QUESTIONNAIRE ON MEMBERS’ PARTICIPATION IN THE IPU 
AND FOLLOW-UP OF RESOLUTIONS

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Name and title of the person completing the questionnaire: ..............................................................................................

A. DECISION-MAKING RELATED TO PARTICIPATION IN IPU ACTIVITIES

A-1. What body is responsible for taking decisions related to the participation of your Parliament in IPU activities?

☐ The Parliament as a whole
☐ The Bureau of the Parliament or a similar body
☐ The national Inter-Parliamentary Group
☐ Other (please specify) ...........................................................................................................................................................

A-2. How is the composition of the body determined?

☐ Through a decision by the leadership of Parliament
☐ Through a decision of the national Inter-Parliamentary Group
☐ Nominations by political parties or groups (factions)
☐ Through another procedure (please specify) ....................................................................................................................

A-3. How often does the entity meet in the course of the year to consider IPU-related questions?

☐ Once a year
☐ In connection with every statutory session of the IPU
☐ More frequently
☐ As the need arises

B. DELEGATIONS TO IPU ASSEMBLIES

B-1. Who decides on the composition of your Parliament’s delegations to IPU Assemblies?

☐ Presiding Officer(s) of the Parliament
☐ The Bureau of the Parliament or a similar body
☐ The national Inter-Parliamentary Group
☐ Political parties or groups (factions)
B-2. What is the basis for determining the composition of delegations?

- Fixed composition for the term of the Parliament
- Composition varies depending on the nature and agenda of the meeting
- Other (please specify)

B-3. If the composition of the delegation changes, what criteria are used to select delegates?

- Nominations by political parties or groups (factions)
- Nominations by relevant parliamentary standing committees
- Expression of personal interest/expertise of delegates
- Efforts are made to ensure gender balance in delegation
- Efforts are made to ensure political diversity in delegations
- Other (please specify)

C. PREPARATION FOR AND FOLLOW-UP OF IPU MEETINGS

C-1. How are preparations for participation in IPU meetings made?

MULTIPLE CHOICES MAY APPLY

- Relevant parliamentary standing committees are consulted
- Parliamentary library/research service is involved in preparation
- Relevant government agencies are consulted
- Civil society and special interest groups are consulted
- Other (please specify)

C-2. How is the Parliament informed of the outcome of IPU meetings?

- Through delegations' reports submitted after the meetings
- By targeted distribution of IPU resolutions
- Through an annual report
- Through parliamentary debates (please provide examples)
- By other means (please specify)

C-3. How is the Government informed of the outcome of IPU meetings?

- Through delegations' reports or an annual report
- By targeted distribution of IPU resolutions
- By other means (please specify)
C-4. What forms of parliamentary action is taken to follow-up on IPU resolutions?

- No specific follow-up
- Committee Hearings
- Hearings with Government officials
- Resolutions in your national Parliament
- Review and amendment of existing legislation

Other (please specify) ........................................................................................................
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PLEASE DESCRIBE BRIEFLY ONE EXAMPLE OF PARLIAMENTARY ACTION TAKEN TO FOLLOW UP AN IPU RESOLUTION AND ITS IMPACT

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D. INVOLVEMENT IN OTHER IPU ACTIVITIES

In addition to IPU Assemblies in 2012, what other IPU activities has your Parliament been involved in?

- Benefited from national IPU capacity-building programmes
- Regional IPU events
- Field missions and/or capacity-building provided to other parliaments
- Annual Parliamentary Hearing at the United Nations
- Other joint UN-IPU meetings
- Other (please specify) ....................................................................................................
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Date: ....................................................  Signature: ..........................................................