The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Turkey to the United Nations Office at Geneva and other International Organizations in Switzerland presents its compliments to the Geneva Branch of the United Nations Department for Disarmament Affairs and has the honour to enclose herewith the Report of the Republic of Turkey concerning Amended Protocol II 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 (CCW), as well as the Compliance Report covering the period from 01 January 2015 to 31 December 2015 pursuant to the Decision of the Fourth CCW Review Conference on the establishment of a Compliance Mechanism applicable to the Convention, as contained in its Final Declaration, Annex III, Paragraph 3.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Turkey to the United Nations Office at Geneva and other International Organizations in Switzerland avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Geneva Branch of the United Nations Department for Disarmament Affairs the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 31 March 2016

Encl: as stated above

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FORM A: Dissemination of information

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(a) Dissemination of information on the Convention and its annexed Protocols to their armed forces and to the civilian population;"

High Contracting Party: Republic of Turkey

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☐ additional information of dissemination of information on CCW Amended Protocol II to armed forces and civilian population is contained in the National Annual Report provided in accordance with paragraph 4(a) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year:

☐ additional information on dissemination of information on CCW Protocol V is contained in the National Report provided pursuant to paragraph 2 (b) of Article 10 of Protocol V for the year:

Information to the armed forces, including the extent to which the CCW and its Protocols are part of military manuals and the training curriculum of its armed forces:

Information to the civilian population, including information on any programs, courses or documentation to disseminate the CCW to non-military audiences:

Any other relevant information:

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FORM B: Technical requirements and relevant information

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(b) Steps taken to meet the relevant technical requirements of the Convention and its annexed Protocols and any other relevant information pertaining thereto;"

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☐ additional information on steps taken to meet technical requirements of Amended Protocol II and other relevant information pertaining thereto is contained in the National Annual Report provided pursuant to paragraph 4(c) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year: __________

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Steps taken to meet the relevant technical requirements of the Convention and its annexed Protocols:

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Any other relevant information:

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FORM C: Legislation

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(c) Legislation related to the Convention and its annexed Protocols;"

High Contracting Party: Republic of Turkey

Reporting period: from 01/01/2015 to 31/12/2015

☐ additional information of legislation related to Amended Protocol II is contained in the National Annual Report provided pursuant to paragraph 4(d) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year

☐ additional information on legislation related to Protocol V is contained in the National Report provided pursuant to paragraph 2 (b) of Article 10 of Protocol V for the year:

Legislation, including the status and content of national legislation to prevent and suppress violations of amended Protocol II:

The Law (No: 6586) on the establishment of Mine Action Center was ratified by Turkish National Assembly on February 2015.

Any other relevant information, including the regulations and policies (other than national legislation) adopted to implement the CCW's obligations and ensure compliance with its Protocols:
FORM D: Technical cooperation and assistance

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(d) Measures taken on technical co-operation and assistance;"

High Contracting Party: Republic of Turkey

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☐ additional information of measures taken on international technical information exchange, on international cooperation on mine clearance, and on technical cooperation and assistance is contained in the National Annual Report provided in accordance with paragraph 4(e) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year: __________

☐ additional information on measures taken on international technical cooperation and assistance is contained in the National Report provided pursuant to paragraph 2 (b) of Article 10 of Protocol V for the year: __________

International technical co-operation, including relevant experiences in seeking or providing technical assistance and cooperation:

- Training and cooperation on mine clearance and mine destruction techniques continues with NATO, Partnership for Peace member countries, and Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining (GICHD)

International technical assistance:

- Demining activities in eastern border of Turkey and capacity building in demining continue in cooperation with the European Union (EU) and the United Nations Development Program (UNDP).

Any other relevant information:

- Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining (GICHD) assists in capacity development and information management.
FORM E: Other relevant matters

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(e) Other relevant matters."

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Other relevant matters:

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