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**REPORTING FORMS
PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 10, PARAGRAPH 2 (b) OF THE PROTOCOL AND THE
DECISION OF THE FIRST CONFERENCE OF THE HIGH CONTRACTING
PARTIES TO PROTOCOL V**

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YES X

NO

Partially, only the following forms:

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FORM A: Steps taken to implement Article 3 of the Protocol: Clearance, removal or destruction of explosive remnants of war

High Contracting Party: ROMANIA

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 3:

Romania is not affected by ERW (Explosive Remnants of War), but still an important number of UXO (Unexploded Ordnance) from the First and Second World War are regularly discovered and cleared. According to the Law no 481 / 2004 on the Civilian Protection "the Civilian Protection Forces are responsible for the removal of the UXO and for the clearance of the territory". Based on this regulation, from 2004 to 2009, the civilian protection forces conducted 7504 activities and cleared 1,333,000 UXO. The Romanian military forces are prepared mainly to provide clearance for the combat actions but on many occasions in the operational theatres from abroad they performed action in support of the civilian actions for the removal or destruction of ERW.

Any other relevant information:

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FORM B: Steps taken to implement Article 4 of the Protocol: Recording, retaining and transmission of information

High Contracting Party: ROMANIA

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 4 and the Technical Annex:

Romanian military regulations contain provisions on recording the military actions so that to reflect the use of explosive ammunition. The system is to be reviewed in order to establish if these recordings are enough accurate to be useful for the clearance of the terrain and also to determine the best way to distinctly retain and transmit this kind of information.

Any other relevant information:

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FORM C: Steps taken to implement Article 5 of the Protocol: Other precautions for the protection of the civilian population, individual civilians and civilian objects from the risks and effects of explosive remnants of war

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 5 and the Technical Annex:

EOD (Explosive Ordnance Disposal) personnel both military and from the civilian protection structures is prepared to conduct UXO (Unexploded Ordnance) awareness activities for the protection of the civilian population, if necessary.

Any other relevant information:

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FORM D: Steps taken to implement Article 6 of the Protocol: Provisions for the protection of humanitarian missions and organizations from the effects of explosive remnants of war

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 6:

Romanian military standard procedures include the need to cooperate with international organizations, NGO (Non-governmental Organisations) and humanitarian organizations for a better coordination of their efforts to accomplish the missions, including the need for sharing information on the explosive remnants disposal.

Any other relevant information:

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FORM E: Steps taken to implement Article 7 of the Protocol: Assistance with respect to existing explosive remnants of war

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 7:

N/A

Any other relevant information:

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FORM F: Steps taken to implement Article 8 of the Protocol: Co-operation and assistance

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 8:

N/A

Any other relevant information:

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FORM G: Steps taken to implement Article 9 of the Protocol: Generic preventive measures

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 9 and the Technical Annex:

The national technical standards regulating the ammunition manufacturing envisage high levels of functional safety. The regulations for ammunition storage, transportation and handling are also consistent. All this norms are to be reviewed in order to confirm the detailed fulfilment of the requirements of the protocol and its technical annex.

Any other relevant information:

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FORM H: Steps taken to implement Article 11 of the Protocol: Compliance

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 11:

The national legal framework and the internal specific regulations of the national institutions with responsibilities or implications in the area of ERW (Explosive Remnants of War) are subject to a national inter-agency analysis to establish whether there is a need for amendments or additions.

Any other relevant information:

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FORM I: Other relevant matters

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