The Permanent Mission of the Slovak Republic presents its compliments to the United Nations Office for
Disarmament Affairs (Geneva Branch) and, in accordance with paragraph 4 of Article 13 and
paragraph 2 of Article 11 of the 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 and the relevant recommendation by
the First Annual Conference, has the honor to submit the National Annual Report of the Slovak
Republic for the period from January 2012 to December 2012.

The Permanent Mission of the Slovak Republic avails itself of this opportunity to renew
its assurance of highest consideration.

Geneva, 15 August 2013

Enclosure: 5 pages
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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⊗ YES

□ NO
Form A: Dissemination of information:  □ changed
          ⊗ unchanged (last reporting: 2007)

Form B: Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes:  □ changed
          ⊗ unchanged (last reporting: 2003)

Form C: Technical requirements and relevant information:  ⊗ changed
          □ unchanged

Form D: Legislation:  □ changed
          ⊗ unchanged (last reporting: 2004)

Form E: International technical information exchange,
          co-operation on mine clearance, technical co-operation
          and assistance:  ⊗ changed
          □ unchanged

Form F: Other relevant matters:  □ changed
          ⊗ unchanged (last reporting: 2003)

Form G: Information to the UN-database on
          mine clearance:  □ changed
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⊗ YES
□ NO
□ Partially, only the following forms:

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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 Slovakia reporting for JAN 2012 DEC 2012 time period from to 

Technical requirements

Amended Protocol II (APII) is a subject of a general preparation for all military troops within the frame of the engineering preparation as well as a subject of a special preparation for engineering troops of Slovak Armed Forces.

Relevant provisions of the APII are incorporated into training documents for preparation of combined and engineer troops with in line of Chief of General Staff (SPJ-3-11/Zen, SPG-3-38/Zen, Zen- 2-7/1, Zen-2-7/2, SPG-3-19/Zen, SPJ 3-7/Vsevojsk, VDG 30-03 Engineer doctrine). The training is focused primarily on the mine security.

The national restrictions are clearly defined in engineer Rule of Engagement (ROE). Within scope of Explosive ordnance Disposal (EOD) team’s preparation is the subject taught from the beginning of their preparation.

The above mentioned documents are subject of the command preparation of all command levels of the Slovak Armed Forces.

The subject is being taught even at Military Academy in a study program „Management of Military Organization“ taking 20 lessons, as well as in career courses (Basic and Advance Command - Staff Courses and National Security Course). Within the preparation of new study programs of the Military Academy this subject will be included into all 1st degree study programs.

Any other relevant information
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 Slovakia reporting for time period from JAN 2012 to DEC 2012

International technical information exchange

International cooperation on mine clearance

In 2012 Slovakia participated in the ISAF – NATO operation in Afghanistan. Mandate for this mission is based on the UN Security Council resolution 1361 (2001). In year 2012 the Slovak team mechanically demined 8.400 m² of terrain and manually demined approximately 5.600 m² of terrain.