

## REPORTING INSTRUMENT

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

(a) Name of Contracting Party <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	BELGIUM
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(e) Period reported <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	22 January 2004 - 30 October 2007
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;"> Please insert the start – end date for the reporting period. (Day/Month/Year) to (Day/Month/Year) </div>	
(f) Date the report was submitted <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	31 October 2007

## 2. Demographics [Help](#)

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

Year (latest available)	Age groups	Percentage of <i>male</i> population	Percentage of <i>female</i> population	Percentage of <i>total</i> population
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(b) Ethnicity (optional):  [Help](#)

Name of ethnic group	Percentage of total population
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## 3. Tobacco use

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

(a) Smoking tobacco:  
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	Age groups <sup>1</sup> (adults)	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Males</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: <a href="http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemie/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm">http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemie/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm</a>	2004	0.28
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: <a href="http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemie/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm">http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemie/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm</a>	2004	0.045
<b>Females</b>				

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

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

Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemio/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm	2004	0.19
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemio/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm	2004	0.033
<b>Total (males and females)</b>				
Daily smokers <sup>2</sup>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemio/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm	2004	0.23
Occasional smokers <sup>2</sup>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemio/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm	2004	0.039

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

	Age groups <sup>3</sup> (adults)	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
<b>Male smokers<sup>4</sup></b>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemio/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm	2004	
<b>Female smokers<sup>2</sup></b>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemio/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm	2004	
<b>Total smokers<sup>2</sup></b>		The full report of the Belgian HIS can be accessed through the following link: http://www.iph.fgov.be/epidemio/epifr/crospfr/hisfr/table04.htm	2004	

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

	Age group	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
<b>Male</b>				
Daily users				

<sup>3</sup> Preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44, etc.

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

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

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

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

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

Create Youth Group

	Youth groups <sup>5</sup>	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence <sup>6</sup> (%)
Males				
Females				

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

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

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

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

	Domestic production	Exports	Imports
Year (latest available)			
Quantity (specify product and unit; e.g. millions of cigarettes)			

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

- (b) Please provide information regarding duty-free sales volumes, if available.  
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Belgian Administration has no information at its disposal. The required information can be provided by the main tobacco companies in Belgium.

- (c) Seizures of illicit tobacco (ref. **Article 15.4(a)** in accordance with **Article 15.5**)  
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	Year (latest available)	Quantity seized (specify unit, e.g., millions of pieces)
Cigarettes	2006	119 millions of pieces
Other tobacco products (optional; please specify product) :	2006	Nihil

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

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

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

- Excise (1° Cigares : 5,00 pour cent du prix de vente au détail suivant le barème établi par le ministre des Finances ; 2° Cigarettes : 45,84 pour cent du prix de vente au détail suivant le barème établi par le Ministre des Finances ; 3° Tabac à fumer fine coupe destiné à rouler les cigarettes et

autres tabacs à fumer : 31,50 pour cent du prix de vente au détail suivant le barème établi par le Ministre des Finances).

- Special excise (1° Cigares : 5,00 pour cent du prix de vente au détail suivant le barème établi par le ministre des Finances ; 2° Cigarettes : 6,57 pour cent du prix de vente au détail suivant le barème établi par le ministre des Finances ; 3° Tabac à fumer fine coupe destiné à rouler les cigarettes et autres tabacs à fumer : 0,00 pour cent du prix de vente au détail suivant le barème établi par le ministre des Finances).

- Also specific excise and specific special excise.

- VAT (rate of 21 %).

- No import duties.

In matters of taxation for tobacco products, the organic law is the one of 3 April 1997 (available on the Webside <http://www.fisconet.fgov.be>).

(b) Please attach the relevant documentation (ref. **Article 6.3**). (Please provide documentation in one of the six official languages, if available.)  [Help](#)

(c) Please provide retail prices for the three most popular brands of domestic and imported tobacco products in your jurisdiction, and the relevant year (ref. **Article 6.2(a)**).  [Help](#)

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

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

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

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

Article	Pursuant to <b>Article 21.1(a)</b> , have you adopted and implemented legislative, executive, administrative and/or other measures on:	Yes (please attach a brief summary and relevant documentation)	No
<b>Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco</b>			

<b>6.2(b)</b>	Prohibiting or restricting sales to and/or importations by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke</b>		<b>Full/Partial/None</b>	
<b>8.2</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	in indoor workplaces?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- government buildings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- health care facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- educational facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- private workplaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in public transport?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in indoor public places?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- cultural facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- bars and night clubs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	- restaurants	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If you responded "Partial" to the measures outlined in Article 8.2, please provide specific details of the partial ban here: Bars and night clubs of more than 50 m <sup>2</sup> can install a smoking zone on half of the surface of the establishment. Bars and night clubs of less than 50 m <sup>2</sup> can install a smoking zone on the entire surface of the establishment			
<b>Regulation of tobacco product disclosures</b>			
<b>10</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Requiring manufacturers and/or importers of tobacco products to disclose to governmental authorities information about contents?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Illicit trade in tobacco products</b>			
<b>15.2(a)</b>	Requiring marking of packaging to assist in determining the origin of the product?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	and to assist in determining whether the product is legally for sale on the domestic market?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15.3</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Requiring that marking is in legible form and/or appear in its principal language or languages?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15.4(b)</b>	Enacting or strengthening legislation against illicit trade in tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15.4(e)</b>	Enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from the illicit trade?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15.7</b>	Licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Sales to and by minors</b>			
<b>16.1</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specify legal age: 16	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>16.2</b>	Prohibiting or promoting the prohibition of the distribution of free	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	tobacco products to the public and especially minors?		
<b>16.3</b>	Prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually or in small packets?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>16.6</b>	Providing for penalties against sellers and distributors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>16.7</b>	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products by minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Liability</b>			
<b>19.1</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Dealing with criminal and civil liability, including compensation where appropriate?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

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

Article	Have you adopted and implemented legislative, executive, administrative and/or other measures on:	Yes (please attach a brief summary and relevant documentation) <sup>7</sup>	No
<b>Regulation of the contents of tobacco products</b>			
<b>9</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Packaging and labelling of tobacco products</b>			
<b>11.1(a)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>	Requiring that packaging and labelling do not promote a product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)</b>	Requiring that packaging and labelling also carry health warnings describing the harmful effects of tobacco use?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)(i)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)(ii)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings are rotating?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)(iii)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings are large, clear, visible and legible?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.1(b)(iv)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the principal display areas?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

<sup>7</sup> Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if available, and please specify sections of your legislation related to each “yes” response.

<b>11.1(b)(v)</b>	Ensuring that the health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.2</b>	Requiring that packaging and labelling contains information on relevant constituents and emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11.3</b>	Requiring that the warnings and other textual information appear on each unit package, and on any outside packaging and labelling in your principal language or languages?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>			
<b>13.2</b>	Instituting a comprehensive ban of all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	including on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from its territory?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.3</b>	Applying restrictions, in the absence of a comprehensive ban, on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Restricting or instituting a comprehensive ban on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from its territory?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(a)</b>	Prohibiting all forms of tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship that promote a tobacco product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(b)</b>	Requiring that health or other appropriate warnings or messages accompany all tobacco advertising and promotion and sponsorship?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(c)</b>	Restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(d)</b>	Requiring the disclosure to relevant governmental authorities of expenditures by the tobacco industry on advertising, promotion and sponsorship not yet prohibited?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(e)</b>	Restricting tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship on radio, television, print media and other media, such as the Internet?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>13.4(f)</b>	Prohibiting or restricting tobacco sponsorship of international events, activities and/or participants therein?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

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

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

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

	Yes (please attach the relevant documentation) <sup>8</sup>	No
Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 5.1</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If no, have some partial strategies, plans and programmes been developed and implemented? ( <b>Article 5.1</b> )	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

<b>General obligations</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>5.2(a)</b>	A national coordinating mechanism or focal point(s) for tobacco control?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>5.3</b>	Protection of policies from the commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Education, communication, training and public awareness</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>12(a)</b>	Broad access to effective and comprehensive educational and public awareness programmes on the health risks? In Flanders, the Flemish Institute for Health Promotion is responsible for the development of campaign's, materials, training and methodologies to raise awareness and train skills concerning tobacco control. Their main target groups are professionals in schools, companies, social organizations, cultural organizations etc... On a local level, assistance at implementation of these tobacco control programme's is provided by a network of 26 Logo's (Loco-regional health networks). In the French Community, a Website in relation with prevention of tobacco addiction is created in partnership with the Ministry of Education of the French Community.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at adults and/or the general public? The Flemish League against Cancer and the Health Insurance Organizations are responsible for raising public awareness on the negative effects of tobacco, and providing the public with accurate and evidence based information on cessation of smoking and adequate treatment of tobacco dependence.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at children and youth? Yes. Nationwide "Aidons les fumeurs" campaign. In the schools of the French Community an educational equipment exists (DVD's, brochures, etc.). A few programs are also organised in schools, with the participation of specialists on the field (the Belgian Society of lung specialists, for instance).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(b)</b>	Public awareness about the health risks of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke, and about the benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

<sup>8</sup> Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if possible.

<b>12(c)</b>	Public access to a wide range of information on the tobacco industry?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(e)</b>	Awareness and participation of public and private agencies and nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry in developing and implementing intersectoral programmes and strategies for tobacco control? Some organisations are financed by a special fund to thwart tobacco addiction, which implement some actions in different fields: smoking withdrawal programmes, training of health professionals, monitoring of anti tobacco legislation...	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>14.1</b>	Comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices to promote cessation of tobacco use and adequate treatment for tobacco dependence?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>14.2(d)</b>	Facilitation of accessibility and affordability for treatment of tobacco dependence including pharmaceutical products? yes for pregnant women	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>17</b>	Promotion of economically viable alternatives for tobacco workers, growers and, as the case may be, individual sellers? In Belgium, the Regions (Flanders and Walloon Region) are competent to promote economic alternative for tobacco workers and growers, thanks to an European program.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>20.1(a)</b>	Research that addresses the determinants and consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke as well as research for identification of alternative crops?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.4(b)</b>	Updated data from national surveillance programmes? yes, annual data on prevalence	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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

<b>Education, communication, training and public awareness</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>12(d)</b>	Appropriate training or awareness programmes on tobacco control addressed to persons such as health, community and social workers, media professionals, educators, decision-makers, administrators and other concerned persons?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>12(f)</b>	Public awareness of and access to information regarding the adverse health, economic, and environmental consequences of tobacco production and consumption?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

<b>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>14.2(a)</b>	Design and implementation of programmes aimed at promoting the cessation of tobacco use, in such locations as educational institutions, health care facilities, workplaces and sporting environments?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>14.2(b)</b>	Diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence and counselling services on cessation of tobacco use in national health and education programmes, plans and strategies, with the participation of health workers, community workers and social workers?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>14.2(c)</b>	Establishment in health care facilities and rehabilitation centres of programmes for diagnosing, counselling, preventing and treating tobacco dependence?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Protection of the environment and the health of persons</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>18</b>	Due regard to the protection of the environment and the health of persons in relation to the environment in respect of tobacco cultivation and manufacture within its territory?	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Help</a>		
<b>20.1(b)</b>	Training and support for all those engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.2</b>	Programmes for national, regional and global surveillance of the magnitude, patterns, determinants and consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.3(a)</b>	A national system for epidemiological surveillance of tobacco consumption and related social, economic and health indicators?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.4</b>	The exchange of publicly available scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information, as well as information regarding practices of the tobacco industry and the cultivation of tobacco?	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>20.4(a)</b>	An updated database of laws and regulations on tobacco control, and information about their enforcement, as well as pertinent jurisprudence?	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

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

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

	Assistance provided (please give details below)	Assistance received (please give details below)
Development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control? ( <b>Article 22.1(a)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 22.1(b)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12? ( <b>Article 22.1(c)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistical support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? ( <b>Article 22.1(d)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? ( <b>Article 22.1(e)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? ( <b>Article 22.1(f)</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Other. Specify:		
<p>Additional details:</p> <p>If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.</p> <p>In this kind of sector(s), the Belgian Cooperation does not give any financial or technical assistance in any of our privileged associated developing countries.</p> <p>If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was received/provided.</p>		

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

Assistance provided <input type="checkbox"/> Help	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)	Assistance received	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)
<p>Additional details:</p> <p>If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.</p> <p>In this kind of sector(s), the Belgian Cooperation does not give any financial or technical assistance in any of our privileged associated developing countries.</p> <p>If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was</p>			

received/provided.

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

Yes (please give details below)

No

Additional details:

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

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

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

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

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

**10. Questionnaire feedback**

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

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

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