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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.

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DATE OF SUBMISSION: 27/04/2012

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☐ YES

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Form A: Dissemination of information:
☐ changed
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(last reporting year: 2011)

Form B: Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes:
☐ changed
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Form C: Technical requirements and relevant information:
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Form D: Legislation:
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Form E: International technical information exchange, co-operation on mine clearance, technical co-operation and assistance:
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Form F: Other relevant matters:
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Form G: Information to the UN-database on mine clearance:
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REPORTING FORMATS

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☐ Partially, only the following forms:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐
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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:


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INFORMATION TO THE ARMED FORCES:


INFORMATION TO THE CIVILI ÂN POPULATION:


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Form B  Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes

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

(b) mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

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MINE CLEARANCE PROGRAMMES:


REHABILITATION PROGRAMMES:


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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:

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TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:

ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION:
NIL
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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:

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LEGISLATION:

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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:

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INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE:
The Swedish Armed Forces is responsible for the participation in international efforts, including information exchange. At the international level the work at the intersessional standing committees in the framework of the Ottawa Convention is highly valued. Sweden is involved in the work on standardizing mine action conducted by NATO through Partnership for Peace.

At the Nordic level there are networks between the Defence Research Establishments. The Swedish EOD and Demining Centre (SWEDEC) is a Swedish Centre of Excellence within EOD and mine clearance within the Swedish Armed Forces (SAF). Among other things, SWEDEC is responsible for participating actively in international efforts and information exchange.

In co-operation with GICHID Sweden has developed a hand-held survey tool for the UN information-system IMSMA which is based on the Swedish information system EOD IS. Partner countries using EOD IS are also sharing information through a special network. Additional information on these matters can be found at www.mil.se/swedec and www.eodis.org.

The Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency (MSB), the SAF through SWEDEC and the Swedish Defence Research Agency (FOI) are actively supporting GICHID directly or indirectly in many activities.

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ON MINE CLEARANCE:
During the period covered by this report (2011), Sweden has contributed at least 79,210,411 SEK to mine actions (incl. Cluster Munitions and ERW). Most of this was channelled through the Swedish International Development Agency (Sida).

For details, see the attached table 1.

The Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency (MSB) is operational in the field of mine action in support of primarily UNMNAS and the ICRC. MSB has an EOD rapid response capacity, as well as expertise in fields such as mechanical clearance, mine detection dogs and IMSMA. In the reporting period MSB has deployed rapid response support to the Ivory Coast, Libya and South Sudan and has conducted long-term mechanical clearance operations in the Katanga Province in DRC.

In 1997, Sweden established SWEDEC, a centre for military mine clearance and explosive ordnance disposal as well as humanitarian demining. SWEDEC is the country's focal point on technical matters, development education and training. Today SWEDEC is focused on education and training of individual officers and military units on Conventional Munitions Disposal (CMD) and Improvised Explosive Device Disposal (IEDD) as well as related research and development.

SWEDEN is lead nation in the user group for EOD IS where SWEDEC offers an important contribution. Also SWEDEC contributes to relevant IT (IMSMA) development for UNMNAS through GICHID.

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TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE:

Sweden is involved in research and development of mine clearance toolbox which includes mechanical mine clearance, vegetation clearance equipment and development of a gender balanced Land Release concept.

SWEDEC has supported GICHD with field evaluation in Azerbaijan of using magnets in combination with flail systems. The activity has been coordinated with ANAMA and the aim was to reduce the amount of metal fragments in the soil and thereby speed up the following quality control using metal detectors. The support will continue in a development phase of the technique by a contracted Croatian company.

Furthermore SWEDEC supports GICHD in a project aiming at finding special magnetic signatures of UXO using a commercial metal detector manufactured by Minelab Inc. If successful this technology will decrease the number of false alarms and give the operator a better tool to find the dangerous objects. SWEDEC has also been supporting GICHD in a project aiming at helping poor countries in identification of cluster ammunition.
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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:

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OTHER RELEVANT MATTERS:


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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:

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MEANS AND TECHNOLOGIES OF MINE CLEARANCE:

Mechanical assets
• Scanjack
• MV 4

IT-system
• EOD-IS

LISTS OF EXPERTS AND EXPERT AGENCIES:

Within the Swedish Armed Forces Headquarters, the expert on mine action is Lieutenant Colonel Lars Olsson, tel. +46 8 788 7919.
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