

REPORTING INSTRUMENT OF THE WHO FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON TOBACCO CONTROL

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1. ORIGIN OF THE REPORT

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1.5	Date the report was submitted	7 April 2014

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	43.10 %				
	Daily smokers	39.50 %				
	Occasional smokers	3.50 %				
	Former smokers	%				
	Never smokers	56.9 %				
	FEMALES					
	Current smokers	10.50 %				
	Daily smokers	7.50 %				
	Occasional smokers	3.00 %				
	Former smokers	%				
	Never smokers	89.5 %				
	TOTAL (males and f	females)				
	Current smokers	25.80 %				
	Daily smokers	22.50 %				
	Occasional smokers	3.20 %				
	Former smokers	%				
	Never smokers	74.20 %				

2.1.1.1	Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.1:
	Cigarettes ,cigars, or pipes
2.1.1.2	Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.1 refer:
	25-64 years
2.1.1.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.1:
	2009 WHO STEPS
2.1.1.4	Please provide the definitions of "current smoker", "daily smoker", "occasional smoker", "former smoker" and "never smoker" used in this report.
	Current Smokers: Current Smokers among all respondents
	Daily Smokers: Percentage of current daily smokers among smokers
	Occasional smokers: A person who smokes any tobacco product once on a while
	Never Smokers: A person who has never smoked any tobacco product, such as cigarettes, cigars or pipes
2.1.1.5	Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in smoking prevalence in the adult population in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

2.1.2	Smoking prevalence in the adult population (by age groups) (If data are available, please provide prevalence data by age group, and identify the age group considered, preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44 years)			
		Age group (adults)	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)	
	MALES			
	Current smokers ¹	25-34	41.00 %	
		35-44	48.30 %	
	Add age group	45-54	42.90 %	
	Add age group	55-64	39.20 %	
			%	
	FEMALES			
	Current smokers ¹	25-34	10.30 %	
	smokers	35-44	12.20 %	
	Add age group	45-54	10.00 %	
	Add age group	55-64	7.50 %	
			%	
	TOTAL (male	es and females)		
	Current	25-34	22.10 %	
	smokers ¹	35-44	29.30 %	
	Add age group	45-54	28.30 %	
	Add age group	65-64	26.10 %	
			%	

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

2.1.2.1	Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.2:
	Cigarettes, or pipes
2.1.2.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.2:
	2009 WHO STEPS
2.1.2.3	Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in current smoking prevalence by age group in the past two years or since submission of your last report, if data are available.

2.1.3	Prevalence of smol	keless tobacco use in the adult popu	llation (all)			
	(Please provide prevalence data for total adult population, and identify the age considered in 2.1.3.2, e.g. 15 years old and over, 18–64 years; see 2.1.3.2)					
		ee (%)				
	MALEC	(please include all smokeless tobac	co products in prevalence data)			
	MALES	Г				
	Current users	2.9	%			
	Daily users	2.10	%			
	Occasional users	0.80	%			
	Former users		%			
	Never users	97.10	%			
	FEMALES					
	Current users	12.10	%			
	Daily users	10.60	%			
	Occasional users	1.40	%			
	Former users		%			
	Never users	87.90	%			
	TOTAL (males and females)					
	Current users	7.80	%			
	Daily users	6.60	%			
	Occasional users	1.20	%			
	Former users		%			
	Never users	92.80	%			

2.1.3.1	Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question 2.1.3:
	Snuff, chewing tobacco, betel
2.1.3.2	Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question 2.1.3 refer:
	25-64 years
2.1.3.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.3:
	2009 WHO STEPS
2.1.3.4	Please provide the definitions of "current user", "daily user", "occasional user", "former user" and "never user" (of smokeless tobacco products) used in this report in the space below.
	Current Users: Percentage of current users of smokeless tobacco among all respondents
	Daily Users: Status of using smokeless tobacco among respondents
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.
	Smokeless tobacco like snuff is observed to be gradually reducing probably as a result of drop in local growing of tobacco, or due to some level of sensitization drive by the Ministry of Health and Sanitation and some civil society groups like Health for All Coalition

2.1.4	Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (current users) by a 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 ²	25-34	1.00 %		
	Add age group	35-44	2.50 %		
		45-54	2.60 %		
		55-64	7.70 %		
	%				
	FEMALES				
	Current users ²	25-34	5.60 %		
	Add age group	35-64	13.10 %		
		45-54	14.80 %		
		55-64	33.70 %		
			%		
	TOTAL (males	s and females)			
	Current users ²	25-34	3.80 %		
	Add age group	35-64	8.00 %		
		45-54	8.10 %		
		55-64	18.5 %		
			%		

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

2.1.4.1	Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in the answer to question 2.1.4:		
	Snuff, chewing tobacco, betel		
2.1.4.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.4:		
	2009 WHO STEPS		
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.		

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

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

2.1.6	Tobacco use	Age range	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)			
			Smoking tobacco	Smokeless tobacco	Other tobacco (e.g. water pipe)	
	Boys	13-15				
	Current users ⁴		6.60 %	%	%	
	Add youth		%	%	%	
	group		%	%	%	
			%	%	%	
			%	%	%	
	Girls					
	Current users ⁴	13-15	5.00 %	%	%	
	Add youth		%	%	%	
	group		%	%	%	
			%	%	%	
			%	%	%	
	TOTAL (boys and girls)					
	Current users ⁴	13-15	5.80 %	%	%	
	Add youth		%	%	%	
	group		%	%	%	
			%	%	%	
			%	%	%	
2.1.6.1	Please in question		cco products included i	n calculating pre	valence for	
		dication of spec	cific tobacco product	except that both	sexes smoke more	

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

2.1.6.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.1.6:
	2008 GYTS
2.1.6.3	Please provide the definition of "current smoking/tobacco use" used to answer question 2.1.6 in the space below.
	Persons smoking or using tobacco products as at the time of the survey
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.

2.2	EXPOSURE TO TOBACCO SMOKE						
2.2.1	Do you have any data on exposure to tobacco smoke in your population?						
	▼ Yes						
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).						
	Exposure to tobacco smoke in the home by gender:						
	Male- 76.9%; Female- 70.8%;						
	Exposure to tobacco smoke in the workplace by gender:						
	Male: 76.1%; Female: 62.5%.						
2.2.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.2.1:						
	2009 WHO STEPS survey						

2.3	TOBACCO-RELATED MORTALITY
2.3.1	Do you have information on tobacco-related mortality in your population? Yes No
2.3.2	If you answered "Yes" to question 2.3.1, what is the estimated total number of deaths attributable to tobacco use in your population?
2.3.3	If available, please provide any additional information on mortality attributable to tobacco use (e.g. lung cancer, cardiovascular diseases) in your jurisdiction.
2.3.4	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions 2.3.2 and 2.3.3, and please submit a copy of the study you refer to:

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

2.5	SUPPLY OF TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS						
	(with reference to Articles 6.2(b), 20.4(c), and 15.5)						
2.5.1	Licit s	upply of tobacc	o products				
		Product	Unit (e.g. pieces, tonnes)	Domestic production	Retail sales	Exports	Imports
	Smoking tobacco products Add product	Cigers,C igarilo,C igarettes Unmanu factured tobacco					4404169 .05
	Smokeless tobacco products Add product	snuff					
	Other tobacco products Add product						
	Tobacco	Leaves					
2.5.2		provide inform y), if available		blumes of duty-	free sales	(e.g. produ	ct, unit,

2.5.3	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer questions 2.5.1 and 2.5.2:
	2011 National Revenue Authority (Customs and Excise Department

2.6	SEIZURES OF ILLICIT TOBACCO PRODUCTS						
	(with r	eference to Arti	cle 15.5)				
2.6.1		Year	Product	Unit (e.g. millions of pieces)	Quantity seized		
	Smoking tobacco						
	products						
	Add row						
	Add Tow						
	Smokeless tobacco						
	products						
	Add row						
	Other tobacco						
	products						
	Add row						
2.6.2	Do yo	u have any infor		ntage of illicit tobacco	products on the		
		al tobacco marke					
2.6.3			to question 2.6.2, we products constitute	rhat percentage of the re? %	national tobacco		
2.6.4				d you have information			
	is the trend over the past two years or since submission of your last report in the percentage of illicit tobacco products in relation to the national tobacco market?						
	Person	uge of interese	ucco products in res	<u></u>			
2.6.5	Dlagga	provide any furt	har information on il	llicit tobacco products.			
2.0.3	ricase	provide any furt	nei information on n	men tobacco products.			
2.6.6	Please	indicate the sour	ce of the data used t	o answer questions in	section 2.6:		

2.7	TOBACCO-GROWING
2.7.1	Is there any tobacco-growing in your jurisdiction? Yes
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:
	Director of Crops, Ministry of Agriculture and Food Security

2.8	TAXATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS						
	(with reference to	o Articles 6.2(a)	and 6.3)				
2.8.1	What proportion of the retail price of the most popular price category of tobacco product consists of taxes (e.g. sum of excise, sales and import duties (if applicable) and value added tax/goods and services tax (VAT/GST))?						
2.8.2	How are the excise taxes levied (what types of taxes are levied)?						
	• Speci	fic tax only		☐ Yes	▼ No		
	• Ad va	lorem tax only		☐ Yes	▽ No		
	• Comb	oination of specif	ic and ad valorem	taxes	▼ No		
	 More complex structure (<i>please explain:</i> VAT, customs duties, COWAS duty, environmental tax, customs processing fee) 						
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 ⁵		
	Smoking tobacco products Add product	s, Cigarilos, rettes	VAT	15%	Retail price		
		gers, Cigarilos, Cigarettes	Custom duties	10%	CIF value		
		ers, Cigarilos, Cigarettes	COWAS duty	0.5%	CIF value		
		ers, Cigarilos, Cigarettes	rironmental tax	2.7%	CIF value		
		ers, Cigarilos, Cigarettes	Customs occessing fee	US\$ 10	er operation		
	Smokeless tobacco products						
	Add product						

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

	Other tobacco products						
	Add product						
2.8.4	Please briefly describe the trends in taxation for tobacco products in the past two years or since submission of your last report in your jurisdiction.						
2.8.5	Do you earmark any percentage of your taxation income for funding any national plan or strategy on tobacco control in your jurisdiction? Yes No (In reference to Article 26)						
2.8.6	If you answered "Yes" to question 2.8.5, please provide details in the space below.						
2.8.7	Please indicate the 2.8.6:	e year and source	of the data used	to answer question	ns 2.8.1 to		
	NRA report,	2012					

2.9	PRICE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS (with reference to Article 6.2(a))						
2.9.1		Please provide the retail prices of the three most widely sold brands of domestic and imported tobacco products at the most widely used point of sale in your capital city.					
		Most	widely sold bra	and	Number of	Retail price	
		Smoking	Smokeless	Other	units or	1	
		tobacco	tobacco	tobacco	amount per		
		products	products	products	package		
	Domestic						
	Imported	Gold Seal			20	1000	

		Oucal Menthol			20	3000
2.9.2	Please indicate the year and source of the data used to answer question 2.9.1.					2.9.1.
	Cigarette Seller's Association – March 2014					
2.9.3	ques provi	se provide the currention 2.8.3 and the ide the exchange range rate.	"Retail price" se	ection of question	on 2.9.1. If know	n, please
	Lee	ones: 1\$=4250 Le	ones 20 March	2014		
2.9.4		se briefly describe s or since submiss		•	•	e past two

${\bf 3.\, LEGISLATION, REGULATION\, AND\, POLICIES}$

3.1	Article	GENERAL OBLIGATIONS			
		(with reference to Article 5)			
3.1.1	5	General obligations			
3.1.1.1	5.1	Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes in accordance with the Convention?	▽ Yes	□ No	
3.1.1.2		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		If you answered "No" to question 3.1.1.2, is any aspect of tobacco control that is referred to in the Convention included in any national strategy, plan or programme?	☐ Yes	□ No	
3.1.1.4	5.2(a)	Have you established or reinforced and finance	ed		
		a focal point for tobacco control	✓ Yes	□No	
		a tobacco control unit	☐ Yes	▽ No	
		 a national coordinating mechanism for tobacco control 	✓ Yes	□No	
3.1.1.5	If you answered "Yes" to any of the questions under 3.1.1.4, 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).				
	The National Taskforce for tobacco control was established in 2008. It is established at a taskforce level. The tobacco focal point is established at the Health Education Division in the Ministry of Health and Sanitation.				
3.1.1.6		se provide a brief description of the progress made 5.2 (<i>General obligations</i>) in the past two years or sitt.	•	•	
	estab	here is an existence of a tobacco strategic plan 2012 dishment of a reinforce and finance national coording for tobacco is yet to materialize			
3.1.1.7	-	u have any other relevant information pertaining to on, please provide details in the space below.	but not cove	red in this	
	The	ere is an existing tobacco policy but poorly funded			

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 a relevant documentation. Please provide docu the six official languages.)	the section and attach the				
		Have you adopted and implemented, where a administrative or other measures or have you appropriate, programmes on any of the follow	implemented, where				
3.1.2.1		 protecting public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry? 	☐ Yes ✓ No				
3.1.2.2		 ensuring that the public has access, in accordance with Article 12(c), to a wide range of information on tobacco industry activities relevant to the objectives of the Convention, such as in a public repository? 	☐ Yes ☑ No				
3.1.2.3		f you answered "Yes" to any of the questions underovide details in the space below.	er 3.1.2.1 or 3.1.2.2, please				
3.1.2.4		Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 5.3 in the past two years or since submission of your last report.					
	p b	While no representatives of the tobacco sector are involved in the development of public health policies with respect to tobacco control, their influence is expected to become noticeable once the draft legislation is open for public consultation before its adoption by the cabinet.					
3.1.2.5		USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE PARTIES	CONFERENCE OF THE				
	jı ir v	Please use the space below to provide additional in Guidelines for implementation of Article 5.3 of the purisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 5 instructions document when responding to this que wish to provide detailed information through the act of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional through the act of guidelines.	e WHO FCTC" in your .3 of the step-by-step stion). Alternatively, you may lditional questionnaire on the use				
3.1.2.6		f you have any other relevant information pertaining ection, please provide details in the space below.	ng to but not covered in this				

3.2	Article	MEASURES RELATING TO THE RED FOR TOBACCO (with reference to Articles 6–14)	OUCTION OF DI	EMAND
3.2.1	6	Price and tax measures to reduce the den	nand for tobacco	
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)		
	Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:			
3.2.1.1	6.2(a)	 tax policies and, where appropriate, price policies on tobacco products so as to contribute to the health objectives aimed at reducing tobacco consumption? 	☐ Yes	▼ No
3.2.1.2	6.2(b)	 prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, sales to international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products? 	Yes	▼ No
3.2.1.3		 prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, imports by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products? 	Yes	▼ No
3.2.1.4	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 6 (<i>Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
3.2.1.5		ou have any other relevant information pertaining tion, please provide details in the space below.		red in this
	aba tax wit inc	ecent developments concerning tobacco taxation and number of any excise tax on tobacco products and tariff incidence on cigarette consumer price the requirements of Article 6.2 (a) of the Conversed tobacco taxation is one of the most effect ich can bring down tobacco consumption particulath.	s and reduced the ess. Sierra Leone is vention, in spite of ive demand side r	overall total not compliant the fact that neasures,

3.2.2	8.2	Protection from exposure to tobacco s	smoke	
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirm summary in the space provided at the ended relevant documentation. Please provide the six official languages.)	nd of the section and	attach the
		Have you adopted and implemented, what administrative or other measures or have appropriate, programmes on any of the	e you implemented,	
3.2.2.1		 banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places? 	✓ Yes	□ No
3.2.2.2		If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.2 measure providing for the ban?	.1, what is the type/r	nature of the
		national law	☐ Yes	▼ No
		• subnational law(s)	☐ Yes	▼ No
		administrative and executive orders	Yes	▼ No
		voluntary agreements	✓ Yes	□ No
		• other measures (<i>please</i> specify:	Yes	□ No
3.2.2.3		Please provide a brief explanation of the measures providing for the ban.	type/nature and con	tent of the
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 det	ails of this system.
		A friendly/voluntary agreement example and some tertiary and government depart with the inscription; "This is a no smokin applied to violators.	ment for the erection	n of a sign post

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		V	
	health-care facilities		>	
	• educational facilities ¹		V	
	• universities			V
	private workplaces			V
	• other (please specify:)			
	Public transport:			
	• airplanes			>
	• trains			V
	• ferries			V
	 ground public transport (buses, trolleybuses, trams) 			V
	 motor vehicles used as places of work (taxis, ambulances, delivery vehicles) 			V
	private vehicles			~
	• other (please specify:)			

¹ except universities

	Indoor public places:					
	cultural facilities			>		
	• shopping malls			~		
	pubs and bars			>		
	• nightclubs			V		
	• restaurants			V		
	• other (please specify:)					
3.2.2.7	Please provide a brief summary of comspecific details of the partial measures			rith		
	Banning tobacco smoking in indo	or workplaces				
	Banning tobacco smoking in publ	c transport				
	Banning tobacco smoking in indo	or public places				
3.2.2.8	Please provide a brief description of the prog (Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke submission of your last report.	_	_			
3.2.2.9	USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY PARTIES	THE CONFER	ENCE OF T	THE		
	Please use the space below to provide addition "Guidelines for implementation of Article 8 jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 4 document when responding to this question), provide detailed information through the additional guidelines. Response to this section or to the	of the WHO FCT ticle 8 of the step Alternatively, yo itional questionna	C" in your -by-step ins ou may wish aire on the u	tructions to use of		
3.2.2.10	If you have any other relevant information posection, please provide details in the space be	_	ot covered in	n this		

3.2.3	9	Regulation of the contents of tobacco produce (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative summary in the space provided at the end of a relevant documentation. Please provide documentation that six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where a administrative or other measures or have you appropriate, programmes on any of the follow	the answers, please the section and att mentation, if avail ppropriate, legisla implemented, wh	tive, executive,	
3.2.3.1		testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?	☐ Yes	▼ No	
		 testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products? 	☐ Yes	✓ No	
3.2.3.3		regulating the contents of tobacco products?	Yes	▼ No	
3.2.3.4		regulating the emissions of tobacco products?	☐ Yes	▽ No	
3.2.3.5	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 9 (<i>Regulation of the contents of tobacco products</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.				
	Т	Sierra Leone does not have any policy in place remissions of tobacco products. The Sierra Leone Standards Bureau has the capatowever no legal requirement exists for the performance of	pacity to test tob	acco products;	
3.2.3.6	USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES				
	jı d p	Please use the space below to provide additional in Guidelines for implementation of Articles 9 and 1 urisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 9 locument when responding to this question). Alterprovide detailed information through the additional guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional	0 of the WHO FC of the step-by-ste natively, you may I questionnaire on	TC" in your p instructions wish to the use of	
	iı	There is no policy in place requiring importers of information on the contents of tobacco products to public.			
	a	There is no relevant legislation and/or regulations in an emissions of tobacco products, and there are no icotine, carbon monoxide or any other ingredients	o limits set by law	for tar,	
3.2.3.7		f you have any other relevant information pertaining ection, please provide details in the space below.	ng to but not cove	red in this	

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 tobacco products to disclose Government authorities information about the: 					
		• 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?	☐ Yes	▼ No		
		emissions of tobacco products?	☐ Yes	▼ No		
3.2.4.3	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Art (Regulation of tobacco product disclosures) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.					
		Tobacco manufacturing no longer takes place operatobacco products purchased by consumers are important packages some information on contents and elegislation of the country of origin.	orted. Such produc	cts contain on		
3.2.4.4		USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE PARTIES	E CONFERENCE	OF THE		
		Please use the space below to provide additional in "Guidelines for implementation of Articles 9 and 1 jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 1 document when responding to this question). Alter provide detailed information through the additional guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional	0 of the WHO FC 0 of the step-by-st natively, you may I questionnaire on	TC" in your tep instructions wish to the use of		
3.2.4.5		If you have any other relevant information pertaini	ng to but not cove	red in this		
		section, please provide details in the space below.				

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)	 requiring that packaging and labelling do not promote a product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression about its characteristics, health effects, hazards or emissions? 	Yes	▼ No
3.2.5.3	11.1(b)	 requiring that each unit packet and package of tobacco products and any outside packaging and labelling of such products carry health warnings describing the harmful effects of tobacco use? 	☐ Yes	▼ No
3.2.5.4	11.1(b)(i)	ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?	☐ Yes	▽ No
3.2.5.5	11.1(b)(ii)	ensuring that the health warnings are rotated?	☐ Yes	▼ No
3.2.5.6	11.1(b)(iii)	ensuring that the health warnings are clear, visible and legible?	▽ Yes	□No
3.2.5.7	11.1(b)(iii)	If you answered "" to question 3.2.5.6, does your law mandate, as a minimum, a style, size and colour of font to render the warning clear, visible and legible?	☐ Yes	▼ No
3.2.5.8	11.1(b)(iv)	ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?	☐ Yes	▼ No
3.2.5.9		ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the principal display areas?	☐ Yes	▽ No
3.2.5.10	11.1(b)(v)	ensuring that health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?	☐ Yes	▼ No

3.2.5.11		If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.5.10, does the Government own the copyright to these pictures and pictograms?	☐ Yes	▼ No		
3.2.5.12		If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.5.10, would you grant a non-exclusive and royalty-free licence for the use of health warnings developed in your jurisdiction with other Parties?	Yes	□ No		
3.2.5.13	11.2	 requiring that each unit packet and packag outside packaging and labelling of such pa on relevant: 	_	~		
		• constituents of tobacco products	☐ Yes	▼ No		
		emissions of tobacco products	☐ Yes	▽ No		
3.2.5.14	11.3	 requiring that the warnings and other textual information appear on each unit packet and package and on any outside packaging and labelling in the principal language or languages of the country? 	Yes	▼ No		
3.2.5.15	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 11 (<i>Packaging and labelling of tobacco products</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.					
	cigar	The National Tobacco Control Strategy 2012-2016 requires that packages of cigarettes sold in Sierra Leone carry the warning "Smoking is dangerous to your health" this is yet to be implemented				
3.2.5.16		USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES				
	Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 11 of the WHO FCTC" in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 11 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary .					
	11 of the M 2013 warn	When discussing the future actions that are needed the Convention with the Attitudinal and Behave Ministry of Information, the international team (a) was advised that due to the high illiteracy rate ings should be bilingual (English and Krio), culd contain pictures or pictograms.	ioural Change on needs assess in the country,	Secretariat of ment May any future		
3.2.5.17	-	u have any other relevant information pertaining on, please provide details in the space below.	g to or not cove	red in this		

3.2.6	12	Education, communication, training and public awareness			
		(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, is one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:			
3.2.6.1	12(a)	- educational and public awareness programmes? (Please refer to programmes implemented since submission of your two-year report.)	▼ Yes	□ No	
3.2.6.2	If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.6.1, to whom are these protargeted?			se programmes	
		adults or the general public	▼ Yes	□ No	
		children and young people	V Yes	□ No	
		• men	V Yes	□ No	
		• women	▼ Yes	□ No	
		pregnant women	▽ Yes	□ No	
		ethnic groups	∨ Yes	□ No	
		• other (please specify:)	☐ Yes	□ No	
3.2.6.3		If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.6.1 key differences among targeted populatio public awareness programmes?		_	
		• age	☐ Yes	▽ No	
		• gender	☐ Yes	▼ No	
		educational background	Yes	▼ No	
		cultural background	☐ Yes	▽ No	
		socioeconomic status	☐ Yes	▽ No	
		• other (please specify:)	☐ Yes	□ No	

3.2.6.4	12(b)	If you answered "Yes" to question 3.2.6.1 awareness programmes cover:	, do these educati	onal and public	
		 health risks of tobacco consumption? 	✓ Yes	□ No	
		• health risks of exposure to tobacco smoke?	✓ Yes	□No	
		• benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles?	✓ Yes	□ No	
	12(f)	adverse economic consequences of			
		- tobacco production?	☐ Yes	▽ No	
		- tobacco consumption?	▼ Yes	□ No	
		adverse environmental consequences	s of		
		- tobacco production?	▽ Yes	□ No	
		- tobacco consumption?	▽ Yes	□ No	
3.2.6.5				-	
		• public agencies?	☐ Yes	▼ No	
		 nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry? 	☐ Yes	▼ No	
		• private organizations?	☐ Yes	▼ No	
		• other (<i>please specify:</i> Interreligious council)?	✓ 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	ropriate and special training or sensitization and awareness ames on tobacco control addressed to:		
		• health workers?	Yes	▼ No	
		• community workers?	☐ Yes	▼ No	
		• social workers?	☐ Yes	▼ No	

	media professionals?	☐ Yes	▼ No	
	• educators?	☐ Yes	✓ No	
	• decision-makers?	☐ Yes	▼ No	
	• administrators?	☐ Yes	▼ No	
	• other (please specify:)?	☐ Yes	□ No	
3.2.6.8	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 12 (<i>Education, communication, training and public awareness</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
	The Ministry of Youth Employment and Sport in partnership with the Ministry of Health and Sanitation (MoHS), worked to sensitize youth communities (mostly in the eastern and southern districts) within the framework of prevention of drug use.			
	GOAL Sierra Leone: an NGO working in health matters, in collaboration with the Health Education Division of the Ministry of Health and Sanitation, has developed posters and videos (for World No Tobacco Day 2012) on the health effects of tobacco use; in March 2012.			
3.2.6.9	USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES			
	Please use the space below to provide additional "Guidelines for implementation of Article 12 of jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article instructions document when responding to this owish to provide detailed information through the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to voluntary .	the WHO FCTC" e 12 of the step-by question). Alternational question	in your y-step ively, you may connaire on the	
	From the Communication angle in the MoHS, the level of awareness regarding the harmful effects of tobacco use and the benefits of not using tobacco is inadequate, even among the members of the staff of the Ministry. Many tobacco users are not aware of the health hazards and the addictive nature of tobacco, while non-tobacco users lack knowledge of the effects of exposure to tobacco smoke.			
3.2.6.10	If you have any other relevant information perta section, please provide details in the space below	-	overed in this	

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.)	and attach the		
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, any legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes:			
3.2.7.1	13.2	 instituting a comprehensive ban on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship? 	☐ 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			
		display and visibility of tobacco products at points of sales?	☐ Yes	□No	
		• the domestic Internet?	□Yes	□ No	
		• the global Internet?	☐ Yes	□ No	
		• brand stretching and/or brand sharing?	☐ Yes	□ No	
		 product placement as a means of advertising or promotion? 	Yes	□ No	
		the depiction of tobacco or tobacco use in entertainment media products?	☐ Yes	□ No	
		tobacco sponsorship of international events or activities and/or participants therein?	☐ Yes	□ No	
		contributions from tobacco companies to any other entity for "socially responsible causes" and/or any other activities implemented under the umbrella of "corporate social responsibility" by the tobacco industry?	Yes	□ No	
		cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory?	Yes	□ No	

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

3.2.7.10	13.4(e)	- restricting tobacco advertising, 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 (please specify:)?	☐ Yes	□ No
3.2.7.11	13.4(f)	 restricting tobacco sponsorship of: 		
		international events and activities?	☐ Yes	▼ No
		• participants therein?	☐ Yes	▼ No
	Whether you answered "Yes" or "No" to question 3.2.7.1, are you:			
3.2.7.12	13.6	 cooperating with other Parties in the development of technologies and other means necessary to facilitate the elimination of cross-border advertising? 	☐ Yes	▼ No
3.2.7.13	13.7	imposing penalties for cross-border advertising equal to those applicable to domestic advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory in accordance with national law?	☐ Yes	▼ No
3.2.7.14	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article (<i>Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.			
	The five-year deadline from the date of entry into force of the Convention for Sierra Leone will be 20 August 2014. It is expected that we fast track all resources needed to meet this deadline.			
3.2.7.15	USE OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES			OF THE
	Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding use of the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 13 of the WHO FCTC" in your jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 13 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to			your tep instructions

	provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary .
	Sierra Leone has not yet implemented any measures to ban cross-border tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship entering into or originating from its territory.
3.2.7.16	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

3.2.8	14	Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation				
		(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)				
		Have you adopted and implemented, whe executive, administrative or other measur where appropriate, programmes on any or	es or have you im			
3.2.8.1	14.1	 developing and disseminating appropriate, comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices? 	Yes	▼ No		
3.2.8.2	14.1	 programmes to promote cessation of 	tobacco use, incl	uding:		
		media campaigns emphasizing the importance of quitting?	Yes	▼ No		
		programmes specially designed	for:			
		 underage girls and young women 	☐ Yes	▼ No		
		o women	☐ Yes	☑ No		
		o pregnant women	☐ Yes	▼ No		
		telephone quitlines	☐ Yes	✓ No		
		local events, such as activities related to World No Tobacco Day or National No Smoking Day, if appropriate?	Yes	□ No		
		• other (please specify:)?	☐ Yes	□ No		
3.2.8.3	14.2(a)	design and implementation of progra cessation of tobacco use, in such loc		romoting the		
		educational institutions?	☐ Yes	▼ No		
		health-care facilities?	☐ Yes	▼ No		
		• workplaces?	□Yes	▼ No		

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

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

		• other (please specify:)?	Yes	□No
3.2.8.10	14.2(d)	facilitating accessibility and affordability of pharmaceutic products for the treatment of tobacco dependence?	cal	☐ Yes	✓ No
3.2.8.11	14.2(d)	If you answered "Yes" to questio products be legally purchased in			v can these
3.2.8.12	14.2(d)	If you answered "Yes" to questio products are legally available for your jurisdiction?		_	
		nicotine replacement therapy	y	Yes	□No
		• bupropion		Yes	□No
		varenicline		Yes	□ No
		• other (please specify:)	Yes	□ No
3.2.8.13	14.2(d)	If you answered "Yes" to questio covered by public funding or rein			f these products
		nicotine replacement therapy	y	☐ 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	Art	ase provide a brief description of the price	concern	ing tobacco deper	idence and
	The National Tobacco Control Strategy envisages programmes to put in place to provide low-cost, effective interventions to treat dependent users. In addition, the draft tobacco control legislation requires the Minister responsible for health to ensure that every district has a place where persons addicted to tobacco who wish to quit can obtain advice and treatment. District social coordinators can also be mobilized by the Ministry of Health and Sanitation through Local Government authorities, to promote or perform such work.				
3.2.8.15		E OF THE GUIDELINES ADOPTED RTIES	BY TH	HE CONFERENC	E OF THE
		ase use the space below to provide adduidelines for implementation of Article			

_	jurisdiction (please refer to the section on Article 14 of the step-by-step instructions document when responding to this question). Alternatively, you may wish to provide detailed information through the additional questionnaire on the use of guidelines. Response to this section or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary .
3.2.8.16	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.
	No health professionals have been formally trained and mobilized to provide cessation counselling and brief cessation.
	There is no national quit line for tobacco cessation.

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 brief summary in the space provided at the ence relevant documentation. Please provide document the six official languages.)	d of the section	and attach the		
		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	 requiring marking of all unit packets and packages of tobacco products and any outside packaging of such products to assist in determining the origin of the product? 	Yes	▼ No		
3.3.1.2	15.2(a)	 requiring marking of all unit packets and packages of tobacco products and any outside packaging of such products to assist in determining whether the product is legally sold on the domestic market? 	Yes	▼ No		
3.3.1.3	15.2(a)	 requiring that unit packets and packages of tobacco products for retail and wholesale use that are sold on the domestic market carry the statement: "Sales only allowed in" or carry any other effective marking indicating the final destination of the product? 	Yes	▼ No		
3.3.1.4	15.2(b)	 developing a practical tracking and tracing regime that would further secure the distribution system and assist in the investigation of illicit trade? 	Yes	▼ No		
3.3.1.5	15.3	 requiring that marking is presented in legible form or appears in the principal language and/or languages of the country? 	Yes	▼ No		
3.3.1.6	15.4(a)	 requiring the monitoring and collection of data on cross-border trade in tobacco products, including illicit trade? 	☐ Yes	▼ No		

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

3.3.1.14	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 15 (<i>Illicit trade in tobacco products</i>) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.
3.3.1.15	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.
	Illicit trade in tobacco products is a widespread phenomenon in Sierra Leone. No proper quantitative assessment of the size of the illicit market as a proportion of the total cigarette market has been performed yet in Sierra Leone, and it is not clear from which countries the illicit products originate.

3.3.2	16	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.)						
		executive, administrative or other measures of	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:					
3.3.2.1	16.1	 prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors? If "Yes", please specify the legal age: 	☐ Yes	▼ No				
3.3.2.2	16.1(a)	 requiring that all sellers of tobacco products place a clear and prominent indicator inside their point of sale about the prohibition of tobacco sales to minors? 	Yes	▼ No				
3.3.2.3	16.1(a)	 requiring that, in case of doubt, each seller of tobacco products requests that the purchaser provides appropriate evidence of having reached full legal age? 	Yes	▽ No				
3.3.2.4	16.1(b)	 banning the sale of tobacco products in any manner by which they are directly accessible, such as open store shelves? 	Yes	▼ No				
3.3.2.5	16.1(c)	 prohibiting the manufacture and sale of sweets, snacks, toys or any other objects in the form of tobacco products which appeal to minors? 	☐ Yes	▽ No				
3.3.2.6	16.1(d)	prohibiting the sale of tobacco products from vending machines?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
If	you answere	ed "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	listribution 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	▼ No
3.3.2.12	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.				
	There are no policies in place in Sierra Leone concerning sales of tobacco to and by minors, as required by Article 16 of the Convention. The National Tobacco Control Strategy makes recommendations on scaling up the national regulatory framework in this area				
3.3.2.13	If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.				

3.3.3	17	Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities (Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, measures or programmes on any of the following:						
3.3.3.1	17	promoting economically viable	e and sustainab	le alternativ	es for:			
		• tobacco growers?	☐ Yes	⋈ No	Not applicable			
		• tobacco workers?	☐ Yes	▼ No	Not applicable			
		• tobacco individual sellers?	Yes	▼ No	Not applicable			
3.3.3.2	Please provide a brief description of 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.							
	There is no Government programme or policy to actively promote economically viable alternatives for tobacco workers, growers and individual sellers. Possible alternatives for tobacco growers exist, but have not been promoted.							
	There is lack of data in relation to tobacco farmers.							
3.3.3.3	If you have any other 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						
		 (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 on of the six official languages.) Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following: 					
3.4.1.1	1.1 18 — implementing measures in respect of tobacco cultivation within y territory, which take into consideration:						
		the protection of the environment?	☐ Yes	▽ No	Not applicable		
		• the health of persons in relation to the environment?	Yes	▼ No	Not applicable		
3.4.1.2	18	implementing measures in respect territory, which take into considerate.	ating measures in respect of tobacco manufacturing within your which take into consideration:				
		the protection of the environment?	□Yes	▼ No	Not applicable		
		• the health of persons in relation to the environment?	□Yes	▽ No	Not applicable		
3.4.1.3	Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementin (<i>Protection of the environment and the health of persons</i>) in the past tw since submission of your last report.						
	tob Str inv	Sierra Leone does no grow significant volumes of raw tobacco and there is no tobacco manufacturing in the country. However, the National Tobacco Control Strategy recognises that given the current drive by multinational companies to invest in developing countries, Sierra Leone contains land that could potentially be the target of such investment.					
		policy exists to protect the environment acco growing	and the hea	alth of per	rsons in relation to		
3.4.1.4		you have any other relevant information point tion, please provide details in the space l		o but not	covered in this		

19	Liability					
	(Please check "Yes" or "No". For affirmative answers, please provide a brief summary in the space provided at the end of the section and attach the relevant documentation. Please provide documentation, if available, in one of the six official languages.)					
19.1	Does your tobacco control legislation contain measures regarding criminal liability for any violations of that tobacco control legislation?	Yes	▼ No	Not applicable		
19.1	Do you have separate criminal liability provisions in relation to tobacco control (outside of the tobacco control legislation)?	☐ Yes	▼ No	Not applicable		
19.1	Do you have any civil liability measures that are specific to tobacco control?	☐ Yes	▽ No	Not applicable		
19.1	Do you have any general civil liability provisions that could apply to tobacco control?	☐ Yes	▼ No	Not applicable		
19.1	Do you have civil or criminal liability provisions that provide for compensation for adverse health effects and/or for reimbursement of medical, social or other relevant costs?	☐ Yes	▽ No	Not applicable		
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	V No	Not applicable		
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	Not applicable		
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3.4.2.9	If you have any other 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.)	and attach the					
		Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislatic executive, administrative or other measures or have you implem where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:						
3.4.3.1	20.1(a)	 developing and/or promoting research that addresses: 						
		determinants of tobacco consumption?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		consequences of tobacco consumption?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		social and economic indicators related to tobacco consumption?	Yes	✓ No				
		• tobacco use among women, with special regard to pregnant women?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		• the determinants and consequences of exposure to tobacco smoke?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		identification of effective programmes for the treatment of tobacco dependence?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		identification of alternative livelihoods?	□Yes	▼ No				
		• other (please specify:)	☐ Yes	□ No				
3.4.3.2	20.1(b)	 training and support for all persons engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation? 	☐ Yes	▼ No				
3.4.3.3	20.3(a)	a national system for epidemiological surveilla	ance of:					
		• patterns of tobacco consumption?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		determinants of tobacco consumption?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		consequences of tobacco consumption?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		social, economic and health indicators related to tobacco consumption?	☐ Yes	▼ No				
		exposure to tobacco smoke?	☐ Yes	▼ No				

		• other relevant information (please specify:)	☐ Yes	□ No		
3.4.3.4	20.3(a)	If you answered "Yes" to any question under 3.4.3.3, please list all surveys, including the year of the survey, that you have undertaken in the past.				
3.4.3.5	20.3(a)	In reference to any question under 3.4.3.3, 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.				
3.4.3.6	20.4	regional and global exchange of publicly avail	able national:			
		scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information?	☐ Yes	▼ No		
		information on the practices of the tobacco industry?	☐ Yes	▽ No		
		• information on the cultivation of tobacco?	☐ Yes	▽ No		
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?	☐ Yes	▼ No		
		• pertinent jurisprudence?	☐ Yes	▼ No		
3.4.3.8	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.					
3.4.3.9	If you have any other 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)	 development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control? 	☐ Yes ☑ No	▼ Yes □ No	
4.2	22.1(b)	 provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? 	☐ Yes ☑ No	✓ Yes ☐ No	
4.3	22.1(c)	 appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12? 	☐ Yes ▼ No	▼ Yes No	
4.4	22.1(d)	 provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistic support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? 	☐ Yes ☑ No	▼ Yes □ No	
4.5	22.1(e)	identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?	☐ Yes ☑ No	☐ Yes ☑ No	
4.6	22.1(f)	promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?	☐ Yes 🔽 No	☐ Yes ☑ No	
4.7	If you answered "Yes" to any of questions 4.1–4.6, please identify the Party or Parties from which assistance was received or to which assistance was provided. Needs Assessment Mission completed jointly with the Secretariat of WHO				
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4.8	Please provide information about any assistance provided or received in the space below.
	Technical and Financial assistance was provided by WHO country office to advocate for the accession and ratification of the FCTC by His Excellency the President and parliament respectively, Develop National Tobacco Control Strategic Plan, Drafting of tobacco Control Bill.
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?
	(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?
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?
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).)
5.5	Please provide any other relevant information not covered elsewhere that you consider important.
	The Ministry of Health and Sanitation is committed to ensuring that Sierra Leone will promote implementation of the convention in the relevant bilateral and multilateral forum but decisive actions is yet to be seen.
5.6	Your suggestions for further development and revision of the reporting instrument:

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End of reporting instrument