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The Delegation of Japan to the Conference on Disarmament in Geneva presents its compliments to the Implementation Support Unit of the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May be Deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects (CCW) and has the honour to submit herewith the National Annual Report on the Protocol on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Mines, Booby-Traps and Other Devices as amended on 3 May 1996 (Amended Protocol II) from Japan.

The Delegation of Japan to the Conference on Disarmament in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Implementation Support Unit of the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May be Deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects (CCW) the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 1st April 2015



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AMENDED PROTOCOL II

PROTOCOL ON PROHIBITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF MINES, BOOBY-TRAPS AND OTHER DEVICES, AS AMENDED ON 3 MAY 1996, ANNEXED TO THE CONVENTION ON PROHIBITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF CERTAIN CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS WHICH MAY BE DEEMED TO BE EXCESSIVELY INJURIOUS OR TO HAVE INDISCRIMINATE EFFECTS

(Protocol II as amended on 3 May 1996)

SUMMARY SHEET

Summary Reporting Format for Article 13 paragraph 4 and Article 11 paragraph 2, pursuant to the decision of the Fifth Annual Conference of the States Parties to CCW Amended Protocol II as stipulated in paragraph 20 of its Final Document, CCW/AP.II/CONF.5/2

NAME OF THE HIGH
CONTRACTING PARTY: JAPAN

DATE OF SUBMISSION: 31st March 2015

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AMENDED PROTOCOL II

This information can be available to other interested parties and relevant organizations:

YES

NO

Reporting for time period

from: **01/01/2014**

dd/mm/yyyy

to: **31/12/2014**

dd/mm/yyyy

Form A: Dissemination of information:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2007)

Form B: Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2007)

Form C: Technical requirements and relevant information:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2007)

Form D: Legislation:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2007)

Form E: International technical information exchange, co-operation on mine clearance, technical co-operation and assistance:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2012)

Form F: Other relevant matters:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2007)

Form G: Information to the UN-database on mine clearance:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2007)

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REPORTING FORMATS

for Article 13 paragraph 4 and Article 11 paragraph 2

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YES

NO

Partially, only the following forms:

A

B

C

D

E

F

G

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**Form E International technical information exchange, cooperation
on mine clearance, technical cooperation and assistance**

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (e)

“The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the
Depositary [...] on [...]:

(e) measures taken on international technical information exchange, on
international cooperation on mine clearance, and on technical cooperation
and assistance;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

JAPAN

Reporting for time period

from: **01/04/2014**

to:

31/03/2015

dd/mm/yyyy

dd/mm/yyyy

INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE:

None.

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ON MINE CLEARANCE:

See the attached form Annex E.

TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE:

See the Attached form Annex E.

**The Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) also facilitates south-south
cooperation between landmine/ERW affected countries.**

Annex (for Form E)

Reporting for the time period from April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015

	Country	Recipients	Purpose	US\$
International Cooperation on Mine Action	Cambodia	Japan Mine Action Service (JMAS)	Capacity Building Project on Demining for CMAC	887,097
			Capacity Building Project on Explosive Remnants of War for CMAC	509,723
		The Government of Cambodia	The Programme for Integrated Mine Clearance and Landmine Victim Assistance (Phase II)	9,257,732
		ASEAN Secretariat	Regional Seminar on the Establishment of an ASEAN Regional Mine Action Centre (ARMAC)	58,733
	Lao PDR	The Government of Lao PDR	Project for Acceleration of UXO Clearance for Rural Development and Poverty Eradication	8,907,216
		JICA	Advisor for Strengthening Training Management Capacity of UXO Clearance	329,897
			Laos-Cambodia South-South Cooperation on UXO / Mine Action Sector	195,876

	Lao National Unexploded Ordnance Programme (UXO Lao)	The Project for Support to the Operations of the Lao National Unexploded Ordnance Programme (UXO Lao) in Champasack and Saravane Province, Lao PDR	705,242
	Japan Mine Action Service (JMAS)	Technical transfer to UXO Lao and Rebuilding the UXO Training Center (The first stage)	932,591
Thailand	Peace Road Organization Foundation	The Project for Clearance of Landmines/UXOs along Thai – Cambodia border through Land Release Method	391,963
Lebanon	Norwegian People's Aid-Lebanon	The Project for the Clearance of Unexploded Cluster Munitions in the Governorate of Nabatieh	294,708
	Dan Church Aid	The Project for Providing the Equipment for Clearance of Landmines and Unexploded Cluster Munitions in Lebanon	89,775
Georgia	HALO Trust	The Project for ERW (Explosive Remnants of War) Clearance in Gardabani and Sagarejo District	715,534
Palau	Japan Mine Action Service (JMAS)	Explosive Remnants of War (ERW) Clearance In the Sea of Koror State (The third stage)	668,754
Sri Lanka	Mines Advisory Group (MAG)	The Project for Humanitarian Mine Action to Support Resettlement and Development in Mannar District	539,702

	Delvon Assistance for Social Harmony	The Project for Peace Building and Rehabilitation through Demining in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka	727,036
Afghanistan	The Halo Trust	The Project for Mine Action for Reintegrees in Parwan, Baghlan and Takhar Provinces	696,310
	Association for Aid and Relief, Japan (AAR)	Mine Action in Afghanistan	555,259
	UNMAS	Aid to Afghanistan	2,000,000
Jordan	Japan Iraq medical network	Project for Injured Refugees of the Syrian Crisis	150,900
Yemen	UNICEF	Life Saving and Early Recovery Support to affected Children and Women in Yemen	298,700
Mozambique	HANDICAP INTERNATIONAL	The Project for Humanitarian Mine Clearance Activities in Sofala Province	390,807
Sudan	Association for Aid and Relief, Japan (AAR Japan)	Mine Risk Education in Sudan	382,423

Angola	The HALO Trust	The Project for Minefield Survey in Huila Province	79,430
Iraq	Iraq Mine & UXO Clearance Organization	The Project for the Provision of Equipment for Mine/UXO Clearance in Basra Governorate	3,523,913
DR Congo	UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS)	Supporting Peace Consolidation and Stability in the Democratic Republic of Congo through Humanitarian Mine Action	4,500,000
	Norwegian People's Aid	Le Projet d'enquête technique et déminage dans la province du Katanga et renforcement de capacité du Centre Congolais de lutte Anti-Mines 'CCLAM'	677,894
Palestine	United Nations Children's Fund	Life-saving support to affected children and women in Gaza	60,000
	UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS)	Mitigation of the Threat Posed by Explosive Hazards in Gaza	3,000,000
South Sudan	UNMAS	Creation of Quick Response Capacity and Provision of Support to the Japanese Engineering Contingent (JEC)	2,500,000
	United Nations Children's Fund	Provision of Life-Saving Emergency Interventions for Vulnerable Populations including refugees in South Sudan	1,630,247

Azerbaijan	NATO	Azerbaijan II (UXO/MINEs clearance)	61,051
Somalia	UNMAS	Explosive Hazard Management in South Central Somalia	3,000,000
ICRC		ICRC Mine Action 2014	250,887
UNMAS		UNMAS Headquarters Coordination Cost	88,124
		Total	Approx. 49,057,524 (49 million)
		35 projects	