

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

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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CONTRACTING PARTY: The Kingdom of The Netherlands

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This information can be available to other interested parties and relevant organizations:

YES

NO

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Reporting for time period

from: 01/01/2014

dd/mm/yyyy

to: 31/12/2014

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Form A: Dissemination of information:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2003)

Form B: Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2003)

Form C: Technical requirements and relevant information:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2005)

Form D: Legislation:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2005)

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

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year:)

Form F: Other relevant matters:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2008)

Form G: Information to the UN-database on mine clearance:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year:)

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Form E

International technical information exchange, cooperation on mine clearance, technical cooperation and assistance

Article 13 / 4 / e “The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the Depository on:

(e) measures taken on international technical information exchange, on international cooperation on mine clearance, and on technical cooperation and assistance;

Remark:

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The Netherlands is an important donor in the field of international mine action. Over the year 2015 the Netherlands contributed over 21 million EUR to mine action activities. These funds were made out to the United Nations Mine Action Service (UNMAS) and the ngo's The HALO Trust, Handicap International, Mine Advisory Group and Danisch Church Aid.

An indicative overview of the Netherlands' contributions to mine action in the year 2015 is stated below. Most of these funds are intended for mine clearing operations; a smaller part of it is devoted to mine risk education, victim assistance and stockpile reduction.

The indicative 2015 contributions to ngo's for priority areas, in EUR (using BZ Spotrates 2016):

HALO	Afghanistan	3.324.192
HALO	Somalia	845.461
HALO	Cambodia	224.218
HALO	Mozambique	48.168
HALO	Occupied Palestinian Territories	285.849
HI	Mozambique	294.148
HI	South Sudan	483.295
HI	Laos	1.287.736
HI	Iraq	984.190
MAG	Libya	655.627 ¹
MAG	South Sudan	1.360.264
MAG	DRC	1.189.070
MAG	Iraq	1.927.029
MAG	Lebanon	801.908
DCA	Lebanon	998.946
DCA	Libya	187.115
DCA	DRC	281.807
UNMAS, unearmarked		6.530.528
		21.053.924 TOTAL EUR

¹ Indicative figures for MAG are based on its financial reports over the time period July 2014 – June 2015.

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Form G

Information to the UN-database on mine clearance

Article 11 para 2 “The High Contracting Parties shall provide information to the database on mine clearance established within the United Nations System, especially on:

- information concerning various means and technologies of mine clearance, and lists of experts, expert agencies or national points of contact on mine clearance

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Means and technologies of mine clearance

See national points of contact.

Lists of experts and experts agencies

National points of contact on mine clearance

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