran in the past two years:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i> <i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 12
55		<p>In the past two years, have there been any of the following behavioural interventions at the national or subnational level?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each item: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Behaviour change intervention to support cessation of tobacco use (e.g. incentives to quit) 2 Behaviour change intervention among a specific population to support cessation of tobacco use 3 Behaviour change intervention to reduce exposure of non-smokers (e.g. children) to tobacco smoke 4 Other (please specify) 	Art. 12
	55a	<p>Please briefly give details on the behavioural intervention that you ran at the national or subnational level in the past two years:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i> <i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 12

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56		<p>In the past two years, have any of the following groups received training or specialized sensitization and awareness programmes on tobacco control?</p> <p>Note: this excludes tobacco cessation training and training that is received as part of pre-qualification curricula, e.g. nursing training</p> <p>Please choose the appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Physicians 2 Other health workers 3 Community workers 4 Social workers 5 Media professionals 6 Educators 7 Decision makers 8 Administrators and fiscal, customs, and justice officials 9 Other (please specify) 	Art. 12.d
57		<p>Are you aware of any youth, public education or other initiatives organized or promoted by the tobacco industry in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 3.2)
	57a	<p>If yes to being aware of any youth, public education or other initiatives organized or promoted by the tobacco industry in your country:</p> <p>Have you made any efforts to counter these tobacco industry initiatives in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes, through legal instruments 2 Yes, through communication (e.g. countered in a press release) 3 Yes, other effort (please specify) 4 No 	Art.12 and Art. 5.3 and its Guidelines for implementation (Recommendation 3.2)
Article 13: Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship			
58		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 13 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 13

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		If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 13:	
58a		<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 13 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 13
58b		<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 13 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 13
59		<p>Are you precluded by your constitution or constitutional principles from undertaking a comprehensive ban on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 13.2, 13.3 and Art. 21.1.e
59a		<p>If they are precluded due to constitution:</p> <p>Do you have restrictions on <u>all</u> tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 13.3 and Art. 21.1.e
59b		<p>If all/part of tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship are precluded due to constitution, please upload copy of the constitution/documents. Where documents are voluminous, please upload only the applicable sections of constitution/documents relevant to the preclusion.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 13.2, 13.3 and Art. 21.1.e
60		<p>Do you ban cross-border tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?</p> <p>Please select the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <p>1 In-flowing advertising, promotion and sponsorship (entering your territory)? 2 Out-flowing advertising, promotion and sponsorship (originating from your territory)?</p>	Art. 13.2, 13.3 and Art. 21.1.e

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61		<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to Article 13.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i></p> <p><i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 13 and Art. 20.4.a
Article 14: Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation			
62		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 14 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p>	Art. 14
		If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 14:	
62a		<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 14 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 14
62b		<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 14 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 14
63		<p>Is there a telephone quitline number in your country?</p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p>	Art. 14.1 and its Guidelines for implementation (on quitlines)
63a		<p>If yes to having a telephone quitline number:</p> <p>Does the telephone quitline number have the features below?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <p>1 National coverage</p> <p>2 Free to call or “toll-free”</p> <p>3 Callers speak to a live person</p> <p>4 Proactive quit line, makes planned calls to people who use tobacco</p>	Art. 14.1 and its Guidelines for implementation (on quitlines)

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64	<p>Are any of the novel approaches below used in your country to deliver behavioural support to quit tobacco use?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Internet based behavioural support 2 Mobile phone text messaging behavioural support 3 Smartphone applications 4 Artificial Intelligence (AI) technology based behavioural support 5 Other (please specify) <p>Note: “Behavioural support”: support, other than medications, aimed at helping people stop their tobacco use. It can include all cessation assistance that imparts knowledge about tobacco use and quitting, provides support and teaches skills and strategies for changing behaviour.</p>	Art 14.1 and its Guidelines for implementation (on novel approaches)
65	<p>To what extent, if at all, is training on tobacco cessation included in the curricula of each of the following health professional training schools?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: all or majority of schools, most schools, some schools, no schools</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Medical 2 Dental 3 Nursing 4 Pharmacy 5 Other (please specify) 	Art. 14.2.c and its Guidelines for implementation (on training of health-care workers)
66	<p>Is it mandatory to record tobacco use in all medical notes?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All medical notes 2 Some medical notes 3 None 	Art. 14.2.a and its Guidelines for implementation (on integrating brief advice into health-care systems)
67	<p>Is brief advice to stop using tobacco provided in health clinics or other primary care facilities?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes, in most 2 Yes, in some 3 None <p>Note: “Brief advice” – advice to stop using tobacco, usually taking only a few minutes, given to all tobacco users, usually during the course of a routine consultation or interaction.</p>	Art. 14.2.a and its Guidelines for implementation (on integrating brief advice into health-care systems)

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68		<p>Is tobacco cessation support offered in the following places in your country?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, in most; yes, in some; none</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Health clinics or other primary care facilities 2 Hospitals 3 In the community 4 Offices of other healthcare professionals 	Art. 14.2.b and its Guidelines for implementation (on cessation support)
	68a	<p>If yes to tobacco cessation support offered in the places above (answer for each place where it is offered):</p> <p>Is the tobacco cessation support offered in the following places covered by the national/federal health insurance or the national health service in your country?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: Fully, partially, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Health clinics or other primary care facilities 2 Hospitals 3 In the community 4 Offices of other healthcare professionals 	14.2.b and its Guidelines for implementation (on cessation support)
69		<p>Can the following pharmaceutical products for the treatment of tobacco dependence be legally purchased in your country?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Nicotine replacement therapy (NRT, e.g. patch, gum, lozenge, spray or inhaler) 2 Bupropion 3 Varenicline 4 Cytisine 5 Other (please specify) 	Art. 14.2.d

Question number		Question	Reference
69a		<p>If nicotine replacement therapy (NRT, e.g. patch, gum, lozenge, spray or inhaler) is legally available:</p> <p>Where and how can nicotine replacement therapy (NRT, e.g. patch, gum, lozenge, spray or inhaler) legally be purchased?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Pharmacy with a prescription 2 Pharmacy without a prescription 3 General store or shop (e.g. supermarket, corner shop) 4 On the Internet 5 Other 	Art. 14.2.d
69b		<p>If nicotine replacement therapy (NRT, e.g. patch, gum, lozenge, spray or inhaler) is legally available:</p> <p>Does the national/federal health insurance or the national health service cover the cost of nicotine replacement therapy (NRT, e.g. patch, gum, lozenge, spray, or inhaler)?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Fully 2 Partially 3 No 	Art. 14.2.d
69c		<p>If bupropion is legally available:</p> <p>Where and how can bupropion legally be purchased?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Pharmacy with a prescription 2 Pharmacy without a prescription 3 General store or shop (e.g. supermarket, corner shop) 4 On the Internet 5 Other 	Art. 14.2.d
69d		<p>If bupropion is legally available:</p> <p>Does the national/federal health insurance or the national health service cover the cost of bupropion?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Fully 2 Partially 3 No 	Art. 14.2.d

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69e		<p>If varenicline is legally available:</p> <p>Where and how can varenicline legally be purchased?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Pharmacy with a prescription 2 Pharmacy without a prescription 3 General store or shop (e.g. supermarket, corner shop) 4 On the Internet 5 Other 	Art. 14.2.d
69f		<p>If varenicline is legally available:</p> <p>Does the national/federal health insurance or the national health service cover the cost of varenicline?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Fully 2 Partially 3 No 	Art. 14.2.d
69g		<p>If cytisine is legally available:</p> <p>Where and how can cytisine legally be purchased?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes/no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Pharmacy with a prescription 2 Pharmacy without a prescription 3 General store or shop (e.g. supermarket, corner shop) 4 On the Internet 5 Other 	Art. 14.2.d
69h		<p>If cytisine is legally available:</p> <p>Does the national/federal health insurance or the national health service cover the cost of cytisine?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Fully 2 Partially 3 No 	Art. 14.2.d

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70		<p>Are any of the following tobacco cessation medicines on the essential drugs list in your country?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Nicotine replacement therapy (NRT, e.g. patch, gum, lozenge, spray or inhaler) 2 Bupropion 3 Varenicline 4 Cytisine 5 Other (please specify) 	Art. 14.2.d
71		<p>Has your country developed and disseminated tobacco cessation clinical treatment guidelines?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No <p>Note: Treatment guidelines are systematically developed statements to help service managers, practitioners and patients to make decisions about appropriate treatment for tobacco dependence and cessation. They are aimed principally at those who will develop, manage and provide cessation support to tobacco users.</p>	Art. 14.1 and its Guidelines for implementation (on development of national treatment guidelines)
	71a	<p>If yes to having tobacco cessation clinical treatment guidelines:</p> <p>Please upload a copy of the tobacco cessation clinical treatment guidelines.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 14.1 and its Guidelines for the implementation (on development of national treatment guidelines)
72		<p>Has your country developed and disseminated a national tobacco cessation strategy?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No <p>Note: National cessation strategies – to promote tobacco cessation and provide tobacco dependence treatment, aimed principally at those responsible for funding and implementing policies and programmes.</p>	Art. 14.1 and its Guidelines for implementation (on development of national cessation strategy)

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	72a	<p>If yes to having a national tobacco cessation strategy:</p> <p>Please upload a copy of the national tobacco cessation strategy.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i></p> <p><i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Article 14.1 and its Guidelines for implementation (on development of national cessation strategy)
	72b	<p>Does your national cessation strategy include cessation of ENDS use?</p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p>	Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
Article 15: Illicit trade in tobacco products; Article 6.2b			
73		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 15 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1. Yes</p> <p>2. No</p>	Art. 15
		If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 15:	
	73a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 15 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 15
	73b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 15 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 15
74		<p>Do you require the application of any markings to units of tobacco packaging, including any outside packaging?</p> <p>1 Yes</p> <p>2 No</p>	Art. 15.2

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	If yes to requiring the application of any markings to units of tobacco packaging:	
74a	<p>Do the markings that you require to be applied to units of tobacco packaging, including any outside packaging?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Assist in determining the origin of the product? 2 Assist in determining whether the product is legally for sale on the domestic market? 3 For units 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? 4 Carry markings unique to each unit of tobacco packaging (e.g. each individual pack, carton, mastercase, or pallet) to allow the movement of the tobacco product to be traced and monitored through the supply chain? 5 Assist in determining the point of diversion and monitor the movement of the product? 	Art. 15.2
74b	<p>Do you require that markings applied to each unit of tobacco packaging be?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 In legible form 2 In the principal language(s) of the country 	Art. 15.3
75	<p>Do you require customs, tax and other authorities to <u>collect and monitor</u> data on cross-border trade in tobacco products, including illicit trade?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 15.4.a
76	<p>Do your customs, tax and other authorities <u>coordinate and exchange information</u> on cross-border trade in tobacco products, including illicit trade with authorities from other countries?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 15.4.a
77	<p>Do you have legislation to establish conduct such as the non-payment of taxes, smuggling and application of false markings on tobacco products as unlawful conduct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 15.4.b

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78		<p>Do you destroy or dispose of all confiscated tobacco, tobacco products and manufacturing equipment in your country?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 15.4.c
	78a	<p>If yes to destroying/disposing:</p> <p>Do you destroy or dispose of all confiscated tobacco, tobacco products and manufacturing equipment in your country using environmentally friendly methods?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 15.4.c
79		<p>Do you have measures to monitor, document and control the storage and distribution of tobacco products held or moving under suspension of taxes or duties?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 15.4.d
80		<p>Do you have measures to enable authorities to confiscate proceeds derived from illicit trade in tobacco products?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 15.4.e
81		<p>Do your relevant national authorities cooperate and exchange information with each other to combat illicit trade in tobacco products?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 15.6
82		<p>Do your relevant national authorities cooperate with other WHO FCTC Parties and relevant regional and international intergovernmental organizations to combat illicit trade in tobacco products?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 15.6

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83		<p>Do you require a licensing or equivalent approval system for any of the following activities?</p> <p>Please select the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Manufacture of tobacco products 2 Import of tobacco products 3 Export of tobacco products 4 Retailing of tobacco products 5 Wholesaling, brokering, warehousing and distribution of tobacco products 6 Growing of tobacco, except for traditional small-scale growers, farmers and producers 7 Transporting commercial quantities of tobacco products 	Art. 15.7
84		<p>Are sales to international travellers of duty-free tobacco products allowed in stores in your country?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 6.2.b
85		<p>Do you have any information (from sources not affiliated with the tobacco industry) about the estimated percentage of illicit tobacco products on your national tobacco market?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 15.4.a
	85a	<p>If yes to having information on the percentage of illicit tobacco products on the market:</p> <p>What percentage of the national tobacco market are illicit tobacco products estimated to constitute for the most recent available year?</p> <p>Number: (%) Year: drop-down Sources: free-text answer File uploads: source report if available Webpage URL:</p> <p>Note: Allow multiple entry rows for multiple years and sources.</p>	Art. 15.4.a

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86		<p>Do you have any information (from sources not affiliated with commercial and other vested interests related to ENDS/ENNDS, including the tobacco industry and affiliated entities) about the estimated percentage of illicit ENDS/ENNDS on your national ENDS/ENNDS market?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No 3 Not applicable, ENDS/ENNDS are not on the national legal market</p>	Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
	86a	<p>If yes to having information on the ENDS/ENNDS illicit market:</p> <p>What percentage of the national ENDS/ENNDS market are illicit ENDS/ENNDS products estimated to constitute for most recent available year?</p> <p>Number: (%) Year: <i>drop-down</i> Sources: <i>free-text answer</i> File uploads: <i>source report if available</i> Webpage URL:</p> <p>Note: Allow multiple entry rows for multiple years and sources.</p>	Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
87		<p>Do you have aggregate data on seizures of tobacco or nicotine products?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quantity of seizures (e.g. units, kilograms) • Value of seizures • Value of taxes evaded <p>The above will be collected for the product categories below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unmanufactured tobacco (tobacco leaves) • Smoked tobacco products • Smokeless tobacco products • ENDS and ENNDS • Other (e.g. devices, other novel tobacco and nicotine products, e-liquids) <p>Note: To be collected in a data entry table.</p>	Art. 15.4a; Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
88		<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to Article 15.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Weblinks URL:</i></p>	Art. 15 and Art. 20.4.a

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Article 16: Sales to and by minors		
89	<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 16 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 16
If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 16:		
89a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 16 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 16
89b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 16 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 16
90	<p>Do you prohibit the sales of tobacco products to minors in your country?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 16.1
If tobacco sales to minors are prohibited:		
90a	<p>What is the minimum age at which a person may purchase tobacco products?</p> <p>Full legal age: <i>[drop-down menu, no legal age, 0–99].</i></p>	Art. 16.1
90b	<p>Do you require that all sellers of tobacco products place a clear and prominent indicator inside their point of sale about the full legal age for purchasing tobacco products?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 16.1.a
90c	<p>Do you require, in case of doubt, that each seller of tobacco products requests that the purchaser provides appropriate evidence of having reached the full legal age to purchase tobacco products?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 16.1.a

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91	<p>Do you ban the sale of tobacco products in any manner by which they are directly accessible, such as open store shelves?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 16.1.b
92	<p>Do you completely ban the manufacture and sale of imitation of tobacco products (toys, sweets, snacks, etc.)?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: Yes, completely banned; No, not completely banned.</p> <p>1 Manufacture of imitation of tobacco products 2 Sale of imitation of tobacco products</p>	Art. 16.1.c
93	<p>Do you completely ban the sale of tobacco products from vending machines?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 16.1.d and 16.5
94	<p>If there is no complete ban of sale of tobacco products from vending machines in place:</p> <p>Do you ensure that tobacco vending machines are:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <p>1 Not accessible to minors 2 Do not promote the sale of tobacco products to minors</p>	Art. 16.1.d
95	<p>Do you prohibit the free distribution of tobacco products to the following groups?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, not applicable</p> <p>1 Minors 2 People under the legal age to purchase tobacco 3 People who have reached the legal age to purchase tobacco</p>	Art. 16.2
96	<p>Do you ban the sale of single sticks of cigarettes?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 16.3
97	<p>What is the minimum number of cigarettes allowed to be sold in a packet?</p> <p>Enter number: (no minimum, 0–99)</p>	Art. 16.3

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98	<p>Have you established penalties against sellers and distributors in order to ensure implementation of obligations under Article 16.1–16.5 of the WHO FCTC?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, not applicable</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 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 2 Requiring, in case of doubt, that all sellers request that each tobacco purchaser provide appropriate evidence of having reached full legal age 3 Banning the sale of tobacco products in any manner by which they are directly accessible, such as store shelves 4 Prohibiting the manufacture of sweets, snacks, toys or any other objects in the form of tobacco products which appeal to minors 5 Prohibiting the sale of sweets, snacks, toys or any other objects in the form of tobacco products which appeal to minors 6 Ensuring that tobacco vending machines under your jurisdiction are not accessible to minors 7 Ensuring that tobacco vending machines do not promote the sale of tobacco products to minors 8 Prohibit or promote the prohibition of the distribution of free tobacco products to the public and especially minors 9 Prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually 10 Prohibiting the sale of cigarettes in small packets which increase the affordability of such products to minors 11 A total ban on tobacco vending machines 	Art. 16.6
99	<p>Do you prohibit the sales of tobacco products by minors?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 16.7
100	<p>Please upload a copy of laws and regulations relevant to Article 16.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 16 and Art. 20.4.a
Article 17: provision of support for economically viable alternative activities		
101	<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 17 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 17

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		If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 17:	
	101a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 17 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 17
	101b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 17 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 17
102		<p>Are any of the following activities undertaken in your country?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Tobacco growing 2 Tobacco processing 3 Tobacco product manufacturing 4 Small-scale or home industry manufacturing of tobacco products (e.g. bidis, hand-rolled tobacco, etc.) 	Art. 17
103		<p>If there is tobacco growing in the country:</p> <p>Have you implemented programmes or measures in your country to promote economically viable and sustainable alternatives to tobacco growing?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 17

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	103a	<p>If there are programmes or measures to promote economically viable and sustainable alternatives to tobacco growing:</p> <p>What type(s) of mechanisms to support alternative livelihoods to tobacco growing have you implemented?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Rural credit 2 Food acquisition for food security programmes 3 Family farming price assurance 4 Technical assistance and rural extension 5 Agrarian reform and credit 6 Social and economic organization 7 Infrastructure and services 8 Crop and income insurance 9 Cooperatives 10 Promotion activities 11 Other mechanisms to support alternative livelihoods (please specify) <p>Note: See section 4.7 of the Policy options and recommendations articles 17 and 18.</p>	Art. 17 and the Policy options and recommendations for Art. 17 and 18 (Recommendation 4.7)
	103b	<p>Please give or upload any information you may have about mechanisms to support alternative livelihoods that have you implemented (e.g. types of initiative, brief descriptions of initiatives, number of persons covered):</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i> <i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 17
	103c	<p>Are tobacco growers provided with government subsidies (or public funds) to support tobacco growing/cultivation?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 17

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104	<p>If there is tobacco growing, tobacco processing, tobacco manufacturing or small-scale or home industry manufacturing of tobacco products in the country:</p> <p>Have you implemented programmes or measures in your country to promote economically viable and sustainable alternatives for tobacco workers?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p> <p>Note: "A tobacco worker is a person working on a tobacco farm, in tobacco processing, or tobacco or bidi manufacturing, with or without a contractual arrangement based on the labour laws of the country in which s/he is employed".</p>	Art. 17
105	<p>Have you implemented programmes or measures in your country to promote economically viable and sustainable alternatives for tobacco individual sellers?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 17
Article 18: Protection of the environment and the health of persons		
106	<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 18 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 18
If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 18:		
106a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 18 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 18
106b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 18 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 18

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107	<p>If there is tobacco processing and/or growing in the country:</p> <p>Have you implemented programmes or measures in your country that take into consideration the protection of the environment in tobacco cultivation (e.g. measures to address soil degradation due to use of pesticides)?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 18
108	<p>If there is tobacco processing and/or growing in the country:</p> <p>Have you implemented programmes or measures in your country that take into consideration the protection of the health of persons in relation to the environment in tobacco cultivation (e.g. measures to address green tobacco sickness)?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 18
109	<p>If there is tobacco manufacturing and/or small-scale or home industry manufacturing of tobacco products in the country:</p> <p>Have you implemented programmes or measures in your country that take into consideration the protection of the environment in tobacco manufacturing (e.g. measures to address carbon emissions)?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 18
110	<p>If there is tobacco manufacturing and/or small-scale or home industry manufacturing of tobacco products in the country:</p> <p>Have you implemented programmes or measures in your country that take into consideration the protection of the health of persons in relation to the environment in tobacco manufacturing (e.g. measures to address health effects of exposure to tobacco dust)?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 18
111	<p>Have you implemented programmes or measures in your country that take into consideration the protection of the environment and human health in relation to tobacco consumption (e.g. plastics pollution)?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Decision FCTC/COP8(19)

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112		<p>Have you conducted studies or collected data on the following:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no, not applicable</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Prevalence of green tobacco sickness 2 Social impact of tobacco growing (e.g. child labour, conditions of work involved in tobacco growing and production) 3 Extent to which deforestation or forest degradation is due to tobacco cultivation 4 Tobacco product waste 5 Other health/environmental harm related to tobacco cultivation and manufacturing (please specify) 	Art. 18
	112a	<p>If yes to conducting and studies or collecting data on any of the above:</p> <p>Please upload any available documents on the studies or data collected.</p> <p><i>File upload for each item selected (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 18
Article 19: Liability			
113		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 19 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 19
		<p>If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 19:</p>	
	113a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 19 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 19
	113b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 19 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 19

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114		<p>Do you have measures to establish the criminal liability of individuals or corporate entities for any violations relevant to tobacco control?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 19.1
	114a	<p>If yes to having measures to establish the criminal liability of individuals or corporate entities for any violations relevant to tobacco control:</p> <p>Please indicate which of the following measures apply to establishing the criminal liability of individuals or corporate entities for any violations relevant to tobacco control:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <p>1 Tobacco control legislation containing measures for violations of such law 2 Separate criminal liability provisions in relation to tobacco control (arising from law other than the tobacco control legislation)</p>	Art. 19.1
115		<p>Do you have measures or remedies to establish the civil liability of the tobacco industry?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No 3 Other (please specify)</p> <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Article 19 Civil Liability Toolkit for guidance on answering this section.</p>	Art. 19.1

Question number		Question	Reference
115a		<p>If yes to having measures or remedies to establish the civil liability of the tobacco industry:</p> <p>Please indicate which of the following measures or remedies apply to establishing the civil liability of the tobacco industry:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Legislation that allows recovery of tobacco-related health care costs 2 Class action procedures for tobacco-related claims 3 Liability standards that could apply to the manufacture, marketing and supply of tobacco products 4 Tobacco control legislation or general law that applies to the manufacture, supply, and marketing of tobacco products <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Article 19 Civil Liability Toolkit for guidance on answering this section.</p>	Art. 19.1
115b		<p>If yes to having tobacco control legislation or general law that applies to the manufacture, supply, and marketing of tobacco products that apply to establishing civil liability of the tobacco industry:</p> <p>Does your tobacco control legislation or your general law that applies to the manufacture, supply, and marketing of tobacco products include enforcement mechanisms such as fines and injunctions against the tobacco industry for violations of the law?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Article 19 Civil Liability Toolkit for guidance on answering this section.</p>	Art. 19.1

Question number		Question	Reference
	115c	<p>If yes to having tobacco control legislation or general law that applies to the manufacture, supply, and marketing of tobacco products that apply to establishing civil liability of the tobacco industry:</p> <p>Does your tobacco control legislation or your general law that applies to the manufacture, supply, and marketing of tobacco products allow NGOs or the public to support [the enforcement] of tobacco control laws or relevant general laws (e.g. report violations directly via an official mechanism)?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p> <p>Note: You may refer to the WHO FCTC Article 19 Civil Liability Toolkit for guidance on answering this section.</p>	Art. 19.1
116		<p>Since the submission of your previous report, has there been any criminal and/or civil liability action taken, including for compensation where appropriate, against the tobacco industry?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 19.1
	116a	<p>If yes to any criminal and/or civil liability action taken against the tobacco industry since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p>Please give details on any criminal and/or civil liability action taken, including for compensation where appropriate, against the tobacco industry since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i> <i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 19.1
	116b	<p>Since the submission of your previous report, has any legislative, executive, administrative and/or other action been taken against the tobacco industry for full or partial reimbursement of medical, social and other relevant costs related to tobacco use?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 19.1

Question number		Question	Reference
116c		<p>If yes to any legislative, executive, administrative and/or other action taken against the tobacco industry since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p>Please give details on any legislative, executive, administrative and/or other action taken against the tobacco industry for full or partial reimbursement of medical, social and other relevant costs related to tobacco use since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i> <i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 19.1
117		<p>In the past two years, have you provided or made assistance available to other Parties in legal proceedings relating to the civil and criminal liability of the tobacco industry?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 19.3
118		<p>Please provide copies of legislation, regulations, policies or any other instruments relevant to your answers in this Section (Article 19) and indicate the relevant provisions or sections in the space below:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i> <i>File upload (allow multiple).</i> <i>Webpage URL:</i></p>	Art. 19 and Art. 20.4.a
Article 20: Research, surveillance and exchange of information			
119		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 20 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 20
		<p>If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 20:</p>	
	119a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 20 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 20
	119b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 20 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 20

Question number		Question	Reference
120		<p>Have you established or do you provide support for or maintain a national system for monitoring or epidemiological surveillance of:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Patterns of tobacco consumption 2 Determinants of tobacco consumption 3 Health consequences of tobacco consumption 4 Patterns of exposure to tobacco smoke 5 Determinants of exposure to tobacco smoke 6 Health consequences of exposure to tobacco smoke 7 The use of novel and emerging tobacco and/or nicotine products 8 Tobacco-related costs 9 Tobacco-related mortality 10 Tobacco use among pregnant women 11 The use of tobacco cessation services and cessation (e.g. quit rates) 12 Illicit trade in tobacco products 13 Other monitoring and/or surveillance efforts relevant to tobacco control (please specify) 	Art. 20.2 and 20.3.a
	120a	<p>If yes to any monitoring or epidemiological surveillance:</p> <p>Please upload any major monitoring or epidemiological surveillance reports.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple – ask for each yes response above).</i> <i>Webpage URL (allow multiple – ask for each yes response above):</i></p>	Art. 20.2 and 20.3.a
	120b	<p>In the past five years has nationally representative prevalence data for the ADULT POPULATION been collected in your country for the following?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smoked tobacco product use 2 Smokeless tobacco use 3 Waterpipe tobacco use 4 Heated tobacco product use 5 ENDS and/or ENNDS use 6 Other tobacco or nicotine product use (please specify) 	Art. 20.2; Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)

Question number		Question	Reference
120c		<p>Please give details on the survey(s) used to collect data in the ADULT POPULATION in the past five years:</p> <p><i>Allow multiple entry rows:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name of the survey: <i>free-text answer</i> • Link to survey information: <i>free-text answer</i> • Upload survey report/information: <i>document uploads</i> • Does the survey report include a breakdown of prevalence rates by age for males and females separately?: <i>yes, no</i> 	Art. 20.2
120d		<p>In the five years has nationally representative prevalence data for the ADOLESCENT POPULATION been collected in your country for the following?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: <i>yes, no</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Smoked tobacco product use 2 Smokeless tobacco use 3 Waterpipe tobacco use 4 Heated tobacco product use 5 ENDS and/or ENNDS use 6 Other tobacco or nicotine product use (please specify) 	Art. 20.2; Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
120e		<p>Please give details on the survey(s) used to collect data in the ADOLESCENT POPULATION in the past five years:</p> <p><i>Allow multiple entry rows:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name of the survey: <i>free-text answer</i> • Age range of survey: <i>numerical from-to</i> • Link to survey information: <i>free-text answer</i> • Upload survey report/information: <i>document uploads</i> 	Art. 20.2

Question number		Question	Reference
121		<p>Since the submission of your previous report, have you funded and/or supported research that addresses:</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Patterns, determinants, and health consequences of tobacco consumption 2 Patterns, determinants, and health consequences of exposure to tobacco smoke 3 Novel and emerging tobacco or nicotine products 4 Tobacco-related costs 5 Tobacco-related mortality 6 Tobacco use among pregnant women 7 Tobacco dependence and cessation 8 Alternative crops to tobacco 9 Illicit trade in tobacco products 10 Patterns, determinants and health consequences of ENDS or ENNDS use 11 Other research relevant to tobacco control e.g. measuring impact of tobacco control policies or interventions (please specify) 	Art. 20.1; Decision FCTC/COP6(9) and Decision FCTC/COP7(9)
	121a	<p>If yes to any research:</p> <p>Please upload any major research reports since the submission of your previous report.</p> <p><i>File upload (allow multiple – ask for each yes response above).</i></p> <p><i>Webpage URL (allow multiple – ask for each yes response above):</i></p>	20.4.b
122		<p>Have you submitted a Voluntary National Review (VNR) on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	GS: 2.1.1 and 2.1.2

Question number		Question	Reference
	122a	<p>If yes to submit a VNR since the submission of their previous report:</p> <p>Was the information below included in your most recent Voluntary National Review (VNR) on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Target 3.a: Information on progress in strengthening the implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control 2 Indicator 3.a.1: Age-standardized prevalence of current tobacco use among persons aged 15 years and older 3 Information on tobacco control under other SDG targets? (please specify) 	GS: 2.1.1 and 2.1.2
Article 22: Cooperation in the scientific, technical, and legal fields and provision of related expertise			
123		<p>Has there been any significant change in the implementation of Article 22 in your country since the submission of your previous report?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 22
		If yes to any significant change in the implementation of Article 22:	
	123a	<p>Please briefly describe any significant changes in the implementation of Article 22 since the submission of your previous report:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 22
	123b	<p>If any of the significant changes in the implementation of Article 22 have occurred at the level of subnational jurisdictions since the submission of your previous report, please provide details here:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 22
124		<p>In the past two years, have you provided financial assistance to help strengthen the implementation of the WHO FCTC?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 22.2 and Art. 26

Question number		Question	Reference
	124a	<p>If yes to providing financial assistance:</p> <p>In the past two years, to whom did you provide financial assistance to help strengthen the implementation of the WHO FCTC?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Civil society organization 2 International intergovernmental organization 3 Regional intergovernmental organization 4 Party to the WHO FCTC 5 WHO FCTC Knowledge Hub 6 Convention Secretariat 7 WHO 8 Other (please specify) 	Art. 22.2 and Art. 26
125		<p>In the past two years, have you received financial assistance to help strengthen the implementation of the WHO FCTC in your country?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 22.2
	125a	<p>If yes to receiving financial assistance:</p> <p>In the past two years, from whom did you receive financial assistance to help strengthen the implementation of the WHO FCTC in your country?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Civil society organization 2 International intergovernmental organization 3 Regional intergovernmental organization 4 Financial institution 5 Development institution 6 Party to the WHO FCTC 7 WHO FCTC Knowledge Hub 8 Convention Secretariat 9 Philanthropic organization 10 WHO 11 Other (please specify) 	Art. 22.2 and Art. 26

Question number		Question	Reference
126		<p>In the past two years, have you provided technical assistance to help strengthen the implementation of the WHO FCTC?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 22.1
	126a	<p>If yes to providing technical assistance:</p> <p>In the past two years, to whom did you provide technical assistance to help strengthen the implementation of the WHO FCTC?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <p>1 Civil society organization 2 International intergovernmental organization 3 Regional intergovernmental organization 4 Financial institution 5 Development institution 6 Party to the WHO FCTC 7 WHO FCTC Knowledge Hub 8 Convention Secretariat 9 Philanthropic organization 10 Other (please specify)</p>	Art. 22.1
127		<p>In the past two years, have you received technical assistance to help strengthen the implementation of the WHO FCTC in your country?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 22.1

Question number		Question	Reference
	127a	<p>If yes to receiving technical assistance:</p> <p>In the past two years, from whom did you receive technical assistance to help strengthen the implementation of the WHO FCTC in your country?</p> <p>Please choose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Civil society organization 2 International intergovernmental organization 3 Regional intergovernmental organization 4 Financial institution 5 Development institution 6 Party to the WHO FCTC 7 WHO FCTC Knowledge Hub 8 Convention Secretariat 9 Philanthropic organization 10 WHO 11 Other (please specify) 	Art. 22.1
Priorities, constraints, barriers, needs and final comments			
128		<p>What are the priorities for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control in your jurisdiction?</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	

Question number		Question	Reference
129		<p>What, if any, of the following major constraints or barriers to WHO FCTC implementation have you encountered in the past two years?</p> <p>Please chose the most appropriate response for each of the below: yes, no</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Lack of political will 2 Interference by the tobacco industry and its allies 3 Lack of intersectoral or subnational coordination 4 Low priority given to tobacco control 5 Political instability 6 Lack of civil society participation in tobacco control 7 Lack of technical knowledge 8 Lack of financial resources 9 Lack of staff/human resources 10 Lack of or ineffective enforcement 11 Lack of national data or research 12 Lack of awareness of the WHO FCTC among decision-makers 13 Lack of or gaps in national legislation 14 Constraints and barriers related to individual articles (please specify) 15 Other (please specify) 	Art. 21.1.b
	129a	<p>If yes to the tobacco industry being a constraint or barrier to WHO FCTC implementation:</p> <p>Was interference by the tobacco industry and its allies your main barrier to WHO FCTC implementation in the past two years?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	GS: 3.2.4
	129b	<p>If yes to any constraint or barrier to the implementation of the WHO FCTC in the past two years:</p> <p>Were you able to overcome any constraints or barriers to the implementation of the WHO FCTC in your country in the past two years?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Yes 2 No 	Art. 21.1.b

Question number		Question	Reference
	129b1	<p>If yes to overcoming any constraints or barriers in the past two years:</p> <p>Please describe how you overcame any major constraints or barriers to the implementation of the WHO FCTC in your country in the past two years, and, if appropriate, how other Parties might learn from your experience:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 21.1.b
130		<p>Would you benefit from any technical assistance to help implement the WHO FCTC?</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No</p>	Art. 22
	130a	<p>If yes to benefitting from technical assistance:</p> <p>Please describe the technical assistance you could benefit from to help implement the WHO FCTC:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	Art. 22
131		<p>Please provide any other relevant information not covered elsewhere in the reporting instrument that you consider important:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	
132		<p>Please provide any suggestions for further development and revision of the reporting instrument:</p> <p><i>[Free-text answer]</i></p>	

2. A list of items/questions/indicators collected by WHO for the WHO reports on the global tobacco epidemic that could be used to complement information collected from the Parties through the WHO FCTC reporting instrument is provided below. These items/questions/indicators collected by WHO will not be included in the WHO FCTC reporting instrument but, where possible, they will be presented in the WHO FCTC Implementation Database and will be used to assess global progress on implementation of the WHO FCTC.

Article 5 (General obligations)

Regulation of e-cigarettes¹

- National laws or regulations completely ban the sale of e-cigarettes
- Restriction of the availability in the market of e-cigarettes other than a ban on sale, for example, ban on import, distribution, export
- National laws or regulations regulate e-cigarettes (therapeutic/pharmaceutical/medicinal product, tobacco product, consumer product, poison, imitation tobacco product, tobacco-related product, product type not specified above)
- The minimum age of sale
- Regulation of flavours
- E-cigarettes are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on smoke-free environments
- E-cigarette devices are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on health warnings on tobacco packages
- E-liquids for e-cigarettes are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on health warnings on tobacco packages
- E-cigarette devices are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on bans on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship (TAPS)
- E-liquids for e-cigarettes are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on bans on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship (TAPS)

Bans on using e-cigarettes in public places, workplaces and public transport

- Complete bans with no smoking rooms/areas exist in the following places: health-care facilities; educational facilities except universities; universities; government facilities; indoor offices and workplaces; restaurants, cafés, pubs and bars; public transport

Health warnings requirements on e-cigarette packaging

Requirements for the device packaging

- Does the law mandate that health warnings appear on device packaging?

¹ In reference to decisions FCTC/COP6(9) and FCTC/COP7(9). In the data collection of WHO the term “e-cigarettes” is interpreted as including all forms of ENDS and ENNDS.

- What percentage of the principal display areas of the packaging is legally mandated to be covered by health warnings? FRONT AND REAR COMBINED
- Does the law mandate font style, font size and colour for packaging warnings?
- Are the health warnings rotating on packaging?
- Are the health warnings written in the principal language(s) of the country?
- Do the health warnings include a photograph or graphic?
- Do health warnings appear on each package and any outside packaging and labelling used in the retail sale?
- Do health warnings on packages describe the harmful effects of tobacco use on health?
- Does the law mandate specific health warnings on packaging?

Requirements for the cartridge/e-liquid packaging

- Does the law mandate that health warnings appear on cartridge/e-liquid packaging?
- What percentage of the principal display areas of the packaging is legally mandated to be covered by health warnings? FRONT AND REAR COMBINED
- Does the law mandate font style, font size and colour for packaging warnings?
- Are the health warnings rotating on packaging?
- Are the health warnings written in the principal language(s) of the country?
- Do the health warnings include a photograph or graphic?
- Do health warnings appear on each package and any outside packaging and labelling used in the retail sale?
- Do health warnings on packages describe the harmful effects of tobacco use on health?
- Does the law mandate specific health warnings on packaging?

Bans on e-cigarette advertising, promotion and sponsorship

- Bans on devices:
 - National TV and radio
 - Local magazines and newspapers
 - Billboards and outdoor advertising
 - Advertising at point of sale
 - Free distribution
 - Promotional discounts
 - Non-e-cigarette products identified with e-cigarette brand names
 - Brand name of non-e-cigarette products used for e-cigarette products
 - Appearance of e-cigarette brands in TV and/or films (product placement)

- Appearance of e-cigarette products in TV and/or films
- Sponsorship (contributions and/or publicity of contributions)
- Bans on e-liquids:
 - National TV and radio
 - Local magazines and newspapers
 - Billboards and outdoor advertising
 - Advertising at point of sale
 - Free distribution
 - Promotional discounts
 - Non-e-cigarette products identified with e-cigarette brand names
 - Brand name of non-e-cigarette products used for e-cigarette products
 - Appearance of e-cigarette brands in TV and/or films (product placement)
 - Appearance of e-cigarette products in TV and/or films
 - Sponsorship (contributions and/or publicity of contributions)
- ENDS/ENNDS sales restrictions:
 - Law completely bans ENDS/ENNDS vending machines
 - Law bans internet sales of ENDS/ENNDS products
 - Law completely bans imitation of ENDS/ENNDS (candies, toys, sweets, etc.)

Regulation of heated tobacco products (HTPs)

- National laws or regulations completely ban the sale of HTPs
- Restriction of the availability in the market of HTPs other than a ban on sale, (for example, ban on import, distribution, export)
- National laws or regulations regulate HTPs specifically as a smoked tobacco product, as a smokeless tobacco product, as ENDS as an imitation tobacco product, as a novel tobacco product, as cigarettes, as a product type not specified above
- The minimum age at which a person may purchase HTPs
- HTPs are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on smoke-free environments
- Devices are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on health warnings on tobacco packages
- Tobacco inserts are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on health warnings on tobacco packages
- Devices are covered by exactly the same national laws and regulations reported in the section on bans on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship (TAPS)

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Article 6 (Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco)

Tobacco taxation policy and prices

- Price of lowest cost brand of cigarettes: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP) for a pack of 20 cigarettes
- Price of premium brand cigarettes: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP) for a pack of 20 cigarettes
- Most popular brand of cigarettes: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP), factory (gate)/CIF price, specific excise, ad valorem excise; value added tax, import duty, other tax, total tax
- Affordability
 - Percentage of gross domestic product (GDP) per capita required to purchase 100 packs (or 2000 cigarettes) of the most-sold brand of cigarettes (the higher the percentage, the less affordable)
 - Cigarettes are less affordable
 - Cigarettes have become less affordable (trend average)
- Most sold type of smoked tobacco product other than cigarettes: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP), factory (gate)/CIF price, specific excise, ad valorem excise, value added tax, import duty, other tax, total tax
- Most sold type of smokeless tobacco product: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP), factory (gate)/CIF price, specific excise, ad valorem excise, value added tax, import duty, other tax, total tax
- Most sold type of heated tobacco product: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP), factory (gate)/CIF price; specific excise, ad valorem excise, value added tax, import duty, other tax, total tax
- Cheapest type of Electronic Nicotine and Non-nicotine Delivery Systems (ENDS/ENNDS)
 - Closed system – pre-filled cartridges/pods: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP), factory (gate)/CIF price, specific excise, ad valorem excise, value added tax, import duty, other tax total tax
 - Closed system – disposables: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP) factory (gate)/ CIF price, specific excise, ad valorem excise, value added tax, import duty, other tax, total tax
 - Open system – refillable: tax inclusive retail sales price (TIRSP); factory (gate)/CIF price, specific excise, ad valorem excise, value added tax, import duty, other tax, total tax

Supplementary tax information

- Is the excise tax applied uniformly (not tiered)?
- If an ad valorem or mixed excise tax system is applied, is there a minimum specific tax?
- Do you have automatic adjustments to your excise tax rate on regular intervals?
- A minimum price is applied

Annual tax revenues from tobacco products at the national/federal level

- Is tax revenue data for all tobacco products or cigarettes only?
- Year, total excise (specific and ad valorem), value added tax (VAT) and other sales taxes, import duties, other taxes, total, currency

Article 8 (Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke)Smoke-free environments

- Complete smoke-free laws exist in the following places:
 - Health-care facilities (indoor and outdoor)
 - Educational facilities except universities (indoor and outdoor)
 - Universities (indoor and outdoor)
 - Government facilities (indoor and outdoor)
 - Offices and workplaces (indoor and outdoor)
 - Restaurants (indoor and outdoor)
 - Cafés, pubs and bars (indoor and outdoor)
 - Public transport: land transport (trains, taxis, buses, metros and trams), air transport (planes), water transport (boats, ferries and vessels), airports (indoor), indoor waiting areas of public transport (stations, platforms, etc.), outdoor waiting areas of public transport (stations, platforms and bus stops, etc.)
 - Other indoor public places: hotels (main areas and rooms), prisons, shops (supermarkets, other shops, etc.), cultural facilities (museums, libraries and cinemas etc.), private vehicles with children under 18, any other indoor areas
 - Outdoor areas where people cannot choose to change their location (stadiums, seated events and queues)
 - National laws ban tobacco smoking in areas in order to protect children (playgrounds, amusement parks, etc.)
- Subnational laws on smoke-free environments

Enforcement

- Funds dedicated for enforcement
- Complaint system that requires an investigation after a complaint
- Non-smoking signs required in smoke-free places
 - The signs identify a telephone number of other mechanisms for the public to report violations

Penalties

- National law requires fines for violations

- Fines levied on the establishment for not requiring a person to stop smoking where prohibited
- Fines levied on the establishment for not removing ashtrays
- Fines levied on the establishment for not posting the required non-smoking signs
- Fines levied on the smoker for smoking where prohibited

Article 11 (Packaging and labelling of tobacco products)

Health warnings on tobacco packages

Responses for cigarettes, other smoked tobacco and smoked tobacco:

- Does the law mandate that health warnings appear on tobacco packages?
- What percentage of the principal display areas of the package is legally mandated to be covered by health warnings? FRONT AND REAR COMBINED
- What percentage of the principal display areas of the FRONT of the package is legally mandated to be covered by health warnings?
- What percentage of the principal display areas of the REAR of the package is legally mandated to be covered by health warnings?
- Does the law mandate that the warning be placed at the top of the principal display areas of the package?
- Does the law mandate font style, font size and colour for package warnings?
- Are the health warnings rotating on packages?
- Are the health warnings on packages written in the principal language(s) of the country?
- Does the law require that health warnings on packages are not obscured in any way, including by required markings such as tax stamps?
- Do the health warnings on packages include a photograph or graphic?
- Do health warnings appear on each package and any outside packaging and labelling used in the retail sale?
- Does the law on health warnings apply to products whether manufactured domestically, imported, AND for duty-free sale?
- Does the law state that warnings on packages do not remove or diminish the liability of the tobacco industry?
- Do health warnings on packages describe the harmful effects of tobacco use on health?
- Does the law mandate specific health warnings on packages?
- How many health warnings are approved by the law?
- Does the law require or establish fines for violations regarding health warnings on packages?
- Are there any laws requiring that tobacco packaging and labelling do not use misleading terms which imply the product is less harmful than other similar products, such as “low tar”, “light”, “ultra-light”, or “mild”?

- Are there any laws requiring that tobacco packaging and labelling do not use figurative or other signs, including colours or numbers, as substitutes for prohibited misleading terms and descriptors?
- Are there any laws requiring that tobacco packaging and labelling do not use descriptors depicting flavours?
- Does the law ban the display of quantitative information on emission yields (such as tar, nicotine and carbon monoxide) on tobacco packaging, including when used as part of a brand name or trademark?
- Does the law mandate the display of qualitative information on relevant constituents and emissions of tobacco products on tobacco packaging?
 - Does the law mandate that this information is displayed on one or more of the principal display areas (front, rear) of the package?
- Does the law prevent the display of expiry dates on tobacco packaging?
- Is it mandatory for the quit line number to appear on packaging or labelling?
- Does the law mandate plain packaging?

Article 12 (Education, communication, training and public awareness)

Anti-tobacco mass media campaigns

- Name of mass media campaign
- Was this campaign national?
- Was the campaign aired on television and/or radio?
- Before the campaign, was any research about the target audience conducted or used to develop the campaign messages/materials?
- Were the campaign materials tested with the target audience before the campaign was run?
- Did you obtain air time (radio, television) and/or placement (billboards, print advertising, etc.) by purchasing or securing them using either your organization/institution's internal resources or an external media planner or agency?
- Did you, or your media planner/agency, use a monitor to confirm that the campaign materials were used as planned/scheduled on television, radio, print, billboards, internet, etc.?
- Did you work with journalists to gain publicity or coverage in the news for the campaign?
- Was an evaluation done to assess the impact of the campaign?
- Was this campaign part of a comprehensive government tobacco control programme?

Article 13 (Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship)

Bans on direct tobacco advertising

- National TV and radio
- International TV and radio
- Local magazines and newspapers
- International magazines and newspapers
- Billboards and outdoor advertising
- Advertising at point of sale
- Advertising on the internet
- Other direct bans
- Law requires fines for violations of direct advertising bans

Sales restrictions

- Law completely bans tobacco vending machines
- Law bans internet sales of tobacco products
- Law completely bans imitation of tobacco products (candies, toys, sweets, etc.)
- Minimum age at which a person may purchase tobacco products
- National law bans the sale of single sticks of cigarettes
- Minimum number of cigarettes allowed in a pack

Bans on tobacco promotion and sponsorship

- Free distribution
- Promotional discounts
- Non-tobacco products identified with tobacco brand names
- Brand name of non-tobacco products used for tobacco product
- Appearance of tobacco brands in TV and/or films (product placement)
- Appearance of tobacco products in TV and/or films
- Prescribed anti-tobacco advertisements required to be presented before, during or after the broadcasting or showing of any visual entertainment media product that depicts tobacco products, use or images
- Sponsorship (contributions and/or publicity of contributions)

- Ban on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities
 - Prohibiting tobacco companies/the tobacco industry from publicizing their CSR activities
 - Prohibiting entities other than tobacco companies/the tobacco industry from publicizing the CSR activities of the tobacco companies
 - Tobacco companies prohibited from funding or making contributions (including in-kind contributions) to smoking prevention media campaigns, including those directed at youth
- Law explicitly bans tobacco products display at point of sale
- Other indirect bans
- Law requires fines for violations of indirect advertising bans

Subnational laws on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship

Article 20 (Research, surveillance and exchange of information)

Prevalence of tobacco use

Prevalence data from the latest population-based survey published by the country

- Prevalence (%) for male, female and total – Current and daily, for the following:
 - Any tobacco use (smoked or smokeless)
 - Tobacco smoking
 - Cigarette smoking
 - Smokeless tobacco use
 - E-cigarette use

Prevalence data from the latest school-based survey published by the country

- Prevalence (%) for male, female and total – Current and daily, for the following:
 - Any tobacco use (youth)
 - Tobacco smoking (youth)
 - Cigarette smoking (youth)
 - Smokeless tobacco use (youth)
 - E-cigarette use (youth)

WHO comparable estimates of tobacco use among the population aged 15 and over

- Adjusted prevalence (%) for male, female and total – Current and daily, for the following:
 - Any tobacco use (smoked or smokeless)
 - Tobacco smoking
 - Cigarette smoking.

ANNEX 3

**DRAFT DECISION:
IMPROVING THE REPORTING SYSTEM OF THE WHO FCTC**

The Conference of the Parties (COP),

Recalling Article 21 of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control which stipulates that “each Party shall submit to the Conference of the Parties, through the Secretariat, periodic reports on its implementation of this Convention”;

Further recalling decision FCTC/COP1(14), which provided the basis for the reporting arrangements under the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC), as well as decisions FCTC/COP2(9), FCTC/COP3(17), FCTC/COP4(16), FCTC/COP5(11) and FCTC/COP6(15) concerning further development of the reporting instrument;

Noting document FCTC/COP/10/13, which describes experience with the reporting under the Convention and contains a proposal, developed under the guidance of the Bureau, to improve the reporting system of the WHO FCTC;

Noting also document FCTC/COP/10/4, which describes global progress in implementation of the WHO FCTC,

1. **DECIDES:** to adopt the revised reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC, contained in Annex 2 of document FCTC/COP/10/13;
2. **REQUESTS** the Convention Secretariat:
 - (a) to develop a new online reporting platform by incorporating the revised reporting instrument and features to make the platform as user-friendly as possible, and further testing it with the Parties, so that it may be used as of the next reporting cycle;
 - (b) to invite Parties to complete and submit their implementation reports, accordingly, in the period announced by the Convention Secretariat;
 - (c) to collaborate with the World Health Organization (WHO) to obtain data collected for the biennial WHO reports on the global tobacco epidemic to complement the information collected through the reporting instrument of the WHO FCTC in the assessment of progress in implementation of the WHO FCTC by the Parties;
 - (d) to continue reviewing official external sources of data that are relevant to tobacco control, with a view to exploring how such data may best inform the assessment of progress in the implementation of the WHO FCTC by the Parties.

(XXX plenary meeting, XX November 2023)

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