

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)

REPORTING FORMATS (PROTOCOL II – Amended)

for Article 13 paragraph 4 and Article 11 paragraph 2

NAME OF THE HIGH CONTRACTING PARTY:	THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK
DATE OF SUBMISSION:	16 MARCH 2012
NATIONAL POINT(S) OF CONTACT:	MINISTRY OF DEFENCE TEL: +45 3392 3320, FAX: +45 3392 0655 fmn@fmn.dk MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS TEL: +45 3392 0000, FAX: +45 3254 0533 sp@um.dk

(Organization, telephones, fax, e-mail)

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

YES

NO

Partially, only the following forms:

A

B

C

D

E

F

G

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

Form A Dissemination of information

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (a)

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

(a) dissemination of information on this Protocol to their armed forces and
to the civilian population;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

DENMARK

Reporting for time period

from: **1 JAN 2011**

dd/mm/yyyy

to:

31 DEC 2011

dd/mm/yyyy

INFORMATION TO THE ARMED FORCES:

Information regarding the commitments and obligations set forth in the Convention on Certain Weapons was issued to the armed forces by letter on the 22nd of July 1996. During training all military personnel are informed that Denmark, in accordance with the CCW, no longer uses anti personnel mines or booby-traps. All personnel – military as well as civilians - participating in observer missions, humanitarian, peacekeeping, and other operations, etc. have prior to their deployment, completed relevant mine awareness training

INFORMATION TO THE CIVILIAN POPULATION:

Information is disseminated i.a. by news media and NGOs

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

Form B **Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes**

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (b) “The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the
Depository [...] on [...]:

(b) mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

DENMARK

Reporting for time period

from: **1 JAN 2011**

dd/mm/yyyy

to:

31 DEC 2011

dd/mm/yyyy

MINE CLEARANCE PROGRAMMES:

Clearing of minefield “Skallingen ” north of Esbjerg started in 2007 by The Ministry of Transport and Energy coordinated by Danish Coastal Authority, Højbovej 1, DK 7620 Lemvig. Clearing expected to be completed before July 2012.

REHABILITATION PROGRAMMES:

N/A

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

Form C Technical requirements and relevant information

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (c)

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

(c) steps taken to meet technical requirements of this Protocol and any
other relevant information pertaining thereto;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

DENMARK

Reporting for time period

from: **1 JAN 2011**

to:

31 DEC 2011

dd/mm/yyyy

dd/mm/yyyy

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Clearing of minefield "Skallingen " north of Esbjerg started in 2007 by The Ministry of Transport and Energy coordinated by Danish Coastal Authority, Højbovej 1, DK 7620 Lemvig. Clearing expected to be completed before July 2012.

ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION:

None

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

Form D Legislation

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (d)

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

(d) legislation related to this Protocol;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

DENMARK

Reporting for time period

from: **1 JAN 2011**

to:

31 DEC 2011

dd/mm/yyyy

dd/mm/yyyy

LEGISLATION:

No other measures in addition to the legal, administrative, and other measures already in force have been deemed necessary to comply with amended Protocol II.

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

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:

DENMARK

Reporting for time period

from: **1 JAN 2011**
dd/mm/yyyy

to: **31 DEC 2011**
dd/mm/yyyy

INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE:

Formal exchange of technical information between the defence forces of the Nordic countries, as well as in NATO/PfP working groups has been established.

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ON MINE CLEARANCE:

Membership of Organisations pertaining to mine action: ICBL, Geneva Call, GICHD and Ottawa Sponsorship Programme including ISU, SALW.

TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE:

Technical assistance provided to Burma, Somalia/Somaliland, Libya, Afghanistan, Sudan, DR Congo, Angola.

Assistance provided through: Dan Church Aid, Danish Demining Group, IFRC and UNMAS.

Total funds allocated to humanitarian mine action in 2011: DKK 52.600.000.

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

Form F

Other relevant matters

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (f)

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

(f) other relevant matters.”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

DENMARK

Reporting for time period

from: **1 JAN 2011**

dd/mm/yyyy

to:

31 DEC 2011

dd/mm/yyyy

OTHER RELEVANT MATTERS:

N/A

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

Form G Information to the UN-database on mine clearance

Article 11,
paragraph 2,

“2. Each High Contracting Party undertakes to provide information to the database on mine clearance established within the United Nations System, especially information concerning various means and technologies of mine clearance, and lists of experts, expert agencies or national points of contact on mine clearance.”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

DENMARK

Reporting for time period

from: **1 JAN 2011**

to: **31 DEC 2011**

dd/mm/yyyy

dd/mm/yyyy

MEANS AND TECHNOLOGIES OF MINE CLEARANCE:

Manual and mechanical means are employed by mainly national workforce trained and supervised by international experts.
Technical measures involve mine clearing devices such as Minihound, Minewolf and Hydrema 910 mine clearing vehicles.

LISTS OF EXPERTS AND EXPERT AGENCIES:

Danish Demining Group
Danish Refugee Council
Borgergade 10, 3.
Dk-1300, Copenhagen K
+45 33735000 / Mail: ddg@drc.dk

Damasec J Jensen Group
J Jensen a/s
Højlundevej 8
DK-3540 Lyngø
+45 48253268 / Mail: hr@damasec.com

NATIONAL POINTS OF CONTACT ON MINE CLEARANCE:

EOD and Search Centre (ESC)
Engineer Regiment – Danish Engineer and CBRN Centre
Skive Barracks, DK- 7800 Skive, Denmark
+45 72284000 / Mail: igr-igeod1@mil.dk

AMENDED PROTOCOL II