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B1. TOBACCO CONSUMPTION

Prevalence of tobacco use

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 B112)

Current smokers

	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)	Average number of the most-consumed smoking tobacco product used per day
MALE	29.0	15.9
FEMALE	8.1	12.2
TOTAL (males and females)	17.8	14.9

Daily smokers

	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)	Average number of the most-consumed smoking tobacco product used per day
MALE	26.9	16.6
FEMALE	7.3	13.1
TOTAL (males and females)	16.4	15.7

Occasional smokers

Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)

MALE	2.1
FEMALE	0.9
TOTAL (males and females)	1.4

Former smokers

Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)

MALE 12.0	
FEMALE 3.8	
TOTAL (males and females) 7.6	

Never smokers

Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)

MALE	59.0
FEMALE	88.1
TOTAL (males and females)	74.6

Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question B11:

unspecified

Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question B11 refer:

	From	То
Age range	20	

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B11:

2018

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B11:

National Health and Nutrition in Japan, 2018

Please provide the definitions of "current smoker", "daily smoker", "occasional smoker", "former smoker" and "never smoker" used in this report.

Current smoker
Daily smoker
Daily smoker
Daily smoker
The adult person who smokes everyday
The adult person who sometimes smokes
Former smoker
The adult person who ever smoked and
who has not smoked in the preceding

who has not smoked in the preced

month

Never smoker The adult person who has never smoked

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.

Smoking prevalence in the adult population (by age groups)

(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)

	Range - start age	Range - end age	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)
MALES - current smokers ¹	20	29	26
MALES - current smokers ¹	30	39	37
MALES - current smokers ¹	40	49	37
MALES - current smokers ¹	50	59	35
MALES - current smokers ¹	60	69	31
MALES - current smokers ¹	70		16
FEMALES - current smokers ¹	20	29	11
FEMALES - current smokers ¹	30	39	10
FEMALES - current smokers ¹	40	49	14
FEMALES - current smokers ¹	50	59	10
FEMALES - current smokers ¹	60	69	8
FEMALES - current smokers ¹	70		3
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	20	29	18
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	30	39	23
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	40	49	25
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	50	59	22
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	60	69	19
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	70		9

Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question B12:
unspecified
Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B12: 2018
Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B12: National Health and Nutrition in Japan, 2018
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.
The smoking prevalence shows a sign that the fall is coming to an end. Male 30.2 / Female 8.2 / Toal 18.3 (2016 data)
Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (all) (Please provide prevalence data for total adult population, and identify the age considered in B132, e.g. 15 years old and over, 18–64 years; see B132)
Males
Prevalence (%) (please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)
Females
Prevalence (%)
(please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

TOTAL (males and females)

Prevalence (%)

(please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question B13:

Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question B13 refer:

From To

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B13:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B13:

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

Daily user

Occasional user

Former user

Never user

Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in smokeless tobacco use in the adult population in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (current users) by age group (by age groups)

(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)

Range - start age

Range - end age

Prevalence (%)
(please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)

Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in the answer to question B14:

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B14:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B14:

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.

Smokeless tobacco (chewed or snuffed) is available in Japan.

Tobacco use by ethnic group(s)

(please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

Ethnic MALES - FEMALES - TOTAL (males and females) - group(s) Prevalence (%) Prevalence (%) Prevalence (%)

Please indicate the tobacco products included in the answer to question B15:

Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question B15 refer:

From To

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B15:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B15:

Tobacco use by young persons

(please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

	Age range	SMOKING TOBACCO - Prevalence (%)	SMOKELESS TOBACCO - Prevalence (%)	WATER PIPE - Prevalence (%)
BOYS - Current users	13-15	0.8		
BOYS - Current users	16-18	2.8		
GIRLS - Current users ⁴	13-15	0.6		
GIRLS - Current users ⁴	16-18	1.1		
TOTAL (boys and girls) - Current users	13-15	0.7		
TOTAL (boys and girls) - Current users	16-18	2.0		

Please indicate the tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question B16:

unspecified

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B16: 2017

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B16:

Survey on underage smoking and drinking, 2017

Please provide the definition of "current smoking/tobacco use" used to answer question B16 in the space below.

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.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

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Use of novel and emerging tobacco and nicotine products

	Age range	Heated tobacco products (HTPs) - Prevalence (%)	Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENDS) - Prevalence (%)	Electronic Non- Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENNDS) - Prevalence (%)	Other products - Prevalence (%)
ADULT POPULATION - Males		8.9			
ADULT POPULATION - Females		1.9			

B2-B9. HEALTH, SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Exposure to tobacco smoke

Do you have any data on exposure to tobacco smoke in your population?

Yes ✓

Please provide details in the space below (e.g. exposure by gender, at home, in the workplace, on public transport).

Prevalence of non-smokers who are exposed to secondhand smoke was 11.7% at home, 17.3% at workplace, 26.6% at bar, café or restaurant, 27.3% on the road, 6.3% on public transport.

Prevalence of both smokers and non-smokers who are exposed to secondhand smoke was 15.1% at home, 22.4% at workplace, 28.1% at bar, café or restaurant, 26.5% on the road, 5.8% on public transport.

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B21:

2018

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B21:

National Health and Nutrition in Japan, 2018

Please attach the relevant documentation.

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Tobacco-related mortality

Do you have information on tobacco-related mortality in your population?

Yes ✓

What is the estimated total number of deaths attributable to tobacco use in your population? 128900

If available, please provide any additional information on mortality attributable to tobacco use (e.g. lung cancer, cardiovascular diseases) in your jurisdiction.

Cancer 77.4 thousands deaths
Cardiovascular diseases 33.4 thousands deaths
Respiratory diseases 18.1 thousands deaths

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B32 and 33:

2007

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions B32 and B33: Ikeda N, et al. PLoS Med. 2012;9:e1001160

Please submit a copy of the study you refer to:

IkedaNetal

e1001160

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Tobacco-related costs

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 ✓

Please provide details (e.g. direct (health care-related) and indirect costs and, if possible, the method used to estimate these costs).

4.3 trillion yen

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B42:

2010

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B42: Study of policy for smoking cessation, 2010

Please submit a copy of the study you refer to:

Supply of tobacco and tobacco products

(with reference to Articles 6.2(b), 20.4(c), and 15.5)

Licit supply of tobacco products

	Product	Unit (e.g. pieces, tonnes)	Domestic production	Retail sales	Exports	Imports
Smoking tobacco products	cigarettes	10 billions of pieces	8.2	13.00	3.69	52.44
Smoking tobacco products	cigers	tonnes				717.51
Smoking tobacco products	pipe tobacco	tonnes				21.79
Tobacco leaves	leaves	thousand tonnes	17.00		3.52	32.30

Please provide information on the volumes of duty-free sales (e.g. product, unit, quantity), if available.

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B51 and 52: 2018

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions B51 and B52:

Tobacco Institute of Japan, Trade Statistics of Japan

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Seizures of illicit tobacco products

(with reference to Article 15.5)

Seizures of illicit tobacco

	Year	Product	Unit (e.g. pieces, tonnes)	Quantity seized
Other tobacco products	2017	counterfeit heated tobacco products		
Other tobacco products	2018	counterfeit heated tobacco products		

Do you have any information on the percentage of illicit tobacco products on the national tobacco market?

No 🗙

Please provide any further information on illicit tobacco products.

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions in section B6:

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Tobacco-growing

Is there any tobacco-growing in your jurisdiction?

Yes ✓

Please provide information on the number of workers involved in tobacco-growing. If available, please provide this figure broken down by gender.

4,675 growers (as of the year 2019)

Please provide, if available, the share of the value of tobacco leaf production in the national gross domestic product.

About 0.01%(Domestic production of tobacco leaf is 33.0 billion yen in the FY2018)

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer questions in section B7: 2018

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions in section B7: data by Zenkoku Hatabako Kousakukumiai Tyuokai (National tobacco growers union)

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Taxation of tobacco products

(with reference to Articles 6.2(a) and 6.3)

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))?

63.1

How are the excise taxes levied (what types of taxes are levied)?

Specific tax only Yes

Ad valorem tax only No

Combination of specific and ad valorem taxes No

More complex structure (please explain below) Yes

If a more complex structure of taxes (please explain):

See file Tax on B88

If available, please provide details on the rates of taxation for tobacco products at all levels of Government and be as specific as possible (specify the type of tax, e.g. VAT, sales, import duties)

	Product	Type of tax	Rate or amount	Base of tax ⁵
Smoking tobacco products	cigarettes, cigars and pipe tobacco	excise tax	5,802 yen	thousand pieces *1
Smoking tobacco products	cigarettes, cigars and pipe tobacco	excise tax	820 yen	thousand pieces *1
Smoking tobacco products	cigarettes, cigars and pipe tobacco	excise tax (prefectual)	930 yen	thousand pieces *1
Smoking tobacco products	cigarettes, cigars and pipe tobacco	excise tax (municipal)	5,692 yen	thousand pieces *1
Smoking tobacco products	cigarettes, cigars and pipe tobacco	VAT	10%	retail price
Smoking tobacco products	cigars	customs duty	16%	import price (CIF)
Smoking tobacco products	pipe tobacco	customs duty	29.8%	import price (CIF)
Smokeless tobacco products	chewing tobacco and snuff	excise tax	5,802 yen	thousand pieces *2
Smokeless tobacco products	chewing tobacco and snuff	excise tax	820 yen	thousand pieces *2
Smokeless tobacco products	chewing tobacco and snuff	excise tax (prefectual)	930 yen	thousand pieces *2
Smokeless tobacco products	chewing tobacco and snuff	excise tax (municipal)	5,692 yen	thousand pieces *2
Smokeless tobacco products	chewing tobacco and snuff	VAT	10%	retail price
Smokeless tobacco products	chewing tobacco and snuff	customs duty	3.4%	import price (CIF)

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.

National and local tobacco tax will be raised by 3 yen per cigarette. The tax rate will be raised in three phases, by 1 yen per cigarette in each phase, starting from October 1, 2018. A new tax category will be created for heat-not-burn tobacco products and the taxation system will be revised in consideration of the product characteristics.

(fef.) https://www.mof.go.jp/tax_policy/tax_reform/index.html

Do you earmark any percentage of your taxation income for funding any national plan or strategy on tobacco control in your jurisdiction?

No ×

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer questions B81 to B86:

2019

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions B81 to B86:

The tax rate is based on provisions of relevant domestic laws as of March 31, 2020. *1: One gram of cigars or pipe tobacco is regarded as one piece of cigarette. *2: Two gram of chewing tobacco or snuff is regarded as one piece of cigarette.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

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Price of tobacco products

(with reference to Articles 6.2(a))

Domestic

Please provide the retail prices of the three most widely sold brands of domestic tobacco products at the most widely used point of sale in your capital city.

	Name of the most widely sold brands	Number of units or amount per package	Retail price	Currency
Smoking tobacco products	Seven stars	20	500	JPY
Smoking tobacco products	Mevius One 100s Box	20	480	JPY
Smoking tobacco products	Mevius Super Light	20	480	JPY

Imported

Please provide the retail prices of the three most widely sold brands of imported tobacco products at the most widely used point of sale in your capital city.

	Name of the most widely sold brands	Number of units or amount per package	Retail price	Currency
Smoking tobacco products	Kent 1 100 Box	20	450	JPY
Smoking tobacco products	Marlboro KS Box	20	510	JPY
Smoking tobacco products	Marlboro Menthol 8 Box	20	510	JPY

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B91: 2018

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B91:

FY 2018 sales data by Tobacco Institute of Japan

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.

Retail price of Kent 1 100 Box and Marlboro series, listed in B91B, have been raised to JPY 460 and JPY 520 respectively in October, 2019.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

C1. GENERAL OBLIGATIONS

With reference to Article 5

Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes in accordance with the Convention?

Yes ✓

Have you established or reinforced and financed:

a focal point for tobacco control? Yes

a tobacco control unit? Yes

a national coordinating mechanism for tobacco control? Yes

Please provide details (e.g. the nature of the national coordinating mechanism, the institution to which the focal point for tobacco control or the tobacco control unit belongs).

Tobacco control unit belongs to Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare.

We also have national coodination mechanism of tobacco including different ministries in Japan.

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 5.1 and 5.2 (*General obligations*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

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

Protection of public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry

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:

protecting public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry?

Yes ✓

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?

No **≭**

If you answered "Yes" to any of the questions under C121 or C122, please provide details in the space below (specifically, please refer, if relevant, to whether your government or any of its departments 1) have raised awareness on tobacco industry tactics and the need to prevent interference by the tobacco industry with decision making; 2) have avoided entering into any partnerships or voluntary agreements with the tobacco industry; 3) have established any measures to limit interaction of public officials with the tobacco industry, including in the form of a code of conduct; 4) have not granted any incentives, privileges, benefits or preferential tax exemptions to the tobacco industry to establish or run their business; etc.).

With reference to C121, commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry have been appropriately regulated in Japan by Articles 197.1-197.4, Article 198 of the Penal Code, Articles 21-22.9 of the Political Funds Control Act.

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.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 5.3 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

Yes 🗸

Please provide details in the space below or refer to section I of the additional questionnaire. Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is **voluntary**. https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321?token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

C2. MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF DEMAND FOR TOBACCO

With reference to Articles 6-14

Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco

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:

tax policies and, where appropriate, price policies on tobacco products so as to contribute to the health objectives aimed at reducing tobacco consumption?

Yes ✓

prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, sales to international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?

No 🗙

prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, imports by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?

Yes ✓

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 6 (*Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 6 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

No X

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke

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:

banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places ?

Yes ✓

What is the type/nature of the measure providing for the ban?

national law Yes

subnational law(s) Yes

administrative and executive orders Yes

voluntary agreements Yes

other measures (please specify in C223 below) Yes

Please provide a brief explanation of the type/nature and content of the measures providing for the ban.

The Health Promotion Act has been revised in 2018 to strengthen measures against secondhand smoke. The law provides for indoor smoke-free environments in health care facilities, educational facilities including universities, and government facilities. Violators should be fined. (ref.) http://www.mhlw.go.jp/stf/seisakunitsuite/bunya/0000189195.html

Do any of these measures provide for a mechanism/ infrastructure for enforcement?

Yes ✓

Please provide details of this system.

The revised Health Promotion Act will be fully enforced from April 1, 2020. Violators should be fined.

Please specify the settings and extent/comprehensiveness of measures applied in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places.

Indoor workplaces:

government buildings Complete
health-care facilities Complete
educational facilities
universities Complete
private workplaces Partial
other (please specify below)

Please provide a brief explanation of any "other" policies in the space below

Offices, factories, etc.

(ref.) https://www.mhlw.go.jp/english/policy/health-medical/health/dl/201904kenko.pdf Please refer to the following.

https://translation.mhlw.go.jp/LUCMHLW/ns/tl.cgi/https://www.mhlw.go.jp/content/10900000/000489407.pdf? SLANG=ja&TLANG=en&XMODE=0&XPARAM=q,&XCHARSET=UTF-8&XPORG=,&XJSID=0 https://www.mhlw.go.jp/content/10900000/000482520.pdf

Please specify the settings and extent/comprehensiveness of measures applied in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places.

Public transport:

airplanes Complete
trains Partial
ferries Partial
ground public transport (buses, trolleybuses, trams) Complete
motor vehicles used as places of work (taxis, ambulances, delivery vehicles) Partial
private vehicles None
other (please specify below) Partial

Please provide a brief explanation of any "other" policies in the space below

The revised Health Promotion Act will be fully enforced from April 1, 2020. The above in C226b describes the settings after full enforcement.

In private vicles, smoker(s) must take care to prevent the passenger(s) exposure from secondhand smoke. There are no penalties.

Please specify the settings and extent/comprehensiveness of measures applied in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places.

Indoor public places:

cultural facilities Partial shopping malls Partial pubs and bars Partial nightclubs Partial restaurants Partial other (please specify below) Partial

Please provide a brief explanation of any "other" policies in the space below

The revised Health Promotion Act will be fully enforced from April 1, 2020. The above in C226b describes the settings after full enforcement.

Please provide a brief summary of complete and partial measures, with specific details of the partial measures that have been implemented:

Banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces

Occupational Safety and Health Act was partially revised and enforced. From June 1, 2015, The employer shall endeavor to take necessary measures in order to prevent the passive smoking, considering the circumstances of the said employer and his/her workplace, including indoor workplace.

Banning tobacco smoking in public transport

The revised Health Promotion Act, which will be fully enforced from April 1, 2020, bans smoking inside public transportation in principle. However, if administrator has taken measures to prevent tobacco smoke from leaking, the administrator can set up a smoking room in the rail vehicles and ships.

Banning tobacco smoking in indoor public places

The revised Health Promotion Act, which will be fully enforced from April 1, 2020, bans smoking inside public places in principle. However, if administrator has taken measures to prevent tobacco smoke from leaking, the administrator can set up a smoking room in the facilities.

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 8 (*Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

The Health Promotion Act has been revised in 2018 to strengthen measures against secondhand smoke.

Restrictions on smoking will be implemented in stages. The measures are in place based on types of facilities and areas set up within/outside those facilities. Schools, hospitals, children welfare facilities, and government offices have been entered in force since July 1st, 2019. Other than the above facilities will be enforced from April 1st, 2020.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 8 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

Yes **✓**

If you answered "Yes" to question C229 please provide details in the space below or refer to section B of the additional questionnaire available at this link. Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is **voluntary**. https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321? token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en (https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321? token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en)

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

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Regulation of the contents of tobacco products

Have you	adopted	and implemented,	where	appropriate,	legislative,	executive,	administrative	or other
measures	or have	you implemented,	where	appropriate,	programm	es on any o	of the following	:

testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?

Yes 🗸

testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?

Yes 🗸

regulating the contents of tobacco products?

No 🗙

regulating the emissions of tobacco products?

No 🗙

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 9 (*Regulation of the contents of tobacco products*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

National Institute of Public Health measures the contents and emissions of tobacco products and develops methods of measurements.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Articles 9 and 10 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

Yes ✓

If you answered "Yes" to question C236 please provide details in the space below or refer to section C of the additional questionnaire available at this link. Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is **voluntary**. https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321? token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en (https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321? token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en)

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below (e.g., whether your country 1) has incorporated product regulation in the national tobacco control legislation; 2) has access to either governmental or independent – not owned or controlled by the tobacco industry – laboratories for testing contents and/or emissions of tobacco products; 3) has regulated ingredients, such as flavours (e.g. menthol); 4) has regulated product characteristics, such as design features (e.g., cigarette ventilation); etc.).

Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare sets Technical Committee for Health Risk Assessment of Tobacco.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Regulation of tobacco product disclosures

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:

requiring manufacturers or importers of tobacco products to disclose to Government authorities information about the:

contents of tobacco products? No emissions of tobacco products? Yes

requiring public disclosure of information about the:

contents of tobacco products? No emissions of tobacco products? Yes

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 10 (*Regulation of tobacco product disclosures*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Articles 9 and 10 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

Yes 🗸

If you answered "Yes" to question C244 please provide details in the space below or refer to section C of the additional questionnaire available at this link. Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary. https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321? token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en (https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321? token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en)

Yields of tar and nicotine shall be measured, based on the ISO method and those shall be printed on tobacco packaging.

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below (e.g. whether your country has incorporated tobacco product disclosures in the national tobacco control legislation; has regulated the public disclosure of toxic constituents and emissions of tobacco products, aiming to raise public awareness and advance tobacco control policy; etc.).

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Packaging and labelling of tobacco products

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:

requiring that packaging, individual cigarettes or other tobacco products do not carry advertising or promotion?

No ×

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 🗸

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 🗸

ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?

Yes **✓**

ensuring that the health warnings are rotated?

Yes 🗸

ensuring that the health warnings are clear, visible and legible?

Yes 🗸

Does your law mandate, as a minimum, a style, size and colour of font to render the warning clear, visible and legible?

No **≭**

ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?

Yes 🗸

ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the principal display areas?

Yes ✓

ensuring that health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?

No X

requiring that each unit packet and package of tobacco products and any outside packaging and labelling of such products contain information on relevant:

constituents of tobacco products?

No

emissions of tobacco products?

Yes

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 ✓

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.

Tobacco products will be required to be under the following regulations from April 1, 2020.

- The health warnings occupy no less than 50% of the principal display areas.
- · The Colour of font is black or white.
- · Make the border line thicker for clearness
- · Display the health warnings of prohibition of underage smoking in the principal display areas.
- Add 3(three) types of the health warnings and rotate 11(eleven) types of the health warnings a year.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 11 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

Yes 🗸

If you answered "Yes" to question C2516 please provide details in the space below or refer to section D of the additional questionnaire available at this link. Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary. https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321?token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en (https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321?token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en)

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Education, communication, training and public awareness

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:

educational and public awareness programmes? (*Please refer to programmes implemented since submission of your two-year report.*)

Yes ✓

To whom are these programmes targeted?

adults or the general public

dildren and young people

☑ men

✓ women

pregnant women ethnic groups

other (please specify)

Other

Do you reflect the following key differences among targeted population groups in educational and public awareness programmes?

✓ age

gender

educational background cultural background

socioeconomic status

other (please specify)

Other

Do these educational and public awareness programmes cover:

- ✓ health risks of tobacco consumption?
- ✓ health risks of exposure to tobacco smoke?
- benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles?
- adverse economic consequences of tobacco production? adverse economic consequences of tobacco consumption?
- adverse environmental consequences of tobacco production? adverse environmental consequences of tobacco consumption?

awareness and participation of the following agencies and organizations in development and implementation of intersectoral programmes and strategies for tobacco control:

- nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry?
- private organizations? other (please specify)? Other

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 🗸

Are appropriate and special training or sensitization and awareness programmes on tobacco control addressed to:

- ✓ health workers?
- social workers?
 media professionals?
- ✓ decision-makers?
- administrators?other (please specify)Other

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 12 (*Education, communication, training and public awareness*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Starting the third national health promotion and disease prevention plan (2013~) and "Health Japan 21 (2nd edition)" as a national health promotion policy

Having training sessions for prefectures and city governments on education, communication, training and public awareness

Updating the web-site on tobacco control

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 12 of the WHO FCTC" when developing and implementing policies in this area?

Yes ✓

If you answered "Yes" to question C269 please provide details in the space below or refer to section E of the additional questionnaire available at this link. Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary. https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321? token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en (https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321? token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en)

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Please attach the relevant documentation.

Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, any legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes:

instituting a comprehensive ban on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?

No X

are you precluded by your constitution or constitutional principles from undertaking a comprehensive ban on tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?

Yes ✓

applying restrictions on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?

Yes 🗸

applying restrictions on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory with cross-border effects?

Yes 🗸

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 ✓

requiring that health or other appropriate warnings or messages accompany all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?

Yes **✓**

restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public?

Yes ✓

requiring the disclosure to relevant Government authorities of expenditures by the tobacco industry on advertising, promotion and sponsorship not yet prohibited?

Yes ✓

restricting tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship on:

- ✓ radio?
- ✓ television?
- ✓ print media?

Other

- **☑** the domestic Internet?
- ★ the global Internet?
- other media (please specify below)?

posters, billboard, building and other structures

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restricting tobacco sponsorship of:

✓ international events and activities?

✓ participants therein?

cooperating with other Parties in the development of technologies and other means necessary to facilitate the elimination of cross-border advertising?

No ×

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 ✓

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.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 13 of the WHO FCTC" when developing and implementing policies in this area?

Yes ✓

If you answered "Yes" to question C2715 please provide details in the space below or refer to section F of the additional questionnaire available at this link. Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary. https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321?token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en (https://extranet.who.int/dataform/655321?token=6e4ar8jkd6crqwg&lang=en)

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation

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:

developing and disseminating appropriate, comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices?

Yes 🗸

programmes to promote cessation of tobacco use, including:

- ✓ media campaigns emphasizing the importance of quitting?

- **✓** telephone quitlines?
- ✓ local events, such as activities related to World No Tobacco Day or National No Smoking Day, if appropriate? other (please specify)?
 Other

design and implementation of programmes aimed at promoting the cessation of tobacco use, in such locations as:

- educational institutions?
- ✓ health-care facilities?
- workplaces?
 sporting environments?
 other (please specify)?
 Other

inclusion of diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence and counselling services for cessation of tobacco use in national programmes, plans and strategies for:

- ✓ tobacco control?

inclusion of programmes on the diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence in your health-care system?

Yes ✓

Which structures in your health-care system provide programmes for the diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence?

- ✓ primary health care
- secondary and tertiary health care
 specialist health-care systems (please specify below)
 specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment
 of tobacco dependence
 rehabilitation centres
 Other

Are the services provided in these settings covered by public funding or reimbursement schemes?

primary health care Partially

secondary and tertiary health care Partially

specialist health-care systems (please specify below) None

specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence

rehabilitation centres

None None

other (please specify below)

Which health and other professionals are involved in programmes offering treatment for tobacco dependence and counselling services?

Health professionals including:

dentists

practitioners of traditional medicine

other medical professionals (please specify below)

✓ nurses

midwives

pharmacists

Community workers

Social workers

✓ other (please specify)

public health nurse,

Other

nutritionist

training on tobacco dependence treatment incorporated into the curricula of health professional training at pre- and post-qualification levels at the following schools:

medical?

dental?

nursing?

pharmacy?

Other

facilitating accessibility and/or affordability of pharmaceutical products for the treatment of tobacco dependence?

Yes ✓

Where and how can these products be legally purchased in your country?

In pharmacy

Which pharmaceutical	products are	e legally	available	for the	treatment	of tobacco	dependence	in your
iurisdiction?								

✓ nicotine replacement therapy

bupropion

✓ varenicline

other (please specify)

Other

Are the costs of these products covered by public funding or reimbursement?

nicotine replacement therapy

Partially

bupropion

None

varenicline

Partially

other (please specify below)

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 14 (*Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 14 of the WHO FCTC" when developing and implementing policies in this area?

Yes ✓

Please provide details in the space below or refer to section G of the additional questionnaire.

Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is **voluntary**.

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

C3. MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF THE SUPPLY OF TOBACCO

With reference to Articles 15–17

Illicit trade in tobacco products

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:

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 ✓

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 🗸

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 🗸

developing a practical tracking and tracing regime that would further secure the distribution system and assist in the investigation of illicit trade?

No **≭**

requiring that marking is presented in legible form and/or appears in the principal language or languages of the country?

Yes **✓**

requiring the monitoring and collection of data on cross-border trade in tobacco products, including illicit trade?

Yes ✓

facilitating the exchange of this information among customs, tax and other authorities, as appropriate, and in accordance with national law and applicable bilateral and multilateral agreements?

Yes ✓

enacting or strengthening legislation, with appropriate penalties and remedies, against illicit trade in tobacco products, including counterfeit and contraband cigarettes?

Yes 🗸

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 ✓

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 🗸

enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from illicit trade in tobacco products?

Yes 🗸

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 ✓

licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution in order to prevent illicit trade?

Yes ✓

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 15 (*Illicit trade in tobacco products*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Sales to and by minors

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:

prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors?

Yes ✓

Please specify the legal age:

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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 🗸

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 ✓

banning the sale of tobacco products in any manner by which they are directly accessible, such as open store shelves?

No 🗙

prohibiting the manufacture and sale of sweets, snacks, toys or any other objects in the form of tobacco products which appeal to minors?

No **≭**

prohibiting the sale of tobacco products from vending machines?

No ×

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 🗸

prohibiting and/or promoting the prohibition of the distribution of free tobacco products:

✓ to the public?

✓ to minors?

prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually or in small packets?

No **≭**

providing for penalties against sellers and distributors in order to ensure compliance?

Yes 🗸

prohibiting the sales of tobacco products by minors?

No **≭**

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 16 (*Sales to and by minors*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, measures or programmes on any of the following:

promoting economically viable and sustainable alternatives for:

No

No

tobacco growers?
tobacco workers?

tobacco individual sellers? No

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 17 (*Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Have you utilized the "Policy options and recommendations on economically sustainable alternatives to tobacco growing (in relation to Articles 17 and 18 of the WHO FCTC)" when developing and implementing policies in this area?

No X

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

C4. OTHER MEASURES AND POLICIES

With reference to Articles 18-21

Yes

Protection of the environment and the health of persons

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:

implementing measures in respect of tobacco cultivation within your territory, which take into consideration:

the protection of the environment?

the health of persons in relation to the environment? Yes

implementing measures in respect of tobacco manufacturing within your territory, which take into consideration:

the protection of the environment? Yes

the health of persons in relation to the environment? Yes

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 18 (*Protection of the environment and the health of persons*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Have you utilized the "Policy options and recommendations on economically sustainable alternatives to tobacco growing (in relation to Articles 17 and 18 of the WHO FCTC)" when developing and implementing policies in this area?

No **≭**

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

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Liability

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:

Does your tobacco control legislation contain measures regarding criminal liability for any violations of that tobacco control legislation?

Yes

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	o you have separate criminal liability provisions in relation to tobacco control (outside of the tobacco ontrol legislation)? No
D	o you have any civil liability measures that are specific to tobacco control? No
D	o you have any general civil liability provisions that could apply to tobacco control? No
	o you have civil or criminal liability provisions that provide for compensation for adverse health fects and/or for reimbursement of medical, social or other relevant costs? Yes
	as any person in your jurisdiction launched any criminal and/or civil liability action, including compensation where propriate, against any tobacco company in relation to any adverse health effect caused by tobacco use? Yes
th	ave you taken, as appropriate, any legislative, executive, administrative and/or other action against e tobacco industry for full or partial reimbursement of medical, social and other relevant costs related tobacco use in your jurisdiction? No
	ease provide a brief description of any progress made, as appropriate, in implementing Article 19 iability) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.
	you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide etails in the space below.
PI	ease attach the relevant documentation.

Research, surveillance and exchange of information

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:

developing and/or promoting research that addresses:

- ✓ determinants of tobacco consumption?
- ✓ consequences of tobacco consumption?
- social and economic indicators related to tobacco consumption?
- tobacco use among women, with special regard to pregnant women?
- the determinants and consequences of exposure to tobacco smoke?
- identification of effective programmes for the treatment of tobacco dependence?
 identification of alternative livelihoods?
 Other

training and support for all persons engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?

Yes **✓**

a national system for epidemiological surveillance of:

- ✓ patterns of tobacco consumption?
- determinants of tobacco consumption? consequences of tobacco consumption? social, economic and health indicators related to tobacco consumption?
- exposure to tobacco smoke?
 Other

Please list all surveys, including the year of the survey, that you have undertaken in the past.

The National Health and Nutrition Survey in Japan, 2003-2018 See (http://www.mhlw.go.jp/bunya/kenkou/kenkou_eiyou_chousa.html)

Does your country have any plans to repeat any of the above or to undertake a new tobacco survey within three to five years of your last survey? Please provide details in the space below.

No

regional and global exchange of publicly available national:

scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information? information on the practices of the tobacco industry? information on the cultivation of tobacco?

an updated database of:

☑ laws and regulations on tobacco control?
information about the enforcement of laws on tobacco control?
pertinent jurisprudence?

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 20 (*Research*, surveillance and exchange of information) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below (e.g. whether you included information on WHO FCTC implementation in your Voluntary National Review (VNR) on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), related to target 3.a).

Please attach the relevant documentation.

D. INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE

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:

development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control?

Assistance provided

No

Assistance received

provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes?

Assistance provided

No

Assistance received

appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12?

Assistance provided

Yes

Assistance received

provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistic support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes?

Assistance provided

No

Assistance received

identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?

Assistance provided

No

Assistance received

promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?

Assistance provided

No

Assistance received

Please identify the Party or Parties from which assistance was received or to which assistance was provided.

Developing countries on the DAC List

Please provide information about any assistance provided or received in the space below, including any support received from nongovernmental organizations (please, specify).

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.

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?

No ×

E. PRIORITIES AND COMMENTS

What are the priorities for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control in your jurisdiction?

Currently, passive smoking measures are the priorities.

Have you identified any specific gaps between the resources available and the needs assessed for implementing the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control?

No ×

What, if any, are the constraints or barriers, other than lack of resources, you have encountered in implementing the Convention?

Do you have any of the following products available on your national tobacco market?

- ✓ water pipe tobacco

Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENDS)

- ☑ Electronic Non-Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENNDS)
- ✓ heated tobacco products (HTPs)

Other

Have you adopted and implemented any policy or regulation that is specific to the following tobacco products?

- ✓ water pipe tobacco
- ☑ Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENDS)
 Electronic Non-Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENNDS)
- heated tobacco products (HTPs)
 Other

If you have any relevant information related to questions E5 and E6, please provide details in the space below.

Smokeless tobacco, water pipe tobacco and heat-not-burn tobacco are controlled under the Tobacco Business Act and taxed under the Tobacco Tax Act and other relevant laws.

Please provide any other relevant information not covered elsewhere that you consider important.

ENDS is targeted for regulation in the Act on Securing Quality, Efficacy and Safety of Products including Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices. ENDS cannot be sold without license/approval of the authorities. This regulation is not applied for ENNDS.

Your suggestions for further development and revision of the reporting instrument:

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