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## Survey on Transparency in Sudan

### **Definitions of common terms used in this questionnaire:**

- *MPs*: members of the lower house/chamber of the national/federal parliament.
- *Financial disclosure laws*: laws that require MPs to disclose their assets and liabilities.
- *Business activities' disclosure laws*: laws that require MPs to disclose secondary employment and business activities in the private sector, such as membership in a company's board of directors, or being an officer or advisor in a company.
- *Family members' individual interests*: Business activities and assets and liabilities owned separately by the MP's family, such as non-marital assets. We only consider assets and interests owned independently by an MP's family member, assets jointly owned are not considered.
- *Post-tenure agreements*: employment agreements and/or business transactions that an MP enters into after completing his parliamentary term, such as an agreement to work for a certain company after completing their parliamentary term.



**[Sudan]**  
**Lower House of Parliament – [Al Majlis Al Watani]**

**PART 1: DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS**

If your country requires Members of Parliament (MPs) in the lower house to disclose their financial and/or business interests, please use the blank disclosure form to supplement the law when completing this section.

Disclosure requirement and frequency	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>1. Are MPs required to disclose their:</b>		
Assets and liabilities?	Yes	[   ]
Business activities (e.g. secondary employment, sources of income)?	No	[   ]
<b>2. When are MPs required to submit a disclosure form?</b>		
Upon taking and leaving office	Yes	[   ]
Upon taking office	No	[   ]
Annually	Yes	[   ]
Once every X years (please specify how often)	No	[   ]
<b>3. Are MPs required to disclose <u>changes</u> in assets or business activities prior to disclosure deadline (e.g., within 4 weeks of any change)?</b>	No	[   ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
Constitution 2005, Article 75 (1) Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 9 (1,3)		
The 1989 Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth provided for disclosure upon entry, exit, and annually. That law applies to several categories of public officials, including to what at the time was the National Assembly of Sudan. A constitutional requirement mandating disclosure was introduced in 2005, but an implementing decree as yet is lacking.		
This country file was completed on the basis of the 1989 law.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>		[   ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [   ]		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b>		
[   ]		

**1.1. DISCLOSURE OF ASSETS & LIABILITIES**

Report of Assets and Liabilities	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>4. Are MPs required to disclose the following assets and liabilities:</b>		
Personal residence	Yes	[   ]
<i>Details: Disclosure of exact location vs. monetary value</i>		
○ Value <i>and</i> exact location of the property	No	[   ]
○ Exact location	No	[   ]
○ Total value without the exact location	No	[   ]
○ Not specified	Yes	[   ]
Non-financial, non-movable assets (e.g., other real estate)	Yes	[   ]
<i>Details: Disclosure of exact location vs. monetary value</i>		
○ Value <i>and</i> exact location of the property	No	[   ]



○ Exact location	No	[ ]
○ Total value without the exact location	No	[ ]
○ Not specified	Yes	[ ]
Non-financial, movable assets (e.g., jewelry, vehicles)	Yes	[ ]
<i>Details: Disclosure of description vs. monetary value</i>		
○ Value and description of the asset	No	[ ]
○ Description of the asset	No	[ ]
○ Total value without descriptions	No	[ ]
○ Not specified	Yes	[ ]
Stock holdings and other securities	Yes	[ ]
<i>Details: Disclosure of name vs. monetary value</i>		
○ Value of stock and name of company in which they hold stocks	No	[ ]
○ Name of company in which they hold stock	No	[ ]
○ Total value of stock, without the name of the company	No	[ ]
○ Not specified	Yes	[ ]
<i>Details: Disclosure of all vs. certain types of stocks</i>		
○ All stock ownership	Yes	[ ]
○ Stock ownership in certain types of companies (e.g., in specific industries, in companies where the state is a partial owner)	No	[ ]
○ Stock above a certain threshold	No	[ ]
▪ Please specify the threshold	No	[ ]
Interest-bearing financial investments (e.g., bonds, savings accounts)	Yes	[ ]
○ Value of investment and name of company in which investment is held	No	[ ]
○ Name of company in which investment is held	No	[ ]
○ Total value of investment, without the name of the company	No	[ ]
○ Not specified	Yes	[ ]
Liabilities (e.g., loans, credits, mortgages)	No	[ ]
○ Name of lender and value of liability	No	[ ]
○ Name of lender only	No	[ ]
○ Total value of liability, without the name of the lender	No	[ ]
○ Not specified	No	[ ]

**Applicable law(s) and comments:**

Constitution 2005, Article 75 (1)

Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 3

Article 3 stipulates that the declaration should include all monies held by an official, in the form of cash, or movable assets, and non-movable assets, all income (periodic, or regular) as well as their sources and reasons.

Article 19 states:

The Attorney General may issue regulations and orders necessary to implement the provisions of the law and without prejudice, he may draft text in the existing regulations or orders on the following issues:

- Identification of a model disclosure form
- Procedure for:
  - submitting the disclosure form
  - keeping the documents
- Organization of:
  - the registration books of the disclosure forms
  - the works of investigations and examinations. [unofficial translation]



Due to the lack of secondary legislation, regulations, or a model disclosure form, it was assumed that Sudan does not require disclosure of its MPs.	
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]	
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]	

## 1.2. DISCLOSURE OF BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

In the questions below, please answer “yes” only if there is an *explicit* requirement to disclose specific items.

Report of income, secondary employment, and business activities	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>5. Are MPs required to disclose the <u>value</u> of their current income?</b>	Yes	[ ]
<b>6. Are MPs required to disclose <u>all</u> sources of income?</b>	Yes	[ ]
o Only <b>some categories of income</b> (i.e. paid secondary employment)	No	
<b>7. Are MPs required to disclose <u>unpaid</u> secondary employment?</b>	No	[ ]
<b>8. Are MPs required to disclose if they hold the following positions in companies:</b>		
Membership in <b>boards of directors?</b>	No	[ ]
o All types of board membership	No	[ ]
o In certain types of companies (e.g., in specific industries)	No	[ ]
o Only if the position is paid	No	[ ]
Positions as <b>officers</b> (e.g., CEO, CFO)?	No	[ ]
o All types of companies	No	[ ]
o In certain types of companies (e.g., in specific industries)	No	[ ]
o Only if the position is paid	No	[ ]
Positions as <b>advisors</b> (e.g., financial, legal, auditor)?	No	[ ]
o All types of advisory work	No	[ ]
o In certain types of companies (e.g., in specific industries)	No	[ ]
o Only if the position is paid	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> Constitution 2005, Article 75 (1) Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 3  Article 3 stipulates that all income, including its sources must be disclosed. The law is silent on any specific requirement to disclose positions as members in boards of directors, officers, advisors.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		

## 1.3. EXPENSES DISCLOSURE



Report on Expenses Disclosure	TA2009	Your answer
8i. Are MPs required to disclose any kind of expenses?	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s): [ ]</i>		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		

#### 1.4. FAMILY MEMBERS' DISCLOSURE

Report of family members' interests	TA 2009	Contributor
9. Are MPs required to disclose their family members' <u>independently owned</u> interests (as opposed to joint assets or interests)?	Yes	[ ]
10. Which family members are covered by the disclosure requirement?		
o Spouse	Yes	[ ]
o Dependent children	Yes	[ ]
o Other, please specify	No	[ ]
11. Are family members required to complete the same disclosure form as MPs?	Law is silent	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> Constitution, Article 75 (1) Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 9 (2)		
The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s): [ ]</i>		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		

What did you use to complete the sections above?	TA 2009	Contributor
Blank disclosure form	No	[ ]
Laws	Yes	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> Constitution Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990)		
<b>Comments:</b> [ ]		

#### 1.5. PUBLIC AVAILABILITY OF MPs' DISCLOSURE FORMS

Public Availability of MPs' Disclosure Forms	TA 2009	Contributor
12. <u>By law</u> , are filled out disclosure forms accessible by the public?	No	[ ]
13. <u>In practice</u> , does the public have access to the filled out disclosure forms?	No	[ ]
At a registrar where the public can request forms in person	No	[ ]



On the internet	No	[ ]
o Please specify the address	No	[ ]
Disclosures can be obtained from other sources	No	[ ]
o Please specify the source	No	[ ]
<b>14. Are filled out disclosure forms only available to the public under certain conditions?</b>	No	[ ]
With the express consent of the MP	No	[ ]
Other	No	[ ]
o Please specify	No	[ ]
<b>15. Does the law specify that only a summary of the disclosure is accessible by the public?</b>	No	[ ]
<b>16. In practice, does the public have access to the entire disclosure, as opposed to a summary?</b>	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> Constitution 2005, Article 75 (1) Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 13		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s): [ ]</i>		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		

## PART 2: RESTRICTIONS ON DOING BUSINESS IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR

In some countries, disclosure of business interests is not required, but there are restrictions on doing business in the private sector. Such provisions may be found in the constitution, election laws, standing orders of the parliament, anticorruption laws, conflict of interest or incompatibility laws, and ethics laws among others. Please consider all of the above sources of law to answer the questions.

Restrictions on business activities	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>17. During tenure, are MPs prohibited from all paid employment?</b>	No	[ ]
<b>18. During tenure, are MPs prohibited from the following activities in the private sector:</b>		
<b>Owning stock</b> of private companies?	No	[ ]
o Do MPs have to place their stockholding into a trust fund for the duration of their term in office	No	[ ]
o Are MPs restricted from owning certain types of stocks (e.g., in certain industries)	No	[ ]
o Are MPs restricted from owning stocks above a certain threshold	No	[ ]
▪ Please specify threshold	No	[ ]
Being <b>members of boards of directors</b> in companies?	No	[ ]
o In <i>all</i> types of company	No	[ ]
o In certain types of companies (e.g., in specific industries)	No	[ ]
o Are there restrictions on being a member of boards of directors only if the position is paid	No	[ ]
Being <b>officers</b> (CEO, CFO) in companies?	No	[ ]
o In <i>all</i> types of company	No	[ ]
o In certain types of companies (e.g., in specific industries)	No	[ ]



○ Are there restrictions on being an officer only if the position is paid	No	[ ]
Being an <b>advisor</b> to companies (e.g., financial, legal, auditor)?	No	[ ]
○ In <i>all</i> types of company	No	[ ]
○ In certain types of companies (e.g., in specific industries)	No	[ ]
○ Are there restrictions on being an advisor only if the position is paid	No	[ ]
<b>19. Are there other restrictions on activities in the private sector?</b>	No	[ ]
<b>20. Can restrictions on business activities in the private sector be lifted by a third party, such as the Speaker of the Parliament or the Comptroller?</b>	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
There are no restrictions on participation in the private sector, this has been confirmed by our contact from the Parliament. Only heads of Committees, their deputies, and the Speaker of Parliament function in suspension from all secondary employment. This is stipulated in the "Powers, privileges and immunities of members of the legislative and executive powers". We do not have a copy of this law.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b>		
[ ]		

### PART 3: DOING BUSINESS WITH THE GOVERNMENT

Provisions regulating doing business with the government may be found in the constitution, standing orders of the parliament, or public procurement laws. Please consider all these laws when answering this section.

Doing business with the government	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>21. Are MPs required to disclose doing business with the government?</b>		
Are MPs required to disclose <b>signing contracts</b> with the government (e.g., through participation in privatizations, state-led auctions, contract provisions)?	No	[ ]
○ Contracts in which they participate <u>directly</u> by themselves	No	
○ <u>indirectly</u> through third parties related to them or where they are involved	No	
○ With <i>all</i> government agencies	No	[ ]
○ Only with certain agencies (e.g., only if the contract is with parliament) or under certain conditions	No	[ ]
<b>22. Are MPs prohibited from doing business with the government?</b>		
Are MPs restricted from <b>signing a contract</b> with the government (e.g., through participation in privatizations, state-led auctions)?	No	[ ]
○ With <i>all</i> government agencies	No	[ ]
○ Only with certain agencies (e.g., if the contract is with parliament) or under certain conditions	No	[ ]
Are MPs restricted from <b>being a government contractor</b> (e.g., where an MP provides services or goods to the government directly or via third parties)?	No	[ ]
○ For all government agencies	No	[ ]
○ Only for certain agencies (e.g., if the contract is with parliament) or under certain conditions	No	[ ]
<b>23. Can restrictions on business relations with the government be lifted by a third party, such as the Speaker of the Parliament or the Comptroller?</b>	No	[ ]



<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> There are no restrictions and no requirement to disclose contracts with the government. This has been confirmed by our contact in the Parliament.	
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]	
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]	

**PART 4: OTHER RESTRICTIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS**

<b>Restrictions on holding two public offices</b>	<b>TA 2009</b>	<b>Contributor</b>
<b>24. Do MPs face restrictions on holding another public office during tenure (e.g., being a mayor or a judge at the same time as being an MP)?</b>	Yes	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> Constitution 2005, Article 86, 87		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[ ]	
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		
<b>Voting Rules</b>	<b>TA 2009</b>	<b>Contributor</b>
<b>25. Disclosure on voting</b> – Do MPs have to disclose the existence of a personal interest before voting in Parliament?	No	[ ]
o Upon disclosing the existence of a personal interest, are MPs allowed to vote?	No	[ ]
<b>26. Restrictions on voting</b> – Does the law prohibit the MP from voting in Parliament on matters in which he has a personal interest, without <i>explicitly</i> requiring the MP to disclose that interest?	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> Contact within Parliament mentioned that there is no explicit regulation on this matter.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[ ]	
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		
<b>Post-tenure Rules</b>	<b>TA 2009</b>	<b>Contributor</b>
<b>27. Disclosure of post-tenure agreements</b> – Are MPs required to disclose post-tenure agreements (e.g., employment agreements and/or business transactions that they will enter after completing their parliamentary term)?	No	[ ]
<b>28. Restrictions on post-tenure agreements</b> – Are MPs restricted from working in certain positions for a given period of time following the end of their term in office?	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> There are no post-tenure regulations in Parliament. This has been confirmed by our contact in the Parliament.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[ ]	
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		



Rules on Gifts	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>29. Disclosure on receiving gifts</b>		
○ Are MPs required to disclose gifts they receive?	No	[ ]
○ Is this disclosure public?	No	[ ]
○ Are MPs required to disclose gifts above a certain value?	No	[ ]
▪ Please specify the value in local currency	No	[ ]
<b>30. Restrictions on receiving gifts</b>		
○ Are MPs restricted from receiving gifts?	No	[ ]
○ Do MPs have to pay for gifts in order to keep them?	No	[ ]
○ Can MPs receive gifts up to a certain value?	No	[ ]
▪ Please specify the value in local currency	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
Contact within Parliament mentioned that he does not know of any such law.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s): [ ]</i>		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b>		
[ ]		
Rules on Travel	TA2009	Your answer
<b>31. Are MPs required to disclose their sponsored travel?</b>		
No		
<i>Details: Disclosure of identity of sponsor vs. monetary value</i>		
○ Value and identity of the sponsor	N/A	[ ]
○ Identity of the sponsor	N/A	[ ]
○ Total value without identity of the sponsor	N/A	[ ]
○ Not specified	N/A	[ ]
<b>32. Is this disclosure publicly available?</b>		
N/A		
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
Please note this section was only filled according to the Blank Disclosure Form.		
<b>Your Comments / Any missing laws?:</b>		
[ ]		

## PART 5: DISCLOSURE REGISTRAR

This section requests information about the government agency which maintains the completed financial and business interest disclosure forms. The registrar may also check the completeness of the disclosure forms. The registrar may also publish the data on how many MPs complied/failed to comply with their obligation to disclose ("compliance data"). Note that the public availability of compliance data is different from the public availability of the actual disclosures, which is addressed in another section. This section inquires about the profile and activities of the registrar.

Existence and profile of registrar	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>31i. Is there an agency in charge of maintaining the completed disclosure forms for MPs?</b>	Yes /1	[ ]
Does the registrar check the forms for completion?	No /2	[ ]
What forms does the registrar keep?		
○ Assets and liabilities	Yes	[ ]



<input type="checkbox"/> Business activities (secondary employment, positions in private firms)	Yes	[ ]
<b>32i. In addition to maintaining disclosures of MPs, does the registrar maintain the disclosure forms of:</b>		
Ministers?	Yes	[ ]
Judges?	Yes	[ ]
Civil servants?	Yes	[ ]
<b>33. Profile of registrar</b>		
	<b>TA 2009</b>	<b>Contributor</b>
Name	Bureau for Fighting Illicit Wealth, Attorney General's Office	[ ]
Contact information		[ ]
Website		[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 4, 5, 9 (1) /1 Article 4 and 5 stipulates that within the Attorney General's Office, a department entitled "Bureau for Fighting Illicit Wealth" shall be established shall be in charge of receiving the declarations. /2 By law, the registrar does not check for completion.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s): [ ]</i>		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		

Activities of the registrar	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>34. By law, does the registrar have to publish data on whether MPs complied/failed to comply with their obligation to disclose?</b>	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> The law and its amendments are silent on any requirements to publish compliance data.		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [ ]		
<b>35. In practice, are compliance data available?</b>		[ ]
What types of compliance data are available?		
<input type="checkbox"/> General statistics (compliance rates or percentages)		[ ]
<input type="checkbox"/> Publication of names of MPs who complied/did not comply		[ ]
With what frequency are compliance data reports published?		
<input type="checkbox"/> On a regular basis (please specify how often)		[ ]
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify)		[ ]
What is the source of compliance data?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Government website (please specify)		[ ]
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify)		[ ]
<b>36. Are there penalties for failure to submit completed disclosure forms?</b>	Yes	[ ]
<input type="checkbox"/> Please specify what kind of penalties	Imprisonment, fine	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		



Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 11	
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s): [ ]</i>	
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b>	
[ ]	

## PART 6: DATA INTEGRITY BODY

This section asks you to provide information about whether the content of the filled out disclosure forms is routinely verified.

Existence and functions of a data integrity body/agency	TA 2009	Contributor
<b>37. Is there a body/agency that is mandated by law to <u>routinely</u> check the content of the disclosure forms?</b>	No /1	[ ]
Does the body/agency check the content of the forms:		
o of all MPs?	No	[ ]
o of a random sample of MPs?	No	[ ]
o each submission period to verify that all information is accurate (e.g., by verifying the content against other records such as tax records, bank statements)?	No	[ ]
o by comparing the content of the forms upon taking and leaving office to discover irregular increases?	No	[ ]
o to ensure that MPs activities are not incompatible with their mandate?	No	[ ]
<b>38. Does the body/agency check the content of the forms if there is a complaint?</b>	Yes /1	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 5 (a.2, b, d), 10 (1, 2, 3, 4)		
/1 The law does not explicitly state that the audit function is conducted in a systematic manner. Article 5 (a.2,b) stipulate that the Bureau for Fighting Wealth Accumulation may 1) receive complaints that have to do with illicit wealth and look into the complaints if deemed necessary, 2) at its own initiative, initiate an investigation if it comes to its attention that an official may have amassed illicit wealth. Article 5 (d) stipulates that the Bureau has the power to refer the declarations of high level officials, including MPs to the audit committee, which is in charge of checking the declarations of the high level officials, including MPs, to further the investigation.		
Article 10 (1,4) stipulates that the Audit Committee investigates instances referred to it by the Bureau for Fighting Illicit Wealth. The purpose of the investigation is to ensure the veracity of the declarations. The Audit Committee is obligated to submit a report to the Bureau of the results of the audit.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[ ]	
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s): [ ]</i>		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b>		
[ ]		
<b>39. Details about the data integrity body</b>		
	<b>TA 2009</b>	<b>Contributor</b>
Name	Committee for Audit of Financial Declarations (Formed by Attorney General, and 4 members assigned by the National Revolutionary Council	[ ]
Contact information		[ ]



Website		[ ]
<b>40. What forms does the body check?</b>		
Assets and liabilities forms	TA 2009	Contributor
	N/A	[ ]
Business activities forms (secondary employment, positions in private firms)	N/A	[ ]
<b>41. Does the agency check the disclosure forms of other government officials:</b>		
Ministers?	Yes /1	[ ]
Judges?	Yes	[ ]
Civil servants?	No /2	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 5 (e)		
/1 The answer for Question 41 relates to checking the forms in response to a complaint.		
/2 Civil servants' disclosures are checked by the Bureau for Fighting Illicit Wealth, whereas the Committee for Auditing the Financial Disclosures checks the forms forwarded to it by the Bureau for Fighting Illicit Wealth. These include the disclosures of Ministers and MPs and constitutional appointees.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b>		
[ ]		

<b>Activities of the data integrity body/agency</b>	<b>TA 2009</b>	<b>Contributor</b>
<b>42. By law, is the body required to publish the results of checking the content of the forms?</b>	No	[ ]
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>		
The Audit Committee does not routinely check the disclosure forms. The Committee does check the disclosure forms in cases where there is a complaint against an official. The checking of the forms is considered a state secret.		
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>		[ ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [ ]		
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b>		
[ ]		
<b>43. In practice, are results of the integrity body's activities in relation to checking the content of disclosure forms available?</b>	No /1	[ ]
o General statistics are published (e.g., the content of 10% the disclosure forms was checked)	No	[ ]
o Other (please specify)	No	[ ]
How often are content checking results published?		
o On a regular basis (please specify how often)	No	[ ]
o Other (please specify)	No	[ ]
Where are content checking results published?		
o Government website (please specify)	No	[ ]
o Other (please specify)	No	[ ]
<b>44. Are there penalties for submitting false information in the disclosures?</b>	Yes	[ ]
o Please specify what kind of penalties	Imprisonment, fine	[ ]



<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b> Law on Fighting Illicit Wealth 1989 (amended 1990), Article 11, 12  /1 Article 12 stipulates that all disclosures and complaints relating to illicit wealth are considered secrets.	
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[      ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [      ]	
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [      ]	

**PART 7: SALARY DATA**

<b>Please provide the base salary for MPs in your country</b>	
Amount [25,000] Currency[Sudan Dinar] Per (month/year) [Month]	
<b>Applicable law(s) and comments:</b>	
<b>The law(s) identified above is (are) the applicable one(s):</b>	[      ]
<i>If NO, please cite the applicable law(s):</i> [      ]	
<b>Contributor's Comments:</b> [      ]	



**PART 8: REFORMS**

<b>Reforms in laws on financial disclosure or business activities</b>		
	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Are you aware of any changes that occurred between January 2003 and now to the laws and regulations the will affect answers to this survey?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If your answer is <b>Yes</b> , please briefly describe: 1) the goal of the reform [            ] 2) its major characteristics [            ] 3) the date the reform came into force [            ]		
<b>Are you aware of any changes expected by June 1, 2008 to the laws and regulations that will affect answers to this survey?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If your answer is <b>Yes</b> , please briefly describe: 1) the goal of the reform [            ] 2) its major characteristics [            ] 3) the date the reform will come into force [            ]		

**Thank you for confirming the responses in this questionnaire!**

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