STATE PARTY: The Kingdom of the Netherlands

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Form A  National implementation measures

Article 7.1 "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

   a) The national implementation measures referred to in Article 9."

Remark: In accordance with Article 9, "Each State Party shall take all appropriate legal, administrative and other measures, including the imposition of penal sanctions, to prevent and suppress any activity prohibited to a State Party under this Convention undertaken by persons or on territory under its jurisdiction or control".

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Measures Supplementary information (e.g., effective date of implementation & text of legislation attached).

No change compared to previous reports: The Council of State has advised on a bill providing for the implementation of treaties in the area of arms control and disarmament. This advice has led to a reconsideration of the proposed bill. In accordance with the advice the Ottawa Convention is implemented on the basis of existing legislation, such as the Import and Export Act, the Military Penal Code and the Weapons and Munitions Act.
Form B  Stockpiled anti-personnel mines

Article 7. 1 "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

b) The total of all stockpiled anti-personnel mines owned or possessed by it, or under its jurisdiction or control, to include a breakdown of the type, quantity and, if possible, lot numbers of each type of anti-personnel mine stockpiled."

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<tr>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Lot # (if possible)</th>
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<tr>
<td>TOTAL</td>
<td>nil</td>
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Supplementary information
Form C  Location of mined areas

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

c) To the extent possible, the location of all mined areas that contain, or are suspected to contain, anti-personnel mines under its jurisdiction or control, to include as much detail as possible regarding the type and quantity of each type of anti-personnel mine in each mined area and when they were emplaced."

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1. Areas that contain mines*

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Location</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Date of emplacement</th>
<th>Supplementary information</th>
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The territory of the Netherlands does not contain mined areas.

2. Areas suspected to contain mines*

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<tr>
<th>Location</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Date of emplacement</th>
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No areas in the Netherlands are suspected to contain anti-personnel mines

* If necessary, a separate table for each mined area may be provided
Form D  APMs retained or transferred

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

d) The types, quantities and, if possible, lot numbers of all anti-personnel mines retained or transferred for the development of and training in mine detection, mine clearance or mine destruction techniques, or transferred for the purpose of destruction, as well as the institutions authorised by a State Party to retain or transfer anti-personnel mines, in accordance with Article 3"

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Retained for development of and training in (Article 3, para.1)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Institution authorised by State Party</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Lot # (if possible)</th>
<th>Supplementary information</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>The Netherlands Ministry of Defence</td>
<td>AP nr 22</td>
<td>1904</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<td>The Netherlands Ministry of Defence</td>
<td>AP DM31</td>
<td>831</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>TOTAL</td>
<td></td>
<td>2735</td>
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Transferred for development of and training in (Article 3, para.1)

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<tr>
<th>Institution authorised by State Party</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Lot # (if possible)</th>
<th>Supplementary information: e.g. transferred from, transferred to</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>No APMs have been transferred in the indicated period for reporting (1 January 2006 to 31 December 2006) for the purpose of development or training</td>
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**Form D (continued)**

3. Transferred for the purpose of destruction (Article 3, para.2)

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<tr>
<th>Institution authorised by State Party</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Lot # (if possible)</th>
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<td></td>
<td>e.g. transferred from, transferred to</td>
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*In the indicated time period for reporting (1 January 2006 to 31 December 2006) no APMs were transferred for the purpose of destruction*

**TOTAL**

nil

Supplementary information:

*For the period 1996-1998 the information is as follows:*

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>The Netherlands Ministry of Defence</th>
<th>AP nr 22</th>
<th>209,500</th>
<th>Destroyed in Germany (1997) by Fa Buck</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>AP nr 23</td>
<td>45,026</td>
<td>Destroyed in France (end of 1996 - May 1998) NAMSA in France</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**TOTAL**

254,526
Form E  
**Status of programs for conversion or de-commissioning of APM production facilities**

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

e) The status of programs for the conversion or de-commissioning of anti-personnel mine production facilities."

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<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Indicate if to &quot;convert&quot; or &quot;decommission&quot;</th>
<th>Status (indicate if &quot;in process&quot; or &quot;completed&quot;)</th>
<th>Supplementary information</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>nil</td>
<td>nil</td>
<td>No facilities had to be converted</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Form F  Status of programs for destruction of APMs

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

f) The status of programs for the destruction of anti-personnel mines in accordance with Articles 4 and 5, including details of the methods which will be used in destruction, the location of all destruction sites and the applicable safety and environmental standards to be observed."

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1.  Status of programs for destruction of stockpiled APMs (Article 4)

Description of the status of programs including:
Location of destruction sites, methods, applicable safety standards, applicable environmental standards

No destruction during the reported period, the Kingdom of the Netherlands completed its destruction obligations in 2002.

2.  Status of programs for destruction of APMs in mined areas (Article 5)

Description of the status of programs including:
Location of destruction sites, methods, applicable safety standards, applicable environmental standards

No destruction during the reported period
Form G  APMs destroyed after entry into force

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:
g) The types and quantities of all anti-personnel mines destroyed after the entry into force of this Convention for that State Party, to
include a breakdown of the quantity of each type of anti-personnel mine destroyed, in accordance with Articles 4 and 5, respectively,
along with, if possible, the lot numbers of each type anti-personnel mine in the case of destruction in accordance with Article 4"

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1.  Destruction of stockpiled APMs (Article 4)

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<td>nil</td>
<td>nil</td>
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<td>No destruction during the reported period</td>
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TOTAL    nil

2.  Destruction of APMs in mined areas (Article 5)

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<tr>
<td>nil</td>
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<td>No destruction during the reported period</td>
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TOTAL nil

Supplementary information: The Kingdom of the Netherlands has fulfilled the destruction-obligations in accordance with Article 4 in December 2002, when the last of the 272 Gator Systems (Cluster Bomb Units 89) were destroyed by the company EBV in Vogelsang, Germany.
Form H  Technical characteristics of each type produced/owned or possessed

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:
h) The technical characteristics of each type of anti-personnel mine produced, to the extent known, and those currently owned or possessed by a State Party, giving, where reasonably possible, such categories of information as may facilitate identification and clearance of anti-personnel mines; at a minimum, this information shall include the dimensions, fusing, explosive content, metallic content, color photographs and other information which may facilitate mine clearance"

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1. Technical characteristics of each APM-type produced

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Dimensions</th>
<th>Fusing</th>
<th>Explosive content</th>
<th>Metallic</th>
<th>Color</th>
<th>Supplementary information to facilitate mine clearance</th>
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<td>nil</td>
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Technical characteristics of each APM-type currently owned or possessed

nil
Form I Measures to provide warning to the population

Article 7.1 "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

i) The measures taken to provide an immediate and effective warning to the population in relation to all areas identified under paragraph 2 of Article 5."

*Remark:* In accordance with Article 5, para.2: "Each State Party shall make every effort to identify all areas under its jurisdiction or control in which anti-personnel mines are known or suspected to be emplaced and shall ensure as soon as possible that all anti-personnel mines in mined areas under its jurisdiction or control are perimeter-marked, monitored and protected by fencing or other means, to ensure the effective exclusion of civilians, until all anti-personnel mines contained therein have been destroyed. The marking shall at least be to the standards set out in the 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."

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[Narrative:] As stated above there are no mined areas in the Netherlands.
Form J Other relevant matters

Remark: States Parties may use this form to report voluntarily on other relevant matters, including matters pertaining to compliance and implementation not covered by the formal reporting requirements contained in Article 7. States Parties are encouraged to use this form to report on activities undertaken with respect to Article 6, and in particular to report on assistance provided for the care and rehabilitation, and social and economic reintegration, of mine victims.

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[Narrative / reference to other reports]

In the year 2006 the Netherlands spent approximately 21.4 million EURO on mine action activities. An indicative overview of the Netherlands contributions to mine action (including stockpile-destruction) in the year 2006 in EURO is attached below. A part of the Netherlands’ assistance was provided for the care and rehabilitation, as well as social and economic reintegration of mine victims.

The total amount is somewhat higher than in previous years, mostly because of an incidental grant of EURO 4.150.000 to UNMAS Lebanon for mine, UXO and cluster bomb clearance in the aftermath of the Israel – Hezbollah conflict of August 2006.

Afghanistan: UNMAS
Mine clearance
EURO 2.500.000

Afghanistan: HALO TRUST
Mine clearance
EURO 1.049.180

Abkhazia: HALO TRUST
Mine clearance
EURO 85.425
Angola: Norwegian Peoples Aid (NPA)
Integrated Mine Action, explosive ordnance disposal, Ardvark and mine detection dogs
EURO 900,000

Angola: MAG
Mine clearance
EURO 1,000,000

Angola: Handicap international
Support of mine victims
EURO 124,186

Angola: HALO
Mine Clearance
EURO 600,000

Bosnia-Herzegovina: UNDP/BHAMC
Capacity building
EURO 500,000

Cambodia: NPA
Capacity building
EURO 630,000

Cambodia: HALO TRUST
Mine clearance
EURO 750,913

Chili: MoD
Capacity building
EURO 158.002
Chili: CIAHZM
Victim assistance and mine risk activities
EURO 40.379

DR Congo: UNMAS
Mine clearance
EURO 450.000

Ethiopia: UNDP
Capacity building
EURO 300.000

Iraq: Handicap International
Support of mine victims
EURO 122.872

Iraq: Mines Advisory Group (MAG)
Mine clearance
EURO 1.000.000

Kosovo: HALO TRUST
Mine clearance
EURO 780.331

Lebanon: UNMAS
Mine clearance, UXO clearance and cluster bomb clearance
EURO 4.150.000

Mozambique: HALO TRUST
Mine clearance
EURO 352.450

Nagorno Karabach: HALO TRUST
Mine clearance
EURO 598.616

Somalia: HALO TRUST
Somaliland project (mine clearance)
EURO 513.481

Sudan: UNMAS
Mine clearance
EURO 2,500,000

Sudan: HALO TRUST
Mine clearance
EURO 919,604

Sudan: NPA
Mine clearance
EURO 230,000

Sudan/Eritrea/Angola: Landmine Action UK
Mine risk activities
EURO 57,953

South Asia/Middle East: Mines Action Canada
Advocacy
EURO 99,622

UNDP
Middle senior management training
EURO 600.000

NPA MDD
Mine clearance (Mine Dog training)
EURO 100.000

NPA
Community action in mine action
EURO 60.000

NPA
International monitoring programme (capacity building)
EURO 50.000

Next Step Productions Inc.
Documentary on landmines
EURO 3.320

Landmine Monitor
Advocacy/ Landmine Monitor Report
EURO 89.640

UNIDIR
Advocacy/ research and development
EURO 44.621

ICBL
Advocacy
EURO 40.000

UNOG
Contributions in accordance with Treaty obligations
EURO 32.723

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