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March 31, 2012

Dear *Bantan,*

Forwarded herewith are the following CCW Annual Reports of India:

- i) On compliance, for the period October 2011 to March 2012, pursuant to the decision of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Review Conference of CCW on the establishment of a compliance mechanism applicable to the Convention, as contained in its final Declaration Annex II, Paragraph V (CCW/CONF/III/11, Part II);
  - ii) On Amended Protocol II for the period April 2011 to March 2012, pursuant to the decision of the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the State Parties to CCW Amended Protocol II as stipulated in paragraph 20 of its final report, CCW/AP-II/CONF.5/2; and
  - iii) On Protocol V for the period April 2011 to March 2012 pursuant to paragraph 26 of the Report of the First Conference on Protocol V held in November 2007.
2. The electronic copies of the reports are being e-mailed separately.

*Regards,*

Yours sincerely,

*Vipul*  
(Vipul)

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**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)  
PROTOCOL ON EXPLOSIVE REMNANTS OF WAR (PROTOCOL V)**

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NATIONAL ANNUAL REPORT OF CCW PROTOCOL V**

Name of State Party: **Republic of India**  
Reporting Period: **01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012**

**Form A:** Steps taken to implement **Article 3** of the Protocol: Clearance, removal or destruction of ERW

Changed

Unchanged (last reporting :)

**Non Applicable**

**Form B:** Steps taken to implement **Article 4** of Protocol: Recording, retaining & transmission of information

Changed

Unchanged (last reporting: 2010)

Non Applicable

**Form C:** Steps taken to implement **Article 5** of the Protocol: Other precaution for the protection of the civilian population, individual civilians and civilian objects from the risks and effects of ERW

Changed

Unchanged (last reporting: )

**Non Applicable**

**Form D:** Steps taken to implement **Article 6** of the Protocol: Provisions for the protection of humanitarian missions and organisations from the effects of ERW

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Unchanged (last reporting: )

**Non Applicable**

**Form E:** Steps taken to implement **Article 7** of the Protocol: Assistance with respect to existing ERW

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Unchanged (last reporting: )

**Non Applicable**

**Form F:** Steps taken to implement **Article 8** of the Protocol: Cooperation and assistance

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Unchanged (last reporting: )

**Non Applicable**

**Form G:** Steps taken to implement **Article 9** of the Protocol: Generic Preventive Measures

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**Unchanged (last reporting: 2008)**

Non Applicable

**Form H:** Steps taken to implement **Article 11** of the Protocol: Compliance

Changed

**Unchanged (last reporting: 2008)**

Non Applicable

**Form I:** Other relevant matters

**Changed (last reporting: 2010)**

Unchanged

Non Applicable

**FORM A** Steps taken to implement Article 3 of the Protocol: Clearance, removal or destruction of ERW

High Contracting Party: Republic of India.  
Reporting Period: 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

**Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 3**

This Article applies to ERW which may be generated in future conflicts. Hence, the implementation of provisions under this Article is not applicable for the current reporting period i.e from 01 Apr 2011 to 31 March 2012.

**Any other relevant information**

Nil

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**FORM B** Steps taken to implement Article 4 of the Protocol: Recording, retaining and transmission of information

High Contracting Party: Republic of India.  
Reporting Period: 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

**Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 4 and the Technical Annex**

The revised Generic Electronic Template, for effective implementation of Article 4 (Recording, Retaining and Transmission of Information) of Protocol V on ERW has been recommended for adoption by the Armed Forces

**Any other relevant information**

Nil

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**FORM C** Steps taken to implement Article 5 of the Protocol: Other precautions for the protection of the civilian population, individual civilians and civilian objects from the risks and effects of ERW

High Contracting Party: Republic of India.  
Reporting Period: 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

**Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 5 and the Technical Annex**

This Article applies to ERW which may be generated in future conflicts. Hence, the implementation of provisions under this Article is not applicable for the current reporting period i.e. from 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012.

**Any other relevant information**

Nil

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**FORM D** Steps taken to implement Article 6 of the Protocol: Provisions for the protection of humanitarian missions and organizations from the effect of ERW.

High Contracting Party: Republic of India.  
Reporting Period: 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

**Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 6**

This Article applies to ERW which may be generated in future conflicts. Hence, the implementation of provisions under this Article is not applicable for the current reporting period i.e. from 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012.

**Any other relevant information**

Nil

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**FORM E** Steps taken to implement Article 7 of the Protocol: Assistance with respect to existing ERW

High Contracting Party : Republic of India.  
Reporting Period : 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

**Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 7**

India does not possess any existing ERW. Hence, the implementation of provisions under this Article is not applicable in our context.

**Any other relevant information**

Nil

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**FORM F** Steps taken to implement Article 8 of the Protocol: Compliance

High Contracting Party: Republic of India.  
Reporting Period: 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

**Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 11**

This Article applies to ERW which may be generated in future conflicts. Hence, the implementation of provisions under this Article is not applicable for the current reporting period i.e. from 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012.

**Any other relevant information**

Nil

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**FORM G** Steps taken to implement Article 9 of the Protocol: Generic preventive measures

High Contracting Party : Republic of India.

Reporting Period : 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 9 and the Technical Annex.

No change from last report (Initial National Report of 2008).

Any other relevant information

Nil

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**FORM H** Steps taken to implement Article 11 of the Protocol: Generic preventive measures

High Contracting Party : Republic of India.

Reporting Period : 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 11

No change from last report (Initial National Report of 2008).

Any other relevant information

Nil

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**FORM I** Other relevant matters

High Contracting Party: Republic of India.

Reporting Period: 01 April 2011 to 31 March 2012

Any other relevant information

Guide on 'National Reporting' by the Armed Forces has been adopted as 'best practices' and being used while preparing our national annual reports on Protocol V.