## REPORTING INSTRUMENT OF THE WHO FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON TOBACCO CONTROL

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# 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	50.40 %				
	Daily smokers	46.60 %	17.00			
	Occasional smokers	3.80 %				
	Former smokers	%				
	Never smokers	%				
	FEMALES					
	Current smokers	10.20 %				
	Daily smokers	7.80 %	11.00			
	Occasional smokers	2.40 %				
	Former smokers	%				
	Never smokers	%				
	TOTAL (males and f	females)				
	Current smokers	27.00 %				
	Daily smokers	24.10 %	16.00			
	Occasional smokers	2.90 %				
	Former smokers	%				
	Never smokers	%				

2.1.1.1	Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.1:
	Cigars and cigarettes
2.1.1.2	Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.1 refer:
	Population aged 16 and over
2.1.1.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.1:
	2011. sample survey of household
2.1.1.4	Please provide the definitions of "current smoker", "daily smoker", "occasional smoker", "former smoker" and "never smoker" used in this report.
	The classification of respondents into groups of "current smoker", "daily smokers" and "smoke sometimes" carried on their self-determination
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.
	Compared with 2009 the share of the smoking population aged 16 years and older in the republic has not changed significantly, with the proportion of male smokers has decreased by 0.7%, while the proportion of female smokers has increased by 0.4%

2.1.2 Smoking prevalence in the add			ovide prevalence data by age group, and identify the age	
	group considered	Age group (adults)	O-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44 years)  Prevalence (%)  (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)	
	MALES			
	Current	16-19	21.80 %	
	smokers <sup>1</sup>	20-26	57.40 %	
		30-39	60.00 %	
	Add age group	40-49	60.80 %	
		50-59	52.40 %	
		60+	29.90 %	
	FEMALES			
	Current	16-19	7.20 %	
	smokers <sup>1</sup>	20-26	17.30 %	
		30-39	19.20 %	
	Add age group	40-49	12.70 %	
		50-59	8.10 %	
		60+	1.80 %	
	TOTAL (male	es and females)		
	Current	16-19	15.00 %	
	smokers <sup>1</sup>	20-26	36.50 %	
		30-39	38.70 %	
	Add age group	40-49	32.80 %	
		50-59	26.50 %	
		60+	10.80 %	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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:
	Cigars and cigarettes
2.1.2.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.2:
	2011, a sample survey of household living standards
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.
	Compared to the year 2009 in the age groups "30-39" years, "40-49" and "50-59" share of the smoking population increased by 2.6%, 1% and 0.4% respectively, while in the age groups "16-19 years" and "20-29" - dropped respectively by 1.4% and 0.9%.

2.1.3	Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (all)					
	(Please provide prevalence data for total adult population, and identify the considered in 2.1.3.2, 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	%				
	Daily users	%				
	Occasional users	%				
	Former users	%				
	Never users	%				
	FEMALES					
	Current users	%				
	Daily users	%				
	Occasional users	%				
	Former users	%				
	Never users	%				
	TOTAL (males and females)					
	Current users	%				
	Daily users	%				
	Occasional users	%				
	Former users	%				
	Never users	%				
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2.1.3.1	Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.3:
2.1.3.2	Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.3 refer:
2.1.3.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.3:
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.
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.
	Studies on the prevalence of smokeless tobacco use among adults have been conducted.

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					
	Current users <sup>2</sup>		%			
	Add age group		%			
			%			
			%			
			%			
	FEMALES					
	Current users <sup>2</sup>		%			
	Add age group		%			
			%			
			%			
			%			
	TOTAL (males	and females)				
	Current users <sup>2</sup>		%			
	Add age group		%			
			%			
			%			
			%			

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  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:
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.
	Studies on the prevalence of smokeless tobacco use among adults have been conducted

2.1.5	Tobacco use l	by ethnic group	(s)		
		Ethnic group(s)	·-	Prevalence (%) lease include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)	
			Males	Females	Total (males and females)
	Current users <sup>3</sup>		%	%	%
			%	%	%
	Add ethnic group		%	%	%
	-		%	%	%
			%	%	%
2.1.5.1	Please indicate the tobacco products included in the answer to question 2.1.5:			estion 2.1.5:	
2.1.5.2	Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.5 refer:				
2.1.5.3	.1.5.3 Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questi		estion 2.1.5:		
	Research	on tobacco us	e by ethnic group w	ere not conducted	d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Please provide data on either all current users or daily users only, whichever is available.

2.1.6	1 obacco use	Age range	sons	Prevalence (%)	
		Age range		all smoking or sm acts in prevalence	
			Smoking tobacco	Smokeless tobacco	Other tobacco
	Boys				
	Current users <sup>4</sup>	16-19	21.80 %	%	%
			%	%	%
	group		%	%	%
			%	%	%
			%	%	%
	Girls				·
1	Current users <sup>4</sup> Add youth group	16-19	7.20 %	%	%
			%	%	%
			%	%	%
			%	%	%
			%	%	%
	TOTAL (b	oys and girls)			
	Current users <sup>4</sup>	16-19	15.00 %	%	%
	Add youth		%	%	%
	group		%	%	%
			%	%	%
			%	%	%
			%	%	%
.1.6.1	Please i question		acco products included	in calculating pre	evalence for
	Smokin	ng tobacco, mo	ostly cigarettes.		

 $<sup>^4</sup>$  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:
	2011, a sample survey of household living standards
2.1.6.3	Please provide the definition of "current smoking/tobacco use" used to answer question 2.1.6 in the space below.
	The assignment of the respondents in the group "smoke / use tobacco now," is their self-determination
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.
	According to a sample survey of households, compared with 2009 in the age groups "16-19 years" and "20-29" - dropped respectively by 1.4% and 0.9%.
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).
	1- The fact of the prevalence of passive smoking among the population. More than half of the respondents have to be near to smokers in different locations (home, away, at work, etc.), thus acting as a passive smoker. The most frequently encountered with passive smoking at public transport stops (40%), work / study (39.4%), at a party (32.2%).
2.2.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.2.1:
	Research work "Behavioral risk factors of the Republic of Belarus", 2010, conducted by the Institute of Sociology of NAS of Belarus and of the "National Centre of Hygiene, Epidemiology and Public Health"
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.
	Mortality from malignant neoplasms of trachea, bronchus and lung in 2011 2772 cases of diseases of the circulatory system - 35,524
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:
	Distribution of deaths by sex, age group and cause of death statistics, 2011.
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 "Ves" 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).
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 r	reference to Arti	cles 6.2(b), 20.4(c),	and 15.5)			
2.5.1	Licit s	upply of tobacco	products				
		Product	Unit (e.g. pieces, tonnes)	Domestic production	Exports	Imports	
	Smoking tobacco products	Tobacco	thousands pieces		34295490.0 0	633238.30	
	Add product	Tobacco	million pieces	29631.00			
	Smokeless tobacco products  Add product						
	Other tobacco products  Add product	Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes, tobacco extracts and essences	tonnes			6184.00	
	Tobacco	Leaves	tonnes		260.00	15696.00	
2.5.2	Please provide information on the volumes of duty-free sales (e.g. product, unit, quantity), if available.						
	9260.6	6 thousand pied	ces				
2.5.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions 2.5.1 and 2.5.2:  Data are for 2011. Source - data from the National Statistics Committee of Belarus (Statistical book "Production, exports, imports and sales in the domestic market of alcoholic beverages and tobacco" for January-December 2011).						
	since t	these headings	imports of smoke are not included i activity of the Cus	n the Commod			

2.6	SEIZU	IRES OF ILLI	CIT TOBACCO F	PRODUCTS					
	(with reference to Article 15.5)								
2.6.1		Year	Product	Unit (e.g. millions of pieces)	Quantity seized				
	Smoking tobacco products	2011	Tobacco	Million pieces	108.97				
	Add row								
	Smokeless								
	Add row								
	Other tobacco products								
	Add row								
2.6.2	Do yo the na	Do you have any information on the percentage of smuggled tobacco products on the national tobacco market? X Yes No							
2.6.3	-	If you answered "Yes" to question 2.6.2, what percentage of the national tobacco market do smuggled tobacco products constitute? 3.30 %							
2.6.4	is the percen	If you answered "Yes" to question 2.6.3 and you have information available, what is the trend over the past two years or since submission of your last report in the percentage of smuggled tobacco products in relation to the national tobacco market?							
2.6.5		Please provide any further information on illicit or smuggled tobacco products.							
	Most of the confiscated by customs authorities in 2011, tobacco products, conveyed to a violation of national legislation, cigarettes account for domestic production of such commercial brands as "Premier", "Minsk", "Fest" and "Tycoon."								
	territo	ories of Russia	and Ukraine due on and export off	acco products are form to exceeding the legal icial. In these countrie	production of s through its				
	own p		official imports on him in the form	of smuggling of toba					
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2.7.1	Is there any tobacco-growing in your jurisdiction?  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 used to answer questions in section 2.7:

2.8	TAXATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS					
	(with reference to	Articles 6.2(a) 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 excis	se taxes levied (w	hat types of taxe	s are levied)?		
	• Specif	ic tax only		Yes	⊠ No	
	Ad va	lorem tax only		Yes	⊠ No	
	• Comb	ination of specific	and ad valorem	taxes Xes	□ No	
	• More	complex structure	e (please explain	: )		
2.8.3	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 <sup>5</sup>	
	Smoking tobacco products  Add product	Cigarette	specific tax	3600.00	1000 pieces	
		Cigarette; Filter cigarettes, ther etail price which is set to 70000 rubles; Between 70000 and 125000rubles; to 125000 rubles.	VAT	% ?	Retail price	
		Filter cigarettes, the retail price	specific tax	170000	1000 peices	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> 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.

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		which is set to 70000 rubles.			
		Cigarette; Filter cigarettes, the retail price which is set to between 70.000 and 125.000 rubles.	specific tax	45000	1000 peices
		Filter cigarettes, the retail price which is set to 125000 rubles.	specific tax	65000	1000 peices
		pipe tobacco?	specific tax	85000	Kg ?
		pipe tobacco?	VAT	% ?	Retail price
	Smokeless tobacco products  Add product				
	Other tobacco products				
	Add product				
2.8.4	Please briefly des years or since sub			pacco products in the jurisdiction.	he past two
	increase in exci	se rates, annual,	and during the	year	
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.
2.8.7	Please indicate th	ne year and source	e of the data used	to answer question	ns 2.8.1 to
	the rates of exci- the Decree of th 2011 N 378", A 29, 2009 N 72 V the Republic of	se duties on cert e President of th ct of December V for the Implen Belarus amendr Belarus and Abr	tain goods and page Republic of I 19, 1991 № 13 mentation of Spenents and additionating legislat	2011 № 489 "On coodaktsihnye reco Belarus dated Auş 19-XII ", Act of I ecial part of the ta ions to part a tota ion of the Republ	ognition of gust 30, December ax code of I tax code of

2.9	PRICE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS  (with reference to Article 6.2(a))					
2.9.1		se provide the reta mported tobacco p				
		Most Smoking tobacco products	widely sold bra Smokeless tobacco products	Other tobacco products	Number of units or amount per package	Retail price
	Domestic	Fest up to 19.09.2011			20 cigarettes	2200
		premier up to to 19.09.11			20 cigarettes	2650
		minsk up to to 19.09.11			20 cigarettes	2650
	Imported					

2.9.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.9.1.
	Regulation of the Ministry of Economy in 2011
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.
	Course NBRB (National Bank of Republic of Belarus)
	10.01.11 g - 3007.0;
	11.04.11g 3050.0;
	06.06.11g4981;
	19.09.11g 8460 RUR / USD
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.
	Continuously and systematically grow. For example, for the brands presented in table 2.9.1, prices were increased three times in 2011 as follows:
	Fest
	price up to 10.01.11: 1000 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes),
	price from 10.01.11 until 11.04.11: 1100 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes),
	price from 11.04.2011 until 06.06.11: 1390 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes),
	price from 06.06.2011 until 19.09.2011: 2200 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes).
	Premier
	price up to 10.01.11: 1300 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes),
	price from 10.01.11 until 06.06.11: 2050 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes),
	price from 06.06.2011 until 19.09.2011: 2650 Belarus Ruble (for 20

cigarettes).

Minsk

price up to 10.01.11: 1300 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes),

price from 10.01.11 until 06.06.11: 2050 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes),

price from 06.06.2011 until 19.09.2011: 2650 Belarus Ruble (for 20 cigarettes).

### 3. LEGISLATION, REGULATION AND POLICIES

3.1	Article	GENERAL OBLIGATIONS					
		(with reference to Article 5)					
3.1.1	5	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 financed					
		a focal point for tobacco control	⊠ Yes	☐ No			
		a tobacco control unit	⊠ Yes	☐ No			
		<ul> <li>a national coordinating mechanism for tobacco control</li> </ul>	⊠ 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				
	Chie Prev struc	onal Coordinator Square Tobacco Control - Yuef Medical Officer, Head of Department of Hygrention of the Ministry of Health of the Republicatural units of the Republican health care organical on the formation of a healthy lifestyle at the arev,	giene, Epide ic of Belarus izations, the	miology and s, the e Interagency			
3.1.1.6		se provide a brief description of the progress made in 5.2 ( <i>General obligations</i> ) in the past two years or sint.	_	-			

Order of the Ministry of 15.04.2011g. № 385 approved the concept of implementing the state policy on combating tobacco consumption in 2011-2015, and comprehensive plan to combat tobacco use in 2011-2015. Issued by: Ministry of Health of the order of the Republic of Belarus of 01.07.2011 № 710 "On Approval of Instruction on how to implement effective control over the ban on smoking in health care organizations and on adjacent land, and the Model Regulations of the control of a ban on smoking in health care organization", Decision of the Ministry Health of the Republic of Belarus of 03.11.2011g. "On Making Addenda and Amendments to certain health standards, rules and hygienic standards" relating to the prohibition of smoking in institutions (organizations), health care, education, sports, facilities, trade and consumer services for catering facilities, railway stations, subway stations, in wagons, on river boats (except in places specifically designated for smoking). This measure expands the powers of officials and agencies exercising state sanitary inspection to monitor compliance with the smoking ban will help reduce the spread of smoking in our country and the full implementation of the requirements of the Decree of the President of the Republic of Belarus of November 17, 2002 № 28. In order to improve the effectiveness of tobacco control activities, the Ministry of Health appealed to the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Belarus initiated the adoption of a single normative act regulating the social relations in the field of protection of the Republic of Belarus from the consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke. This initiative was approved and is currently preparing a series dokumetov to make the development of this legal act in planzakonoproektnoy activity in 2013. Still developing areas, smoke-free - parks, organizations, changed the requirements for packaging of tobacco products is prohibited advertising of tobacco products has increased the amount of information about the dangers of tobacco use in the media, catering facilities introduced zoning - rooms for smokers and nonsmokers. Ongoing development of technical regdamenta Customs Union, "Technical Regulations on Tobacco Products"

3.1.1.7

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

3.1.2	5.3	Protection of public health policies with re commercial and other vested interests of the		
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmativ summary in the space provided at the end of relevant documentation. Please provide docu the six official languages.)	the section and att	tach the
		Have you adopted and implemented, where a administrative or other measures or have you appropriate, programmes on any of the follow	implemented, wh	
3.1.2.1		<ul> <li>protecting public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
3.1.2.2		<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
3.1.2.3		f you answered "Yes" to any of the questions undo provide details in the space below.	er 3.1.2.1 or 3.1.2.	2, please
	1 g F v 2 n " V F t d d t	The work to implement the orders of the Count 6.12.2010g. № 38/577-327 of acceptance tog governments of measures to implement Article FCTC. Information on activities related to the was highlighted at a press conference on World 2011. not smoking and Day 17 November 201 media, besides the draft of the Technical Regulations on Tobacco Products HOHO FCTC has been posted on the website of bublic comment. Ministry of Health, in princip obacco use by implementing the policy documble evelopment of technical regulations and the Elobacco products, in collaboration with the Ministry of tobacco companies	ether with the content of the content of the objectives of the d No Tobacco D It year, published lations of the Cunder of the Cunder of the Customs Under the Customs Under the Customs Under the Custom of the positions of Health positions in oppositions in oppositions in oppositions of the custom	oncerned to WHO TOTC ay 31 May d in the stoms Union, to light of the mion for roliferation of mg in the ms Union on m of other to osition to the
3.1.2.4	i	Please provide a brief description of the progress non the past two years or since submission of your lack Rising prices and excise taxes on tobacco - an	ast report.	
	i t t	vear. Information campaigns, speeches health particles and excise taxes on tobacco - an exercise taxes on tobacco - an exercise taxes on tobacco - an exercise to health, together whose wishing to quit smoking is placed on the organizations, government authorities in the corrangement, various competitions among the your	professionals and he media. Inform with recommend websites of heal ountry annually a	d other nation about ations for th anti-smoking
3.1.2.5		f you have any relevant information pertaining to blease provide details in the space below.	but not covered in	this section,

3.2	Article	Article  MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF DEMAND FOR TOBACCO (with reference to Articles 6–14)				
3.2.1	6	Price and tax measures to reduce the den (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmate brief summary in the space provided at the relevant documentation. Please provide doc of the six official languages.)	ive answers, pleas	and attach the		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where executive, administrative or other measures where appropriate, programmes on any of the	or have you imple			
3.2.1.1	6.2(a)	<ul> <li>tax policies and, where appropriate, price policies on tobacco products so as to contribute to the health objectives aimed at reducing tobacco consumption?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No		
3.2.1.2	6.2(b)	<ul> <li>prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, sales to international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No		
3.2.1.3		<ul> <li>prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, imports by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No		
3.2.1.4	(Pr	ase provide a brief description of the progress mice and tax measures to reduce the demand for the submission of your last report.	_	-		
	the the 201 29, the the	esident of the Republic of Belarus of 25.10.2 rates of excise duties on certain goods and process of the President of the Republic of El 1 N 378", Act of December 19, 1991 № 13.2009 N 72 W for the Implementation of Speragous Republic of Belarus amendments and additional Republic of Belarus and Abrogating legislate larus and certain provisions of the income tallows.	oodaktsihnye rec Belarus dated Au 19-XII", Act of ecial part of the ions to part a tota ion of the Repub	eognition of agust 30, December tax code of al tax code of		
3.2.1.5	_	ou have any relevant information pertaining to base provide details in the space below.	out not covered in	this section,		
	The	e increase in retail prices for tobacco produc	ts, the growth ra	tes of excise		

3.2.2	8.2	Protection from exposure to tobacco s	moke			
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirm summary in the space provided at the enterelevant documentation. Please provide the six official languages.)	nd of the section o	and attack	the	
		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		<ul> <li>banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes		□ No	
3.2.2.2		If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.2.1, what is the type/nature of the measure providing for the ban?			of the	
		• national law	Yes 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 o	content of	the	
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	details of	this system.	
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			
• educational facilities <sup>1</sup>	$\boxtimes$		
• universities			
• private workplaces		$\boxtimes$	
• other (please specify: other places, determined by Decree of the President of the Republic of Belarus of 17.12.2002 № 28 "On state regulation of production, trafficking and consumption of tobacco and tobacco products")			
Public transport:			
• airplanes			
• trains		$\boxtimes$	
• ferries			
• ground public transport (buses, trolleybuses, trams)			
<ul> <li>motor vehicles used as places of work (taxis, ambulances, delivery vehicles)</li> </ul>		$\boxtimes$	
private vehicles			
• other (please specify: vessels)		$\boxtimes$	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> except universities

	Indoor public places:						
	cultural facilities						
	• shopping malls						
	• pubs and bars		$\boxtimes$				
	• nightclubs		$\boxtimes$				
	• restaurants		$\boxtimes$				
	• other ( <i>please specify</i> : other places, determined by Decree of the President of the Republic of Belarus of 17.12.2002 № 28 "On state regulation of production, trafficking and consumption of tobacco and tobacco products")						
3.2.2.7	Please provide a brief summary of comspecific details of the partial measures			vith			
	Banning tobacco smoking in indo	or workplaces					
	Decree of the President of the F № 28 "On state regulation of pre consumption of tobacco and tolerance."	oduction, traffic		2.2002			
	Banning tobacco smoking in public	c transport					
	Decree of the President of the F № 28 "On state regulation of proconsumption of tobacco and tolerand to the process of the President of the P	roduction, traffic		2.2002			
	Banning tobacco smoking in indo	or public places					
	-Decree of the President of the № 28 "On state regulation of proconsumption of tobacco and tolerates."	oduction, traffic	cking and	12.2002			
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.	_					
	Decree of the Ministry of Health of the R "On Making Addenda and Amendments and hygienic standards" relating to the pr (organizations), health care, education, sp services for catering facilities, railway sta on river boats (except in places specifical measure expands the powers of officials sanitary inspection to monitor compliance reduce the spread of smoking in our cour the requirements of the Decree of the Pre November 17, 2002 № 28. At the head of additional promotion or quit smoking in or place for smokers and nonsmokers). "	to certain health ohibition of smo oorts, facilities, ations, subway s ly designated for and agencies ex e with the smok atry and the full sident of the Re f resheniyureshe cafes and restau	standards, oking in instrade and contations, in or smoking ercising staing ban with implement public of Emie introdurants by zo	rules stitutions onsumer wagons, ). This ate ll help ation of Belarus of ace an ning (a			
3.2.2.9	If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section,						

please provide details in the space below.	

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 a administrative or other measures or have you appropriate, programmes on any of the follow	implemented, wh			
3.2.3.1		<ul> <li>testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?</li> </ul>	X Yes	☐ No		
3.2.3.2		<ul> <li>testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?</li> </ul>	X Yes	☐ No		
3.2.3.3		<ul> <li>regulating the contents of tobacco products?</li> </ul>	X Yes	☐ No		
3.2.3.4		<ul> <li>regulating the emissions of tobacco products?</li> </ul>	X Yes	☐ No		
3.2.3.5	(	Please provide a brief description of the progress management and the contents of tobacco products) in submission of your last report.				
3.2.3.6		f you have any relevant information pertaining to blease provide details in the space below.	out not covered in	this section,		
	8 8 2 r	Requirements for the cigarettes of tobacco con Cigarettes. General specifications". Recent approved in December 2008, Standard 150 echnical conditions", GOST 8699-76 "Cigarettes and Cigarettes and Ciga	t changes to 05-2001 "cigarents. Specification cal conditions", ons". Currently, lations on Toba	the standard ettes. General ns", Standard GOST 7823 - a technical cco Products"		

3.2.4	10	Regulation of tobacco product disclosures			
		(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 a administrative or other measures or have you appropriate, programmes on any of the follow	implemented, wh		
3.2.4.1		requiring manufacturers or importers of Government authorities information about the control of the contro		to disclose to	
		contents of tobacco products?	⊠ Yes	□No	
		emissions of tobacco products?	⊠ Yes	□No	
3.2.4.2		requiring public disclosure of information	on about the:		
		contents of tobacco products?	X Yes	□No	
		emissions of tobacco products?	X Yes	□No	
3.2.4.3	(,	Please provide a brief description of the progress nance Regulation of tobacco product disclosures) in the submission 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.			
	Requirements for the cigarettes of tobacco contained in ISO 3935-2 "Cigarettes. General specifications". Recent changes to the stan approved in December 2008 Regulatory Specifications - the tar and nice in cigarette smoke condensate (milligrams per cigarette).			the standard	

3.2.5	11	Packaging and labelling of tobacco prod	ucts	
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirma brief summary in the space provided at the the relevant documentation. Please provide in one of the six official languages.)	end of the sect	ion and attach
		Have you adopted and implemented, where executive, administrative or other measures where appropriate, programmes on any of	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)	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
3.2.5.3	11.1(b)	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	⊠ 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)	<ul> <li>ensuring that the health warnings are rotated?</li> </ul>	⊠ 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

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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	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
3.2.5.14	11.3	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
3.2.5.15	(Paci	e provide a brief description of the progress ma kaging and labelling of tobacco products) in the hission of your last report.	_	-
	ISO 3935-2 in the rest of	nanged. Requirements for labeling of tobacco 2000 "Cigarettes. General technical requirements of the STB 1088-97 "Tobacco. Information	ments" of toba for the consur	cco products ner."
	on T	ently, a technical regdament Customs Union obacco Products" requirements which woul oms Union.		_
3.2.5.16	If you have any relevant information pertaining to or not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.			

3.2.6	12	Education, communication, training an	nd public awaren	ess
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirm brief summary in the space provided at th the relevant documentation. Please provid one of the six official languages.)	ne end of the sectio	n and attach
		Have you adopted and implemented, whe executive, administrative or other measur where appropriate, programmes on any of	es or have you imp	
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?	I, 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 education	onal and public
		health risks of tobacco consumption?	⊠ Yes	☐ No
		<ul> <li>health risks of exposure to tobacco smoke?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	☐ No
		benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles?	⊠ Yes	☐ No
	12(f)	adverse economic consequences of		

		- tobacco production?	X Yes	☐ No
		- tobacco consumption?	X Yes	☐ No
		adverse environmental consequences	of	
		- tobacco production?	X 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
		<ul> <li>nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry?</li> </ul>	⊠ 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		rareness
		• health workers?	⊠ Yes	☐ No
		• community workers?	Yes	⊠ No
		• social workers?	× Yes	☐ No
		• media professionals?	X Yes	☐ No
		• educators?	X Yes	☐ No
		• decision-makers?	X Yes	☐ No
		administrators?	X Yes	☐ No
		• other ( <i>please specify:</i> teenagers, young people, primarily adults)?	X Yes	☐ No

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.
Information campaigns, speeches health professionals and other interested bodies gostsudarstvennogo control the media. Information about the dangers of tobacco use to health, together with recommendations for those wishing to quit smoking is placed on the websites of health organizations, government authorities in the country annually anti-smoking campaign, various competitions among the youth anti-smoking subjects, medical professionals advise the population on prevention of tobacco use and refusal of a , information about the dangers of tobacco use for the human body included in the curricula of schoolchildren, students, the number of public organizations (including youth), which are aimed at combating tobacco consumption.
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 spo	nsorship	
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmal brief summary in the space provided at the relevant documentation. Please provide do of the six official languages.)	end of the section	and attach the
		Have you adopted and implemented, where executive, administrative or other measures where appropriate, programmes:		_
3.2.7.1	13.2	<ul> <li>instituting a comprehensive ban on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	☐ No
If	you answe	red "No" to question 3.2.7.1, please proceed to o	question 3.2.7.3.	
3.2.7.2 If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.7.1, does your ban cover:				er:
		display and visibility of tobacco products at points of sales?	⊠ Yes	☐ No
		• the domestic Internet?	⊠ Yes	☐ No
		• the global Internet?	Yes	⊠ No
		<ul> <li>brand stretching and/or brand sharing?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	☐ No
		<ul> <li>product placement as a means of advertising or promotion?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□No
		the depiction of tobacco or tobacco use in entertainment media products?	⊠ Yes	☐ No
		<ul> <li>tobacco sponsorship of international events or activities and/or participants therein?</li> </ul>	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	<ul> <li>the same forms of cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship entering your territory for which domestic regulation apply?</li> </ul>	⊠ 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	<ul> <li>applying restrictions on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?</li> </ul>	Yes	☐ No
3.2.7.5	13.3	<ul> <li>applying restrictions on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory with cross-border effects?</li> </ul>	Yes	□No
3.2.7.6	13.4(a)	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	Yes	□ No
3.2.7.7	13.4(b)	<ul> <li>requiring that health or other appropriate warnings or messages accompany all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?</li> </ul>	Yes	□No
3.2.7.8	13.4(c)	<ul> <li>restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public?</li> </ul>	Yes	□ No
3.2.7.9	13.4(d)	<ul> <li>requiring the disclosure to relevant Government authorities of expenditures by the tobacco industry on advertising, promotion and sponsorship not yet prohibited?</li> </ul>	☐ Yes	□ No

3.2.7.10	13.4(e) – restricting tobacco advertising, promotion 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)	<ul> <li>restricting tobacco sponsorship of:</li> </ul>			
		<ul> <li>international events and activities?</li> </ul>	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	<ul> <li>cooperating with other Parties in the development of technologies and other means necessary to facilitate the elimination of cross-border advertising?</li> </ul>	Yes	⊠ No	
3.2.7.13	13.7	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	Yes	⊠ No	
3.2.7.14	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 13 ( <i>Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship</i> ) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.				
	Since the last report, providing changes to the legislation on advertising, promotion and sponsorstvatabachnyh products have been made.				
3.2.7.15		ou have any relevant information pertaining to base provide details in the space below.	out not covered in	this section,	
	DO NOT place (distribution) of tobacco advertising, free (gratis) distribution of tobacco products, including their use as gifts (prizes) during contests, lotteries, games, other games, advertising, cultural, educational and sporting events, betting, and a proposal to citizens who buy tobacco products or representing evidence of such purchases of goods or rights to participate in contests, sweepstakes, games and other promotional events betting. (the law of the Republic of Belarus from 10.05.2007. "On Advertising").				

3.2.8	14	Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation			
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirm brief summary in the space provided at th the relevant documentation. Please provi one of the six official languages.)	ne end of the sectio	on and attach	
		Have you adopted and implemented, whe executive, administrative or other measur where appropriate, programmes on any o	es or have you im		
3.2.8.1	14.1	<ul> <li>developing and disseminating appropriate, comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No	
3.2.8.2	14.1	<ul> <li>programmes to promote cessation of tobacco use, including:</li> </ul>			
		media campaigns     emphasizing the importance     of quitting?	⊠ Yes	□ No	
		programmes specially designed	for:		
		o underage girls and young women	X Yes	☐ No	
		o women	⊠ Yes	☐ No	
		o pregnant women	X Yes	☐ No	
		telephone quitlines	X 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 progra cessation of tobacco use, in such loc	•	romoting the	
		educational institutions?	X Yes	☐ No	
		health-care facilities?	∑ Yes	☐ No	
		• workplaces?	X Yes	☐ No	
		• sporting environments?	∑ Yes	☐ No	

)?		• other ( <i>please specify:</i> )?	Yes	☐ No
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3.2.8.4	14.2(b)	<ul> <li>inclusion of diagnosis and treatment counselling services for cessation of programmes, plans and strategies for</li> </ul>	tobacco use in national		
		• tobacco control?	⊠ Yes	☐ No	
		• health?	⊠ Yes	☐ No	
		• education?	⊠ Yes	☐ No	
3.2.8.5		<ul> <li>inclusion of programmes on the diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence in your health-care system?</li> </ul>	⊠ 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	
		<ul> <li>specialist health-care systems (please specify: drug treatment clinics)</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	☐ No	
		<ul> <li>specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No	
		rehabilitation centres	⊠ Yes	☐ No	
		• other ( <i>please specify:</i> commercial medical centers, private specialists )	⊠ 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	

		<ul> <li>specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence</li> </ul>	☐ Fully ☐ Par	ially None
		rehabilitation centres	☐ Fully ☐ Par	tially None
		• other (please specify: ?)	☐ Fully ☐ Par	tially 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:		
		<ul> <li>physicians</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
		• dentists	∑ Yes	☐ No
		family doctors	⊠ Yes	□ No
		<ul> <li>practitioners of traditional medicine</li> </ul>	⊠ 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)	<ul> <li>training on tobacco dependence trea curricula of health professional trair levels at the following schools:</li> </ul>	•	
		• medical?	⊠ Yes	□ No
		• dental?	⊠ Yes	□ No
		• nursing?	⊠ Yes	□ No
		• pharmacy?	∑ Yes	□ No
		• other (please specify: )?	Yes	□ No
3.2.8.10	14.2(d)	<ul> <li>facilitating accessibility and/or</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□No

		affordability of pharmaceutical 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 3.2.8.10, which pharmaceutical products are legally available for the treatment of tobacco dependence in 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 3.2.8. covered by public funding or reimbursen		f these products	
		nicotine replacement therapy	Fully Parti	ally None	
		• bupropion	Fully Parti	ally None	
		• varenicline	Fully Parti	ally None	
		• other (please specify: )?	Fully Parti	ally None	
3.2.8.14	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 14 ( <i>Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation</i> ) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.				
		In recent years, increased the number of persons who have received advice on smoking cessation			
3.2.8.15	-	ou have any relevant information pertaining tase provide details in the space below.	to but not covered	in this section,	

3.3	Article	MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF THE SUPPLY OF TOBACCO		
		(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 ap executive, administrative or other measures or where appropriate, programmes on any of the	have you impl	
3.3.1.1	15.2	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	X Yes	□ No
3.3.1.2	15.2(a)	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
3.3.1.3	15.2(a)	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	Yes	⊠ No
3.3.1.4	15.2(b)	<ul> <li>developing a practical tracking and tracing regime that would further secure the distribution system and assist in the investigation of illicit trade?</li> </ul>	Yes	⊠ No
3.3.1.5	15.3	<ul> <li>requiring that marking is presented in legible form or appears in the principal language and/or languages of the country?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
3.3.1.6	15.4(a)	<ul> <li>requiring the monitoring and collection of data on cross-border trade in tobacco products, including illicit trade?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No

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)	<ul> <li>enacting or strengthening         legislation, with appropriate         penalties and remedies, against         illicit trade in tobacco products,         including counterfeit and         contraband cigarettes?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No
3.3.1.9	15.4(c)	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	Yes	⊠ No
3.3.1.10	15.4(d)	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□No
3.3.1.11	15.4(e)	<ul> <li>enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from illicit trade in tobacco products?</li> </ul>	X 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	<ul> <li>licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution in order to prevent illicit trade?</li> </ul>	X 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.
	Active detection and confiscation of illegally traded goods
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.
	Product has stipulated by Decree of the President of the Republic of Belarus of 17.12.2002 № 28 "On state regulation of production, trafficking and consumption of raw tobacco and tobacco products" and the Decree of the President of the Republic of Belarus on September 1, 2010 № 450 "On licensing of certain activities." Manufacture of tobacco products may only be legal entities of the Republic of Belarus.
	Also, the above mentioned legal acts established the requirements for process equipment for the production of tobacco products, namely, the state registration of the main technological equipment, owned or administered by the economic entity; equipment serviceable equipment and attorneys with meters of finished products that have passed state tests (included in the State register of measuring the Republic of Belarus) or metrological certification metering devices must be mounted controls, fiscal memory, which provides long-term storage and protection from unauthorized change the credentials to connect and collaborate with an IBM-compatible PC.

3.3.2	Sales to and by minors				
		(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 a executive, administrative or other measures of where appropriate, programmes on any of the	or have you im		
3.3.2.1	16.1	<ul> <li>prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors? If "Yes", please specify the legal age: 0 ?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□No	
3.3.2.2	16.1(a)	<ul> <li>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?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No	
3.3.2.3	16.1(a)	<ul> <li>requiring that, in case of doubt, each seller of tobacco products requests that the purchaser provides appropriate evidence of having reached full legal age?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□ No	
3.3.2.4	16.1(b)	<ul> <li>banning the sale of tobacco products in any manner by which they are directly accessible, such as open store shelves?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes	□No	
3.3.2.5	16.1(c)	<ul> <li>prohibiting the manufacture and sale of sweets, snacks, toys or any other objects in the form of tobacco products which appeal to minors?</li> </ul>	Yes	⊠ No	
3.3.2.6	16.1(d)	<ul> <li>prohibiting the sale of tobacco products from vending machines?</li> </ul>	∑ Yes	☐ No	
If	you answere	d "Yes" to question 3.3.2.6, please proceed to que	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
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 Yes	☐ No
3.3.2.12	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 16 ( <i>Sales to and by minors</i> ) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.				
	No o	change.			
3.3.2.13	•	•	y relevant information pertaining to but details in the space below.	not covered in	this section,

3.3.3	17	Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities			
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". summary in the space provided relevant documentation. Please the six official languages.)	at the end of th	he section an	nd attach the
	Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, measures or programmes on any of the following:				
3.3.3.1	17	<ul> <li>promoting economically viable</li> </ul>	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 the progress made in implementing Article 17 ( <i>Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities</i> ) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.				
	No change				
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.			

3.4	Article	OTHER MEASURES AND POLICIES			
		(with reference to Articles 18–21)			
3.4.1	18	Protection of the environment and the health of persons			ons
		(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 executive, administrative or other n where appropriate, programmes on	neasures or	have you	implemented,
3.4.1.1	18	implementing measures in respect territory, which take into considerate.		cultivation	n within your
		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 manufacturity, which take into consideration:				uring within your	
		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.				
3.4.1.4	If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.				

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 to relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in or of the six official languages.)			
		Have you adopted and implemented, where approximate executive, administrative or other measures or where appropriate, programmes on any of the factorial executive.	have you imple	
3.4.2.1	19.1	<ul> <li>dealing with criminal and civil liability, including compensation where appropriate?</li> </ul>	Yes 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	im	ease provide a brief description of any progress made plementing Article 19 ( <i>Liability</i> ) in the past two years are last report.		
	No	o change		
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 info	rmation	
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative brief summary in the space provided at the end relevant documentation. Please provide docum of the six official languages.)	of the section	and attach the
		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
		<ul> <li>social and economic indicators related to tobacco consumption?</li> </ul>	\( \sum \text{Yes} \)	☐ No
		tobacco use among women, with special regard to pregnant women?	X Yes	☐ No
		the determinants and consequences of exposure to tobacco smoke?	X Yes	☐ No
		identification of effective programmes for the treatment of tobacco dependence?	X Yes	□ No
		identification of alternative livelihoods?	Yes	⊠ No
		• other (please specify: )	Yes	□ No
3.4.3.2	20.1(b)	<ul> <li>training and support for all persons engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?</li> </ul>	Yes 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

3.4.3.4	20.3(a)	If you answered "Yes" to any question under 3.4.3 including the year of the survey, that you have under 3.4.3 including the year of the survey.		
		Sociological Research of the Institute of Sociological Research of the Institute of Sociological Research annual sample survestandards, research and development		
3.4.3.5	20.3(a)	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	acco survey w	ithin three to
		Plans, possibly in 2012 and 2015		
3.4.3.6	20.4	regional and global exchange of publicly avail	able national:	
		scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information?	\( \sum \text{Yes}	☐ No
		information on the practices of the tobacco industry?	Yes	⊠ No
		information on the cultivation of tobacco?	Yes	⊠ No
3.4.3.7	20.4(a)	an updated database of:		
		laws and regulations on tobacco control?	Yes	□No
		information about the enforcement of laws on tobacco control?	\( \sum \text{Yes}	☐ No
		pertinent jurisprudence?	Yes	⊠ No
3.4.3.8	(Re	ase provide a brief description of the progress made esearch, surveillance and exchange of information) is omission of your last report.	_	-
	im	change of data of sociological studies on the propact of tobacco on the body of legislation in the nning smoking in public places		•
3.4.3.9	If you have any relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.			

## 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)	<ul> <li>development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control?</li> </ul>	☐ Yes ⊠ No	⊠ Yes □ No	
4.2	22. <i>I</i> ( <i>b</i> )	<ul> <li>provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes?</li> </ul>	☐ Yes ⊠ No	⊠ Yes □ No	
4.3	22.1(c)	<ul> <li>appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12?</li> </ul>	Yes No	⊠ Yes □ No	
4.4	22.1(d)	<ul> <li>provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistic support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes?</li> </ul>	☐ Yes ⊠ No	⊠ Yes □ No	
4.5	22.1(e)	<ul> <li>identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?</li> </ul>	⊠ Yes □ No	⊠ Yes □ No	
4.6	22.1(f)	<ul> <li>promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?</li> </ul>	Yes No	Yes No	
4.7		If you answered "Yes" to any of questions 4.1–4.6 Parties from which assistance was received or to w			
	WHO, through the WHO Country Office in Belarus, the International Union against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease, World Lung Foundation,				

4.8	Please provide information about any assistance provided or received in the space below.
	Participation in the sub-regional seminar on the Strategy on Tobacco Control (MPOWER) and the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (FCTC / WHO), 1-7.03.2011g, Moscow, Russia. Training seminars with representatives of WHO, organized by the WHO Country Office in Belarus to study the experience of other countries through conferences, meetings, held under the auspices of WHO.
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

5.1	What are the priorities for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control in your jurisdiction?
	Limit consumption of tobacco by educating the population, participated in drafting legislation to encourage reduction in consumption of tobacco, (the Law on Advertising, GOST, etc.), implementation of the Concept of state policy to counter tobacco use in the 2011-2015 Comprehensive Plan and the measures to combat tobacco use in the 2011-2015.
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.
5.4	What, if any, are the constraints or barriers, other than lack of resources, you have encountered in implementing the Convention?
	(Please refer to Article 21.1(b).)
	Countering the tobacco industry - the desire of representatives of tobacco companies to delay the introduction of the legislative instruments that infringe their interests, it is considered a violation of human rights in any tightening measures in reducing tobacco use in the treatment of multiple vyshechtoyaschie struktkry in order to protect their interests.

5.5	Please provide any relevant information not covered elsewhere that you consider important.
5.6	Your suggestions for further development and revision of the reporting instrument:

End of reporting instrument