REPORTING INSTRUMENT OF THE WHO FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON TOBACCO CONTROL

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1. ORIGIN OF THE REPORT

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| 1.5 | Date the report was submitted | 30 th April 2012 | | |

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

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

| 2.1 | PREVALENCE OF TOBACCO USE | | | | | | |
|-------|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| 2.1.1 | Smoking prevalence in the adult population (all) (Please provide prevalence data for total adult population, and identify the age considered, e.g. 15 years old and over, 18-64 years; see 2.1.1.2) | | | | | | |
| | | Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data) | Average number of the most- consumed smoking tobacco product used per day | | | | |
| | MALES | | | | | | |
| | Current smokers | 4.2 % | | | | | |
| | Daily smokers | % | | | | | |
| | Occasional smokers | % | | | | | |
| | Former smokers | % | | | | | |
| | Never smokers | % | | | | | |
| | FEMALES | | | | | | |
| | Current smokers | 1.0 % | | | | | |
| | Daily smokers | % | | | | | |
| | Occasional smokers | % | | | | | |
| | Former smokers | % | | | | | |
| | Never smokers | % | | | | | |
| | TOTAL (males and females) | | | | | | |
| | Current smokers | 2.8 % | | | | | |
| | Daily smokers | 88.5 % | | | | | |
| | Occasional smokers | % | | | | | |
| | Former smokers | % | | | | | |
| | Never smokers | % | | | | | |

| 2.1.1.1 | Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.1: |
|---------|--|
| | Manufactured and hand-rolled cigarettes, bidis, cigars, and/or pipes |
| 2.1.1.2 | Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.1 refer: |
| | 18 years and above |
| 2.1.1.3 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.1: |
| | ITC Bhutan Survey, May 2011. http://www.itcproject.org/documents/keyfindings/itcbhutanreportapr27v20webpdf |
| 2.1.1.4 | Please provide the definitions of "current smoker", "daily smoker", "occasional smoker", "former smoker" and "never smoker" used in this report. |
| | Current smoker is defined as having used smoked tobacco products at least once within the last 30 days |
| | Daily smokers: % smoked tobacco users who smoke daily |
| 2.1.1.5 | Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in smoking prevalence in the adult population in the past two years or since submission of your last report. |
| | |

| 2.1.2 | Smoking prevalence in the adult population (by age groups) (If data are available, please provide prevalence data by age group, and identify the group considered, preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44 years) | | | |
|-------|--|--------------------|---|--|
| | | Age group (adults) | Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data) | |
| | MALES | | | |
| | Current smokers ¹ | | % | |
| | | | % | |
| | Add age group | | % | |
| | | | % | |
| | | | % | |
| | FEMALES | | | |
| | Current smokers ¹ | | % | |
| | SHIOKEIS | | % | |
| | Add age group | | % | |
| | | | % | |
| | | | % | |
| | TOTAL (males and females) | | | |
| | Current smokers ¹ | | % | |
| | SHIOKETS | | % | |
| | Add age group | | % | |
| | | | % | |
| | | | % | |

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

| 2.1.2.1 | Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.2: |
|---------|--|
| 2.1.2.2 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.2: |
| 2.1.2.3 | Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in current smoking prevalence by age group in the past two years or since submission of your last report, if data are available. |

| 2.1.3 | (Please provide pr | keless tobacco use in the adult population (all) revalence data for total adult population, and identify the age 2, e.g. 15 years old and over, 18–64 years; see 2.1.3.2) | | | | |
|-------|---------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | | Prevalence (%) (please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data) | | | | |
| | MALES | | | | | |
| | Current users | 11.1 % | | | | |
| | Daily users | % | | | | |
| | Occasional users | % | | | | |
| | Former users | % | | | | |
| | Never users | % | | | | |
| | FEMALES | | | | | |
| | Current users | 3.6 % | | | | |
| | Daily users | % | | | | |
| | Occasional users | % | | | | |
| | Former users | % | | | | |
| | Never users | % | | | | |
| | TOTAL (males and females) | | | | | |
| | Current users | 7.8 % | | | | |
| | Daily users | 93.0 % | | | | |
| | Occasional users | % | | | | |
| | Former users | % | | | | |
| | Never users | % | | | | |

| 2.1.3.1 | Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.3: |
|---------|---|
| | Snuff, khaini, surti, zarda, etc |
| 2.1.3.2 | Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.3 refer: |
| | 18 years and above |
| 2.1.3.3 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.3: |
| | ITC Bhutan Survey, May 2011. |
| | http://www.itcproject.org/documents/keyfindings/itcbhutanreportapr27v20w ebpdf |
| 2.1.3.4 | Please provide the definitions of "current user", "daily user", "occasional user", "former user" and "never user" (of smokeless tobacco products) used in this report in the space below. |
| | Current user is defined as having used smokeless tobacco products at least once within the last 30 days. |
| | Daily users: % smokeless tobacco users who use smokeless tobacco daily |
| 2.1.3.5 | Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in smokeless tobacco use in the adult population in the past two years or since submission of your last report. |
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| 2.1.4 | Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (current users) by age group (If data are available, please provide prevalence data by age group, and identify the age group considered, preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44 years) | | | | | | |
|-------|--|--------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | | Age group (adults) | Prevalence (%) (please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data) | | | | |
| | MALES | MALES | | | | | |
| | Current users ² | | % | | | | |
| | Add age group | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |
| | FEMALES | | | | | | |
| | Current users ² | | % | | | | |
| | Add age group | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |
| | TOTAL (males and females) | | | | | | |
| | Current users ² | | % | | | | |
| | Add age group | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |
| | | | % | | | | |

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

| 2.1.4.1 | Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in the answer to question 2.1.4: |
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| | |
| 2.1.4.2 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.4: |
| | |
| 2.1.4.3 | Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in current use of smokeless tobacco by adult age groups in the past two years or since submission of your last report. |
| | by addit age groups in the past two years of since submission of your fast report. |

| 2.1.5 | Tobacco use | by ethnic group | (s) | | |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------|--|-------------------|---------------------------|
| | Ethnic group(s) | | Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data) | | |
| | | | Males | Females | Total (males and females) |
| | Current users ³ | | % | % | % |
| | Add ethnic | | % | % | % |
| | group | | % | % | % |
| | | | % | % | % |
| | | | % | % | % |
| 2.1.5.1 Please indicate the tobacco products included in the answer | | in the answer to qu | estion 2.1.5: | | |
| | | | | | |
| 2.1.5.2 | Please in | dicate the age ran | nge to which the data | used to answer qu | estion 2.1.5 refer: |
| | | | | | |
| 2.1.5.3 Please indicate the year and source of the da | | nd source of the data | used to answer que | estion 2.1.5: | |
| | | | | | |

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

| | | | | all smoking or sm | Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data) | | |
|--------|----------------------------|--|------------------------|----------------------|---|--|--|
| | | | Smoking tobacco | Smokeless tobacco | Other tobacco | | |
| | Boys | | | | | | |
| | Current users ⁴ | | % | % | % | | |
| | Add youth | | % | % | % | | |
| | group | | % | % | % | | |
| | | | % | % | % | | |
| | | | % | % | % | | |
| | Girls | | | | | | |
| j | Current users ⁴ | | % | % | % | | |
| | Add youth | | % | % | % | | |
| | group | | % | % | % | | |
| | | | % | % | % | | |
| | | | % | % | % | | |
| | TOTAL (boys and girls) | | | | | | |
| , | Current users ⁴ | | % | % | % | | |
| | Add youth | | % | % | % | | |
| | group | | % | % | % | | |
| | | | % | % | % | | |
| | | | % | % | % | | |
| .1.6.1 | Please i question | | acco products included | in calculating pre | evalence for | | |

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

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| 2.1.6.2 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.6: |
| 2.1.6.3 | Please provide the definition of "current smoking/tobacco use" used to answer question 2.1.6 in the space below. |
| 2.1.6.4 | Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in tobacco use by young persons in the past two years or since submission of your last report. |
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| 2.2 | EXPOSURE TO TOBACCO SMOKE |
| 2.2.1 | Do you have any data on exposure to tobacco smoke in your population? ⊠Yes □No |
| 2.2.2 | If you answered "Yes" to question 2.2.1, please provide details in the space below (e.g. exposure by gender, at home, in the workplace, on public transport). |
| | • Of those respondents that visited a bar in the last 6 months, 73% reported having seen people smoking inside. |
| | • 59% of respondents who visited a restaurant in the last 6 months reported having seen people smoking inside. |
| | • Of those respondents that rode on buses/taxis in the last six months, 30% reported having seen people smoking inside these vehicles. |
| | • Of those respondents that work indoors, one quarter (25%) reported having seen people smoking indoors in the last month |
| 2.2.3 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.2.1: |
| | ITC Bhutan Survey, May 2011. |
| | http://www.itcproject.org/documents/keyfindings/itcbhutanreportapr27v20webpdf |
| 2.3 | TOBACCO-RELATED MORTALITY |
| 2.3.1 | Do you have information on tobacco-related mortality in your population? Yes No |
| 2.3.2 | If you answered "Yes" to question 2.3.1, what is the estimated total number of deaths attributable to tobacco use in your population? |
| 2.3.3 | If available, please provide any additional information on mortality attributable to tobacco use (e.g. lung cancer, cardiovascular diseases) in your jurisdiction. |
| | |
| 2.3.4 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions 2.3.2 and 2.3.3, and please submit a copy of the study you refer to: |
| | |
| 2.4 | TOBACCO-RELATED COSTS |
| 2.4.1 | Do you have information on the economic burden of tobacco use in your population, e.g. the overall cost of tobacco use imposed on your society? Yes No |

| 2.4.2 | If you answered "Yes" to question 2.4.1, please provide details (e.g. direct (health care-related) and indirect costs and, if possible, the method used to estimate these costs). |
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| 2.4.3 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.4.2, and please submit a copy of the study you refer to: |

| 2.5 | | SUPPLY OF TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS (with reference to Articles 6.2(b), 20.4(c), and 15.5) | | | | | |
|-------|--|---|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------|------------|--|
| 2.5.1 | Licit supply of tobacco products | | | | | | |
| | | Product | Unit (e.g. pieces, tonnes) | Domestic production | Exports | Imports | |
| | Smoking tobacco products Add product | | | | | | |
| | Smokeless tobacco products Add product | | | | | | |
| | Other tobacco products Add product | | | | | | |
| | Tobacco | Leaves | | | | | |
| 2.5.2 | Please provide information on the volumes of duty-free sales (e.g. product, unit, quantity), if available. | | | | | act, unit, | |
| 2.5.3 | Please 2.5.2: | indicate the yea | ar and source of the | data used to ans | wer questions | 2.5.1 and | |

| 2.6 | SEIZURES OF ILLICIT TOBACCO PRODUCTS | | | | | |
|-------|---|---------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------|--|
| | (with r | eference to Arti | cle 15.5) | | | |
| 2.6.1 | | Year | Product | Unit (e.g. millions of pieces) | Quantity seized | |
| | Smoking tobacco | 2011 | Cigarette | | 29,505 pkts | |
| | products Add row | 2011 | Bidi | | 8,169 pkts | |
| | Smokeless | 5 | | | | |
| | tobacco products | 2011 | Chewing tobacco | | 16729 pkts | |
| | Add row | | | | | |
| | Other tobacco | 2011 | | | 223.7 kgs | |
| | products Add row | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| 2.6.2 | | u have any infor tional tobacco m | | ntage of smuggled toba] No | acco products on | |
| 2.6.3 | | | ' to question 2.6.2, w obacco products cons | hat percentage of the retitute? % | national tobacco | |
| 2.6.4 | is the | trend over the pa ntage of smuggle | ast two years or since | d you have information submission of your land in relation to the nation | st report in the | |
| 2.6.5 | Please | provide any fur | ther information on i | llicit or smuggled toba | acco products. | |
| 2.6.6 | Please | indicate the sou | arce of the data used t | to answer questions in | section 2.6: | |
| 2.7 | TOBA | CCO-GROWI | NG | | | |
| 2.7.1 | | | rowing in your jurisd | liction? 🗌 Yes 🛛 🖂 | No | |
| 2.7.2 | If you answered "Yes" to question 2.7.1, please provide information on the number of workers involved in tobacco-growing. If available, please provide this figure broken down by gender. | | | | | |
| 2.7.3 | Please provide, if available, the share of the value of tobacco leaf production in the national gross domestic product. | | | | | |
| 2.7.4 | Please | indicate the year | and source of the data | a used to answer question | ons in section 2.7: | |
| | | | | | | |

| 2.8 | TAXATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS | | | | | | | |
|-------|---|--------------------|-------------------|--|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| | (with reference to | Articles 6.2(a) | and 6.3) | | | | | |
| 2.8.1 | What proportion of the retail price of the most popular price category of tobacco product consists of taxes (e.g. sum of excise, sales and import duties (if applicable) and value added tax/goods and services tax (VAT/GST))? | | | | | | | |
| 2.8.2 | How are the excise taxes levied (what types of taxes are levied)? | | | | | | | |
| | • Specif | ic tax only | | Yes | □ No | | | |
| | Ad val | lorem tax only | | Yes | □ No | | | |
| | Combi | ination of specifi | c and ad valorem | taxes Yes | □ No | | | |
| | • More o | complex structure | e (please explain | <i>::</i>) | | | | |
| 2.8.3 | _ | rnment and be as | | exation for tobacco ible (specify the typ | _ | | | |
| | | Product | Type of tax | Rate or amount | Base of tax ⁵ | | | |
| | Smoking tobacco products | | | | | | | |
| | Add product | | | | | | | |
| | 0 11 | | | | | | | |
| | Smokeless tobacco products | | | | | | | |
| | Add product | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | Other tobacco products | | | | | | | |
| | Add product | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2.8.4 | Please briefly describe the trends in taxation for tobacco products in the past two years or since submission of your last report in your jurisdiction. | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2.8.5 | Do you earmark any percentage of your taxation income for funding any national plan or strategy on tobacco control in your jurisdiction? Yes No (In reference to Article 26) | | | | | | | |
| 2.8.6 | If you answered " | 'Yes" to question | 2.8.5, please pro | ovide details in the | space below. | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

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

| 2.8.7 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions 2.8.1 to 2.8.6: |
|-------|--|
| | Tobacco control rules and regulations. http://www.health.gov.bt/downloads/Tobacco_Control_Rules_&_Regulations-2011.pdf |

| 2.9 | PRI | CE OF TOBACO | CO PRODUCT | S | | |
|-------|---|--------------------------|--|------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| | (with reference to Article 6.2(a)) | | | | | |
| 2.9.1 | Please provide the retail prices of the three most widely sold brands of domestic and imported tobacco products at the most widely used point of sale in your capital city. | | | | | |
| | Domestic | Smoking tobacco products | swidely sold bra Smokeless tobacco products | Other tobacco products | Number of units or amount per package | Retail price |
| | In a set of | | | | | |
| | Imported | | | | | |

| 2.9.2 | Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.9.1. |
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| | |
| 2.9.3 | Please provide the currency used to complete the "Rate or amount" section of question 2.8.3 and the "Retail price" section of question 2.9.1. If known, please provide the exchange rate of this currency to US dollars as well as the date of this exchange rate. |
| 2.9.4 | Please briefly describe the trend in the prices of tobacco products in the past two years or since submission of your last report in your jurisdiction. |

3. LEGISLATION, REGULATION AND POLICIES

| 3.1 | Article | GENERAL OBLIGATIONS | | | | |
|---------|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|--|
| | _ | (with reference to Article 5) | | | | |
| 3.1.1 | 5 | General obligations | | | | |
| 3.1.1.1 | 5.1 | Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes in accordance with the Convention? | ⊠ Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.1.1.2 | 5.1 | If you answered "No" to question 3.1.1.1, have you partially developed and implemented tobacco control strategies by including tobacco control in national health, public health or health promotion strategies, plans and programmes? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.1.1.3 | 5.1 | If you answered "No" to question 3.1.1.2, is any aspect of tobacco control that is referred to in the Convention included in any national strategy, plan or programme? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.1.1.4 | 5.2(a) | Have you established or reinforced and finance | ed | | | |
| | | a focal point for tobacco control | Yes Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | a tobacco control unit | ⊠ Yes | □ No | | |
| | | a national coordinating mechanism for tobacco control | ⊠ Yes | □No | | |
| 3.1.1.5 | (e.g. | u answered "Yes" to any of the questions under 3.1 the nature of the national coordinating mechanism, point for tobacco control or the tobacco control un | the institution | | | |
| | the of ti | pacco Control Office under Bhutan Narcotic Co Secretariat to the Tobacco Control Board and the Tobacco Control Act of Bhutan 2010 in clos evant implementing agencies. | implements | the provision | | |
| 3.1.1.6 | Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 5.1 and 5.2 (<i>General obligations</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. | | | | | |
| | | The Parliament has enacted the Tobacco Controllune 2010. | ol Act of Bh | utan 2010 in | | |
| | | A Tobacco Control Board and an office dedicat nas been established under Bhutan Narcotic Co | v | | | |
| | | A demand and supply reduction committee has been constituted from relevant agencies to implement tobacco control activities in Bhutan. | | | | |
| 3.1.1.7 | | u have any relevant information pertaining to but note provide details in the space below. | ot covered in | this section, | | |

| 3.1.2 | 5.3 | Protection of public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: | | | | |
|---------|-----|--|----------------------|---------------|--|--|
| 3.1.2.1 | | protecting public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.1.2.2 | | ensuring that the public has access, in accordance with Article 12(c), to a wide range of information on tobacco industry activities relevant to the objectives of the Convention, such as in a public repository? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.1.2.3 | | f you answered "Yes" to any of the questions underovide details in the space below. | er 3.1.2.1 or 3.1.2. | 2, please | | |
| 3.1.2.4 | | Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 5.3 in the past two years or since submission of your last report. | | | | |
| 3.1.2.5 | | f you have any relevant information pertaining to lease provide details in the space below. | but not covered in | this section, | | |

| 3.2 | Article | MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF DEMAND FOR TOBACCO (with reference to Articles 6–14) | | | | |
|---------|---|--|--------------------|---------------|--|--|
| 3.2.1 | Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provided at the end of the section and attrelevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, of the six official languages.) | | | | | |
| | | Have you adopted and implemented, where executive, administrative or other measures where appropriate, programmes on any of the state o | or have you impl | | | |
| 3.2.1.1 | 6.2(a) | tax policies and, where appropriate, price policies on tobacco products so as to contribute to the health objectives aimed at reducing tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.2.1.2 | 6.2(b) | prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, sales to international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products? | ⊠ Yes | □No | | |
| 3.2.1.3 | | prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, imports by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products? | ⊠ Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.2.1.4 | Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 6 (<i>Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. | | | | | |
| | A person importing tobacco products for personal consumption shall pay 100% sales tax. Imports from third countries are subject to additional 100% custom duty. | | | | | |
| 3.2.1.5 | | ou have any relevant information pertaining to base provide details in the space below. | out not covered in | this section, | | |
| | | | | | | |

| 3.2.2 | 8.2 | Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: | | | | |
|---------|---|--|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 3.2.2.1 | | banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places? | ⊠ Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.2.2.2 | 2.2.2 If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.2.1, what is the type/nature measure providing for the ban? | | | | | |
| | | national law | ∑ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | • subnational law(s) | Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | administrative and executive orders | ⊠ Yes | □ No | | |
| | | voluntary agreements | Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | • other measures (please specify:) | Yes | □No | | |
| 3.2.2.3 | | Please provide a brief explanation of the measures providing for the ban. | type/nature and con- | tent of the | | |
| | | The Act bans smoking in public places in recreation centres, institutions, public go transportations and any other public plathe Tobacco Control Board (Chapter two tobacco smoke", section 3). Most indoor institutions. | ntherings/places, pub ces or areas as may o "Protection from e. | olic be declared by xposure to | | |
| 3.2.2.4 | | If you answered "Yes" to any options in 3.2.2.2, do any of these measures provide for a mechanism/infrastructure for enforcement? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| 3.2.2.5 | | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.2. | 4 please provide deta | ails of this system. | | |
| | | The persons-in-charge of the establishme enforcement personnel are mandated to implement Chapter Two (sections 4 to 1) | supervise, inspect an | | | |

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

¹ except universities

| | Indoor public places: | | | |
|---------|---|--|---|--|
| | cultural facilities | | | |
| | shopping malls | | | |
| | pubs and bars | \boxtimes | | |
| | • nightclubs | \boxtimes | | |
| | • restaurants | \boxtimes | | |
| | • other (please specify:) | | | |
| 3.2.2.7 | Please provide a brief summary of com specific details of the partial measures to | | | rith |
| | Banning tobacco smoking in indoor | or workplaces | | |
| | Section 4 to 10 of the Tobacco Conan identification of a person-in-chasupervisor or a person responsible place or public transport designate measures are effective from 1 st Jan. • The person-in-charge shall displayed prohibited in the area. • The person-in-charge shall superensure that no person smokes in Act. • The person-in-charge who finds of Section 3 shall request the offers smoking and if the offending person-in-charge shall demand the offen. • Where the offending person refusive person-in-charge shall report to enforcement personnel. • The person-in-charge of the hote lodgings shall arrange smoking fappropriate. | arge who is an a for the operation of the operation 3. The uary 2011: The ay notices indicated an authorized of the surface o | owner, man on of the po The following ating smok out measur provisions or efrain from smoke, the place or the place or the ing or leav thouses, in | tager, ablic ing ing is tes to of the avention om e person- ransport. e, the w |
| | Banning tobacco smoking in publications | c transport | | |
| | Same as above | | | |
| | Banning tobacco smoking in indoc | or public places | | |
| | Same as above | | | |
| 3.2.2.8 | Please provide a brief description of the prog (<i>Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke</i>) submission of your last report. | in the past two y | ears or sinc | |
| | The persons-in-charge of the establishments enforcement personnel are mandated to supe | - | - | d |
| | implement Chapter Two (sections 4 to 10). http://www.bnca.gov.bt/themes/acquia_m ontrolNotic-English.pdf | _ | - | |
| 3.2.2.9 | If you have any relevant information pertaini please provide details in the space below. | ng to but not cov | ered in this | section, |

| 3.2.3 | 9 | Regulation of the contents of tobacco products (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: | | | |
|---------|---|---|--------------------|---------------|--|
| 3.2.3.1 | | testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products? | Yes | ⊠ No | |
| 3.2.3.2 | | testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products? | Yes | ⊠ No | |
| 3.2.3.3 | | regulating the contents of tobacco products? | Yes Yes | □ No | |
| 3.2.3.4 | | regulating the emissions of tobacco products? | \(\sum \text{Yes} | □ No | |
| 3.2.3.5 | (Regulation of the contents of tobacco products) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. Section 16 of the Tobacco Control Act of Bhutan, 2010 provides "All tobacco" | | | | |
| | and tobacco products imported for personal consumption shall show printed labels displaying the information on relevant constituents and emissions". | | | | |
| 3.2.3.6 | | f you have any relevant information pertaining to blease provide details in the space below. | but not covered in | this section, | |

| 3.2.4 | 2.4 10 Regulation of tobacco product disclosures | | | | | |
|---------|--|---|-------|------|--|--|
| | (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provided at the end of the section and attach relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available the six official languages.) | | | | | |
| | | Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: | | | | |
| 3.2.4.1 | | requiring manufacturers or importers of tobacco products to disclose to Government authorities information about the: | | | | |
| | | contents of tobacco products? | ⊠ Yes | □ No | | |
| | | emissions of tobacco products? | ⊠ Yes | □No | | |
| 3.2.4.2 | 4.2 – requiring public disclosure of information abo | | | | | |
| | | contents of tobacco products? | Yes | ⊠ No | | |
| | | emissions of tobacco products? | Yes | ⊠ No | | |
| 3.2.4.3 | (, | Please provide a brief description of the progress nanchem Regulation of tobacco product disclosures) in the ubmission of your last report. | | | | |
| 3.2.4.4 | | If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below. | | | | |

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

| 3.2.5.11 | | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.5.10, does the Government own the copyright to these pictures and pictograms? | Yes | □No | |
|----------|--|--|----------------|---------------|--|
| 3.2.5.12 | | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.5.10, would you grant a non-exclusive and royalty-free licence for the use of health warnings developed in your jurisdiction with other Parties? | Yes | □No | |
| 3.2.5.13 | 11.2 | requiring that each unit packet and package of tobacco products and any outside packaging and labelling of such products contain information on relevant constituents and emissions of tobacco products? | ⊠ Yes | □ No | |
| 3.2.5.14 | 11.3 | requiring that the warnings and other textual information appear on each unit packet and package and on any outside packaging and labelling in the principal language or languages of the country? | Yes | □ No | |
| 3.2.5.15 | Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 11 (Packaging and labelling of tobacco products) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. Section 17 of the Tobacco Control Act of Bhutan, 2010 provides "All tobacco products imported for personal consumption shall not promote a tobacco product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression about its characteristics, health effects, hazards or emissions and any other indications that creates the false impression that a particular tobacco product is less harmful than other tobacco products". | | | | |
| 3.2.5.16 | - | u have any relevant information pertaining to or e provide details in the space below. | not covered in | this section, | |
| | | | | | |

| 3.2.6 | 12 | Education, communication, training an | nd public awaren | ess | | |
|---------|-------|--|--------------------|-----------------|--|--|
| | | (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provided brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attathe relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available one of the six official languages.) | | | | |
| | | Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: | | | | |
| 3.2.6.1 | 12(a) | educational and public awareness programmes? (Please refer to programmes implemented since submission of your two-year report.) | ⊠ Yes | □No | | |
| 3.2.6.2 | | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.6.1 targeted? | l, to whom are the | se programmes | | |
| | | adults or the general public | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | children and young people | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | • men | ∑ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | • women | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | pregnant women | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | ethnic groups | Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | • other (please specify:) | Yes | ☐ No | | |
| 3.2.6.3 | | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.6.1 key differences among targeted populatio public awareness programmes? | | _ | | |
| | | • age | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | • gender | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | educational background | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | cultural background | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | socioeconomic status | ∑ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | • other (please specify:) | Yes | ☐ No | | |
| 3.2.6.4 | 12(b) | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.6.1 awareness programmes cover: | , do these educati | onal and public | | |
| | | health risks of tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | health risks of exposure to tobacco smoke? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | 12(f) | adverse economic consequences of | | | | |
| | | - tobacco production? | Yes | ☐ No | | |

| | | - tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
|---------|-------|---|---------|---------|
| | | adverse environmental consequences | of | |
| | | - tobacco production? | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | - tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| 3.2.6.5 | 12(e) | awareness and participation of the follow in development and implementation of in strategies for tobacco control: | ~ ~ | • |
| | | • public agencies? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| | | nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| | | • private organizations? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • other (please specify:)? | Yes | ☐ No |
| 3.2.6.6 | 12 | Are the elaboration, management and implementation of communication, education, training and public awareness programmes guided by research and do they undergo pre-testing, monitoring and evaluation? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| 3.2.6.7 | 12(d) | Are appropriate and special training or ser programmes on tobacco control addressed | | areness |
| | | • health workers? | Yes Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • community workers? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • social workers? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • media professionals? | Yes Yes | □ No |
| | | • educators? | ∑ Yes | □ No |
| | | decision-makers? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | administrators? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • other (please specify:)? | Yes | ☐ No |

| 3.2.6.8 | Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 12 (<i>Education, communication, training and public awareness</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. |
|---------|--|
| | Ministry of Health with support from WHO has been informing and educating on the harm and hazards of tobacco use. Use of both print and broadcast media has been used on a regular basis. Magazines and other local channels have also been used as a medium to disseminate antitobacco information. |
| | Tobacco control is also an agenda of the high level advocacy |
| | World No Tobacco days has been regularly observed with various activities. |
| 3.2.6.9 | If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below. |
| | |

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

| | 13.7 | the same forms of cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship entering your territory for which domestic regulation apply? | Yes | □ No |
|---------|-------------|--|-----|------|
| Pl | ease procee | ed to question 3.2.7.12. | | |
| 3.2.7.3 | 13.2 | If you answered "No" to question 3.2.7.1. are you precluded by your constitution or constitutional principles from undertaking a comprehensive ban on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship? | Yes | □ No |
| 3.2.7.4 | 13.3 | applying restrictions on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship? | Yes | ☐ No |
| 3.2.7.5 | 13.3 | applying restrictions on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory with cross-border effects? | Yes | □No |
| 3.2.7.6 | 13.4(a) | prohibiting those forms of tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship that promote a tobacco product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression about its characteristics, health effects, hazards or emissions? | Yes | □ No |
| 3.2.7.7 | 13.4(b) | requiring that health or other appropriate warnings or messages accompany all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship? | Yes | □ No |
| 3.2.7.8 | 13.4(c) | restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public? | Yes | □ No |
| 3.2.7.9 | 13.4(d) | requiring the disclosure to relevant Government authorities of expenditures by the tobacco industry on advertising, promotion and sponsorship not yet prohibited? | Yes | ☐ No |

| 3.2.7.10 | 13.4(e) | restricting tobacco advertising, promot | romotion and sponsorship on: | |
|--|---|---|------------------------------|------|
| | | • radio? | Yes | □No |
| | | • television? | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • print media? | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • the domestic Internet? | Yes | □No |
| | | • the global Internet? | Yes | □No |
| | | • other media (<i>please specify:</i>)? | Yes | ☐ No |
| 3.2.7.11 | 13.4(f) | 13.4(f) – restricting tobacco sponsorship of: | | |
| | | international events and activities? | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • participants therein? | Yes | ☐ No |
| Whether you answered "Yes" or "No" to question 3.2.7.1, are you: | | | | |
| 3.2.7.12 | 13.6 | cooperating with other Parties in the development of technologies and other means necessary to facilitate the elimination of cross-border advertising? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| 3.2.7.13 | 13.7 | imposing penalties for cross-border advertising equal to those applicable to domestic advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory in accordance with national law? | Yes | □ No |
| 3.2.7.14 | Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 13 (Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. The Royal Bhutan Police have been empowered to assist relevant agencies on prohibition of tobacco advertisement, promotion and sponsorship. Bhuta InfoComm and Media Authority to monitor and take measures on domestic direct and indirect advertisements and promotion. | | | |
| | | | | |
| 3.2.7.15 | If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below. | | | |
| | | | | |

| 3.2.8.1 | 14.1 | Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: | | | |
|---------|---------|--|---------------------|--------------|--|
| | | appropriate, comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices? | | | |
| 3.2.8.2 | 14.1 | programmes to promote cessation of | f tobacco use, incl | ading: | |
| | | media campaigns emphasizing the importance of quitting? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | |
| | | programmes specially designed | for: | | |
| | | underage girls and young women | Yes | ☐ No | |
| | | o women | Yes | □ No | |
| | | o pregnant women | Yes | □ No | |
| | | telephone quitlines | Yes | □ No | |
| | | local events, such as activities related to World No Tobacco Day or National No Smoking Day, if appropriate? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | |
| | | • other (please specify:)? | Yes | ☐ No | |
| 3.2.8.3 | 14.2(a) | design and implementation of progracessation of tobacco use, in such loc | _ | romoting the | |
| | | educational institutions? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | |
| | | health-care facilities? | ∑ Yes | ☐ No | |
| | | • workplaces? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | |
| | | sporting environments? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | |
| | | • other (please specify:)? | Yes | ☐ No | |

| 3.2.8.4 | 14.2(b) | inclusion of diagnosis and treatment counselling services for cessation of programmes, plans and strategies for | f tobacco use in na | tobacco use in national | | |
|---------|---------|---|---------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| | | • tobacco control? | ⊠ Yes | □No | | |
| | | • health? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No | | |
| | | • education? | ⊠ Yes | □No | | |
| 3.2.8.5 | | inclusion of programmes on the diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence in your health-care system? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.2.8.6 | 14.2(b) | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.8 health-care system provide programmes tobacco dependence? | - | | | |
| | | • primary health care | Yes | □No | | |
| | | secondary and tertiary health care | Yes | □ No | | |
| | | • specialist health-care systems (please specify:) | Yes | □ No | | |
| | | specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence | Yes | □ No | | |
| | | • rehabilitation centres | Yes | □No | | |
| | | • other (please specify:) | Yes | □No | | |
| 3.2.8.7 | 14.2(b) | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.8 these settings covered by public funding | - | | | |
| | | primary health care | Fully Parti | ally None | | |
| | | secondary and tertiary health care | ☐ Fully ☐ Parti | ally None | | |
| | | • specialist health-care systems (please specify:) | Fully Parti | ally None | | |

| | | specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence | Fully | Partially | None |
|----------|---------|---|---------|-----------|-----------|
| | | rehabilitation centres | ☐ Fully | Partially | None None |
| | | • other (please specify:) | ☐ Fully | Partially | None None |
| 3.2.8.8 | 14.2(b) | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.8. professionals are involved in programme dependence and counselling services? | | | |
| | | Health professionals including: | | | |
| | | physicians | Y | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • dentists | | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | family doctors | | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | practitioners of traditional medicine | | Yes | □ No |
| | | • other medical professionals (please specify:) | | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • nurses | | Yes | □ No |
| | | • midwives | | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • pharmacists | | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | Community workers | | Yes | □ No |
| | | Social workers | | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | Others (please specify: | | Yes | ☐ No |
| 3.2.8.9 | 14.2(c) | training on tobacco dependence trea curricula of health professional trair levels at the following schools: | | | |
| | | • medical? | | Yes | □ No |
| | | • dental? | | Yes | □ No |
| | | • nursing? | | Yes | □ No |
| | | • pharmacy? | | Yes | □ No |
| | | • other (please specify:)? | | Yes | □ No |
| 3.2.8.10 | 14.2(d) | facilitating accessibility and/or affordability of pharmaceutical | | Yes | □ No |

| | | products for the treatment of tobacco dependence? | | | | | |
|----------|---|---|-------|-----------|------------|---------|------------|
| 3.2.8.11 | 14.2(d) | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.8.10, where and how can these products be legally purchased in your country? | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 3.2.8.12 | 14.2(d) | If you answered "Yes" to question 3. products are legally available for the your jurisdiction? | | | | | |
| | | nicotine replacement therapy | | | Yes | | ☐ No |
| | | • bupropion | | | Yes | | □ No |
| | | • varenicline | | | Yes | | □ No |
| | | • other (<i>please specify</i> :)? | | | Yes | | □ No |
| 3.2.8.13 | 14.2(d) | If you answered "Yes" to question 3. covered by public funding or reimbur | | | e costs of | fthese | e products |
| | | nicotine replacement therapy | | Fully | ☐ Parti | ally | ☐ None |
| | | • bupropion | | Fully | ☐ Parti | ally | ☐ None |
| | | • varenicline | | Fully | ☐ Parti | ally | None |
| | | • other (<i>please specify</i> :)? | | Fully | ☐ Parti | ally | ☐ None |
| 3.2.8.14 | Art | ase provide a brief description of the progicle 14 (<i>Demand reduction measures constation</i>) in the past two years or since subn | cern | ing tobac | co depen | dence | e and |
| | The Ministry of Health takes the responsibility of educating on the harms of tobacco use. Use of both print and broadcast media has been used for informing about the hazards of tobacco use. IEC materials have been developed and health staffs are trained and counseling services offered through health facilities and rehabilitation centres. | | | | | | |
| | lev inte als | The government is working to further train health workers at a national level in addressing health risks of tobacco use and developing cessation interventions among health and education personnel. The training would also focus on imparting skills needed on counseling and advice to quit tobacco. | | | | | |
| 3.2.8.15 | - | ou have any relevant information pertainings provide details in the space below. | ing t | o but not | covered | in this | s section, |
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| 3.3 | Article | MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF THE SUPPLY OF TOBACCO | | | | |
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| | | (with reference to Articles 15–17) | | | | |
| 3.3.1 | 15 | Illicit trade in tobacco products (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, | | | | |
| 3.3.1.1 | 15.2 | where appropriate, programmes on any of the - requiring marking of all unit packets and packages of tobacco products and any outside packaging of such products to assist in determining the origin of the product? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.3.1.2 | 15.2(a) | requiring marking of all unit packets and packages of tobacco products and any outside packaging of such products to assist in determining whether the product is legally sold on the domestic market? | Yes | □No | | |
| 3.3.1.3 | 15.2(a) | requiring that unit packets and packages of tobacco products for retail and wholesale use that are sold on the domestic market carry the statement: "Sales only allowed in" or carry any other effective marking indicating the final destination of the product? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.3.1.4 | 15.2(b) | developing a practical tracking and tracing regime that would further secure the distribution system and assist in the investigation of illicit trade? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.3.1.5 | 15.3 | requiring that marking is presented in legible form or appears in the principal language and/or languages of the country? | Yes | □No | | |
| 3.3.1.6 | 15.4(a) | requiring the monitoring and collection of data on cross-border trade in tobacco products, including illicit trade? | ⊠ Yes | □ No | | |

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| 3.3.1.7 | 15.4(a) | If you answered "Yes" to question 3.3.1.6, do you facilitate the exchange of this information among customs, tax and other authorities, as appropriate, and in accordance with national law and applicable bilateral and multilateral agreements? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| 3.3.1.8 | 15.4(b) | enacting or strengthening legislation, with appropriate penalties and remedies, against illicit trade in tobacco products, including counterfeit and contraband cigarettes? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| 3.3.1.9 | 15.4(c) | requiring that confiscated manufacturing equipment, counterfeit and contraband cigarettes and other tobacco products derived from illicit trade are destroyed, using environment- friendly methods where possible, or disposed of in accordance with national law? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| 3.3.1.10 | 15.4(d) | adopting and implementing measures to monitor, document and control the storage and distribution of tobacco products held or moving under suspension of taxes or duties? | Yes | □ No |
| 3.3.1.11 | 15.4(e) | enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from illicit trade in tobacco products? | Yes | □ No |
| 3.3.1.12 | 15.6 | - promoting cooperation between national agencies and relevant regional and international intergovernmental organizations in investigations, prosecutions and proceedings, with a view to eliminating illicit trade in tobacco products, with special emphasis on cooperation at regional and subregional levels? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| 3.3.1.13 | 15.7 | licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution in order to prevent illicit trade? | ⊠ Yes | □No |

| 3.3.1.14 | Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 15 (<i>Illicit trade in tobacco products</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. |
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| 3.3.1.15 | If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below. |

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

| 3.3.2.9 | 16.3 | _ | prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually or in small packets? | Yes | ☐ No | |
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| 3.3.2.10 | 16.6 | _ | providing for penalties against sellers and distributors in order to ensure compliance? | ☐ Yes | □ No | |
| 3.3.2.11 | 16.7 | _ | prohibiting the sales of tobacco products by minors? | Yes | ☐ No | |
| 3.3.2.12 | | es to and b | a brief description of the progress mad <i>y minors</i>) in the past two years or since | | | |
| | Sales are not allowed in Bhutan and therefore are no legal sales in the country. The law provides no person in the country to sell or buy any tobacco or tobacco products. | | | | | |
| 3.3.2.13 | If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below. | | | | | |
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| 3.3.3 | 17 | Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, measures or programmes on any of the following: | | | |
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| 3.3.3.1 | 17 | promoting economically viable | e and sustainab | le alternativ | es for: |
| | | • tobacco growers? | Yes | ☐ No | Not applicable ■ |
| | | tobacco workers? | Yes | ☐ No | Not applicable |
| | | • tobacco individual sellers? | Yes | ☐ No | Not applicable |
| 3.3.3.2 | (| Please provide a brief description of (Provision of support for economical two years or since submission of you | ly viable altern | | |
| | The law provides no person in the country to cultivate or harvest tobacconditions. http://www.bnca.gov.bt/themes/acquia_marina/DownloadsBNCA/TobaccontrolNotic-English.pdf | | | | |
| 3.3.3.3 | If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below. | | | | |
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| 3.4 | Article | OTHER MEASURES AND POLICIES (with reference to Articles 18–21) | | | | | |
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| 3.4.1 | 18 | Protection of the environment and the health of persons (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) | | | | | |
| | | Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: | | | | | |
| 3.4.1.1 | 18 | implementing measures in respect of tobacco cultivation within your territory, which take into consideration: | | | | | |
| | | • the protection of the environment? | Yes | □ No | Not applicable | | |
| | | • the health of persons in relation to the environment? | Yes | □ No | Not applicable | | |
| 3.4.1.2 | 18 | implementing measures in respect of tobacco manufacturing within your territory, which take into consideration: | | | | | |
| | | • the protection of the environment? | Yes | □ No | Not applicable | | |
| | | • the health of persons in relation to the environment? | Yes | □ No | Not applicable | | |
| 3.4.1.3 | Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 18 (<i>Protection of the environment and the health of persons</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. | | | | | | |
| | Th | The law provides no person in the country to cultivate or harvest tobacco. | | | | | |
| 3.4.1.4 | | you have any relevant information pertainable ase provide details in the space below. | ning to but | not cover | ed in this section, | | |
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| 3.4.2 | 19 | Liability (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: | | | | |
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| 3.4.2.1 | 19.1 | dealing with criminal and civil liability, including compensation where appropriate? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.4.2.2 | 19.1 | Has any person in your jurisdiction launched any criminal and/or civil liability action, including compensation where appropriate, against any tobacco company in relation to any adverse health effect caused by tobacco use? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.4.2.3 | 19.1 | Have you taken, as appropriate, any legislative, executive, administrative and/or other action against the tobacco industry for full or partial reimbursement of medical, social and other relevant costs related to tobacco use in your jurisdiction? | Yes | □ No | | |
| 3.4.2.4 | Please provide a brief description of any progress made, as appropriate, in implementing Article 19 (<i>Liability</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. | | | | | |
| 3.4.2.5 | | If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below. | | | | |

| 3.4.3 | 20 | Research, surveillance and exchange of informative (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative brief summary in the space provided at the end relevant documentation. Please provide document of the six official languages.) | answers, pleas of the section | and attach the |
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| | | Have you adopted and implemented, where approximately executive, administrative or other measures or where appropriate, programmes on any of the f | have you impl | |
| 3.4.3.1 | 20.1(a) | developing and/or promoting research that add | lresses: | |
| | | determinants of tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | consequences of tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | social and economic indicators related to tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • tobacco use among women, with special regard to pregnant women? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | the determinants and consequences of exposure to tobacco smoke? | ∑ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | identification of effective programmes for the treatment of tobacco dependence? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| | | identification of alternative livelihoods? | Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • other (please specify:) | Yes | ☐ No |
| 3.4.3.2 | 20.1(b) | training and support for all persons engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| 3.4.3.3 | 20.3(a) | a national system for epidemiological surveilla | ance of: | |
| | | • patterns of tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | determinants of tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | consequences of tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | social, economic and health indicators related to tobacco consumption? | ⊠ Yes | □ No |
| | | exposure to tobacco smoke? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | | • other relevant information (<i>please</i> specify:) | Yes | ☐ No |

| 20.3(a) | ITC Bhutan Survey 2009-10. Report available http://www.itcproject.org/documents/keyfindir20webpdf | | |
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| 20.3(a) | | izs, iiconmun | <u>reportapr27v</u> |
| - | In reference to any question under 3.4.3.3, does yo repeat any of the above or to undertake a new toba five years of your last survey? Please provide deta | icco survey wi | thin three to |
| 20.4 | regional and global exchange of publicly available. | able national: | |
| | scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | information on the practices of the tobacco industry? | Yes | ☐ No |
| | information on the cultivation of tobacco? | Yes | ☐ No |
| 20.4(a) | - an updated database of: | | |
| | laws and regulations on tobacco control? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | information about the enforcement of laws on tobacco control? | ⊠ Yes | ☐ No |
| | • pertinent jurisprudence? | Yes | □ No |
| Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 20 (<i>Research, surveillance and exchange of information</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report. | | | |
| If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below. | | | |
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4. INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE

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

| | Article | Pursuant to Article 21.1(c) and in accordance with Article 26, have you either provided or received financial or technical assistance (be it through unilateral, bilateral, regional, subregional or other multilateral channels, including relevant regional and international intergovernmental or nongovernmental organizations and financial and development institutions) for the development and strengthening of multisectoral, comprehensive tobacco control programmes of developing country Parties and Parties with economies in transition in any of the following areas: | Assistance provided | Assistance received |
|-----|---------|---|------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 4.1 | 22.1(a) | development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control? | ⊠ Yes □ No | ⊠ Yes □ No |
| 4.2 | 22.1(b) | provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? | ⊠ Yes □ No | ⊠ Yes □ No |
| 4.3 | 22.1(c) | appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12? | ⊠ Yes □ No | ⊠ Yes □ No |
| 4.4 | 22.1(d) | provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistic support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? | ⊠ Yes □ No | ⊠ Yes □ No |
| 4.5 | 22.1(e) | identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? | ☐ Yes ⊠ No | ⊠ Yes □ No |
| 4.6 | 22.1(f) | promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? | ☐ Yes ⊠ No | ⊠ Yes □ No |
| 4.7 | 7 | f you answered "Yes" to any of questions 4.1–4.6 Parties from which assistance was received or to we rechnical assistance from WHO FCTC, TFI, Weeds assessment for implementation of FCTC | which assistance was WHO SEARO for | as provided. |

| 4.8 | Please provide information about any assistance provided or received in the space below. |
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| 4.9 | If you have not received or provided assistance in any of the aforementioned areas, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration, if appropriate. |
| 4.10 | Have you encouraged relevant regional and international intergovernmental organizations and financial and development institutions in which you are represented to provide financial assistance for developing country Parties and for Parties with economies in transition to assist them in meeting their obligations under the Convention? Yes No (Please refer to Article 26.4.) |
| 4.11 | If you answered "Yes" to question 4.10, please provide details in the space below. |

5. PRIORITIES AND COMMENTS

| 5. P | RIORITIES AND COMMENTS |
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| 5.1 | What are the priorities for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control in your jurisdiction? |
| | Intensify IEC and advocacy, and implement sustained public awareness campaigns |
| | Address the issue of supply reduction and monitoring of illicit trade through relevant enforcement agencies. |
| | Operational research and surveys to strengthen programme understanding and management. |
| | Capacity building at district and national level for effective implementation of Tobacco Control Act and FCTC provisions |
| | Build capacity on tobacco cessation services and establish cessation facilities |
| 5.2 | Have you identified any specific gaps between the resources available and the needs assessed for implementing the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control? ☑ Yes ☐ No |
| 5.3 | If you answered "Yes" to question 5.2, please provide details in the space below. |
| | • Low level of involvement and initiative from the Civil Society Organizations in promoting the implementation of the Convention |
| | • Lack of dedicated budget lines for the implementation of the Convention and tobacco control in the Tobacco Control Office and other implementing agencies |
| | No national system for epidemiological surveillance of tobacco consumption and related social, economic and health indicators. |
| | • Lack of national data on adult tobacco use and burden of disease related with tobacco and direct costs attributable to tobacco use and exposure to tobacco smoke. |
| 5.4 | What, if any, are the constraints or barriers, other than lack of resources, you have |

| | encountered in implementing the Convention? |
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| | (Please refer to Article 21.1(b).) |
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| 5.5 | Please provide any relevant information not covered elsewhere that you consider important. |
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| 5.6 | Your suggestions for further development and revision of the reporting instrument: |
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End of reporting instrument