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Strengthening Implementation of the World Health Organization Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC) Article 5 in the Region of the Americas: A Virtual Training Series

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#### Looking for concrete actions toward counteracting TI interference:

1- <u>A Caribbean Workshop on Article 5.3</u>: this point is key to Capacity Building as the TI strategies are dynamic and driven by the industry's strong economic resources.

2- <u>Research on the economic impact of smoke-free environments on tourism</u>, in order to counteract the argument and predictions frequently used by the tobacco industry against SFE policy.

3- <u>The use of South-South cooperation</u> approaches will leverage lessons learned by experienced countries, including specific arguments and counterarguments that have already been utilized in the Caribbean context.

#### **STOP's Mission**



STOP is a global tobacco industry watchdog.

STOP's mission is to expose and counter industry behavior that undermines public health.

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