DEMOGRAPHIC YEARBOOK

REPORTING COUNTRY: Singapore
REPORTING YEAR: 2004

Statistics Division - United Nations
Demographic Statistics Section-Questionnaire on Vital Statistics

QUALITY OF VITAL STATISTICS OBTAINED FROM CIVIL REGISTRATION

In order to check and bring up to date our information on the "basis of tabulation" and the "completeness of registration" of vital events in your country, and also to enable us to present in the Demographic Yearbook more details on the quality of your vital statistics, it would be appreciated if you would supply the following information by marking "X" in the appropriate column or specifying the year as requested:

	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Late foetal deaths	Marriages	Divorces
I. Basis of tabulation						
Present basis of tabulation:						
date of occurrence	X					
date of registration		X	X	X	X	X
How long has the present basis of tabulation been used?	Before 1960	Before 1960	Before 1960	Before 1960	Before 1960	Before 1980
II. Estimated completeness of registration						
90 per cent or more	X	X	X	X	X	X
75-89 per cent						
50-74 per cent						
Under 50 per cent						
Please specify:						
(a) Year(s) to which completeness estimate refers	Before 1960	Before 1960	Before 1960	Before 1960	Before 1960	Before 1980
(b) Basis of completeness estimate (*)						
-Demographic analysis	X	X	X	X	X	X
-Dual record check						
-Questions in population census						
-Questions in sample surveys						
-Other (specify)						
-No evaluation						

QUALITY OF VITAL STATISTICS OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES

	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Late foetal deaths	Marriages	Divorces
I. Basis of vital statistics estimates						
-Population censuses (date)						
-Sample surveys						
-Population registers	X	X	X	X	X	X
-Dual record systems						
-Other (specify)						

(*) please include any published or unpublished reports describing completeness of registration and methods used in arriving at estimated completene