


World Consumer Protection Map

Contribution by Guinea-Bissau

Page 2: Contact of respondent Q1 Guinea Bissau Name of responding member State Q2 Name of responding authority/agency: la Commission Ad Hoc chargée de l'Installation de l'Autorité Nationale de la Concurrence en Guinée-Bissau Page 3: Consumer protection legislation Q7 No Does your country's Constitution contain a provision on consumer protection? Q8 Respondent skipped this question If you do, please provide de following details: Q9 No Does your country have have specific law(s) on consumer protection? Q10 Respondent skipped this question If you do, when was the main specific law first enacted? Q11 Respondent skipped this question If your main specific law on consumer protection has been revised, when was the date of its latest revision?

Q12 Please provide the following details of the current specific law(s):	Respondent skipped this question
Q13 Please check all the fields that your consumer protections law(s) cover.	Respondent skipped this question
Page 4: Consumer protection legislation Q14 From your previous answer, your specific consumer protection law(s) do(es) not cover the following field(s). Please name the relevant law(s) covering this/these field(s):	Respondent skipped this question
Q15 Please indicate the URL Link of the relevant law(s) to each field:	Respondent skipped this question
Page 5: Consumer protection institutions Q16 Name of Ministry responsible for consumer protection:	Respondent skipped this question
Q17 URL link of responsible Ministry for consumer protection:	Respondent skipped this question
Q18 Year when consumer protection was assumed by the current responsible ministry:	Respondent skipped this question
Page 6: Consumer protection institutions Q19 Do you have a main consumer protection authority/agency?	No

Q20 Respondent skipped this question Name of main consumer protection authority/agency: Q21 Respondent skipped this question URL of main consumer protection authority/agency: **Q22** Respondent skipped this question Year of creation: Q23 Respondent skipped this question Annual budget: (in USD) **Q24** Respondent skipped this question Total number of staff: **Q25** Respondent skipped this question Total number of staff directly affected to consumer protection: **Q26** Respondent skipped this question Do you have a law/decree that governs the main consumer protection authority/agency? **Q27** Respondent skipped this question If you do, please provide the following details: **Q28** Respondent skipped this question Does your main consumer protection authority/agency have POLICY MAKING powers over any of the following fields? Page 7: Consumer protection institutions **Q29** Respondent skipped this question From your previous answer, your main authority/agency does not have POLICY MAKING powers over the following fields. Please name the relevant authorities/agencies with powers over these fields:

Q30	Respondent skipped this question
URL Link of the relevant authority/agency to each field:	
Q31	Respondent skipped this question
Does your main consumer protection authority/agency have ENFORCEMENT powers over any of the following fields?	
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Q32	
From your previous answer, your main consumer protection authority/agency does not have ENFORCEMENT powers over the following fields. Please name the relevant authorities/agencies with powers over these fields:	
Consumer rights/legitimate needs	Associação de Consumidores de Bens e Serviços (ACOBES)
Physical safety	Associação de Consumidores de Bens e Serviços (ACOBES) and Ministry of Health, Ministry of Commerce
Q33	Respondent skipped this question
URL Link of the relevant authority/agency to each field:	
Q34	Respondent skipped this question
Regarding enforcement, how many infringement cases does your authority/agency handle on average per year?	
Q35	Respondent skipped this question
Has your authority/agency imposed sanctions and/or other measures for breaches of consumer protection law(s)?	
Q36	Respondent skipped this question
Maximum amount for sanction/measure allowed by consumer protection law(s): (in USD)	
Q37	Respondent skipped this question

Record highest amount for any sanction/measure imposed: (in USD)

Q38 Please detail if necessary, what kind of sanctions and/or other measures are available in your jurisdiction	Respondent skipped this question	
Page 9: Consumer protection institutions Q39 Are there any non-governmental consumer organizations/associations in your country?	Yes	
Q40 Do you have a law/decree that governs consumer organizations/associations?	Respondent skipped this question	
Q41 In case you have a law/decree that governs consumer organizations, please provide the following details:	Respondent skipped this question	
Q42 Do consumer organizations/associations fulfil any of the following functions?	Respondent skipped this question	
Q43 Do consumer groups/associations receive public funding?	Respondent skipped this question	
Q44		
Name the three largest non-governmental consumer organizations/associations in your jurisdiction:		
1- Name	Associação de Consumidores de Bens e Serviços (ACOBES)	
1- Website	https://www.facebook.com/AcobesBissau/	
Page 10: Consumer protection institutions Q45 Can consumers obtain redress through judicial channels?	Respondent skipped this question	

Q46	Respondent skipped this question
Is there a specialized judicial mechanism for consumer complaints?	
Q47	Respondent skipped this question
If there is, please provide the following details	
Q48	Respondent skipped this question
Do you have collective redress/class actions for consumer complaints?	
Q49	Respondent skipped this question
Who can represent consumer interests in court?	
Q50	Respondent skipped this question
What is the highest damages award following a collective redress/class action?	
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Q51	Respondent skipped this question
Regarding out-of-court/alternative consumer dispute resolution, are there any of the following?	
Q52	Respondent skipped this question
If there are any of the above, please provide the following details:	
Q53	Respondent skipped this question
Are there any CROSS-BORDER out-of-court/alternative consumer dispute resolution initiatives?	
Q54	Respondent skipped this question
If there are, please provide the following details:	

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Q55 Are there any self-regulation initiatives from businesses?	Respondent skipped this question
Q56 Please provide (up to) 4 examples of the self-regulation initiatives from businesses:	Respondent skipped this question
Q57 Are there any co-regulation initiatives between businesses and public entities?	Respondent skipped this question
Q58 Please provide (up to) 4 examples of the co-regulation initiatives between businesses and public entities:	Respondent skipped this question
Q59 Do self-regulation and/or co-regulation initiatives cover any of the following issues? (Please relate to UNGCP Guideline 11)	Respondent skipped this question
Page 13: Consumer protection institutions Q60 What kind and how many international cooperation agreement(s) on consumer protection does your authority/agency participate in?	Respondent skipped this question
Q61 Please provide name and URL link of formal bilateral agreements (treaties):	Respondent skipped this question
Q62 Please provide name and URL link of informal bilateral agreements (memoranda of understanding):	Respondent skipped this question
Q63 Please provide name and URL link of formal multilateral/regionals agreements (treaties) that address consumer protection:	Respondent skipped this question

Q64 Respondent skipped this question Please provide name and URL link of informal multilateral/regionals agreements (memoranda of understanding) that address consumer protection: Q65 Respondent skipped this question Do cooperation agreements on consumer protection (be those formal/informal/bilateral/regional) cover any of the following fields? **Q66** Respondent skipped this question Does your consumer protection enforcement authority/agency have any of the following powers regarding cross-border fraudulent and deceptive commercial practices affecting consumers? Q67 Respondent skipped this question Do you have any experience in cross-border cooperation on enforcement? Q68 Respondent skipped this question If you do, please provide a short description Q69 Respondent skipped this question Do you engage in technical cooperation or capacity building activities on consumer protection? Q70 Respondent skipped this question If you have engaged in technical cooperation or capacity building activities on consumer protection as a recipient/as donor and/or through an international organization/network, please provide the following details for each initiative Page 14: Consumer protection policies Q71 Respondent skipped this question Does your authority/agency carry out information and education initiatives?

Q72 Do information and education initiatives carried out by your authority/agency cover any of the following fields?	Respondent skipped this question
Q73 Does your authority/agency provide specific education and information initiatives for vulnerable and disadvantaged consumers?	Respondent skipped this question
Q74 If your authority/agency does, please provide the following details:	Respondent skipped this question
Q75 Do consumer organizations/associations provide education and information initiatives?	Respondent skipped this question
Q76 If consumer organizations/associations do, please provide the following details:	Respondent skipped this question
Page 15: Consumer protection policies Q77 Does your authority/agency conduct research and analysis on consumer protection issues?	Respondent skipped this question
Q78 If your authority/agency does, please provide the following details:	Respondent skipped this question
Q79 Do other organizations/associations conduct research and analysis on consumer protection?	Respondent skipped this question
Q80 If other organizations/associations do, please provide the following details:	Respondent skipped this question