

**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

NAME OF THE HIGH  
CONTRACTING PARTY

**REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA**

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

YES

NO

**REPORTING PERIOD: from 01 January 2012 to 31 December 2012**

- Form A: Dissemination of information:** changed  
**X** unchanged (last reporting: 2012)
- Form B: Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes:** changed  
**X** unchanged (last reporting: 2012)
- Form C: Technical requirements and relevant information:** changed  
**X** unchanged (last reporting: 2012)
- Form D: Legislation:** **X** changed  
unchanged (last reporting:)
- Form E: International technical information exchange, co-operation on mine clearance, technical co-operation and assistance:** changed  
**X** unchanged (last reporting: 2012)
- Form F: Other relevant matters:** changed  
**X** unchanged (last reporting: 2012)
- Form G: Information to the UN-database on mine clearance:** **X** changed  
unchanged (last reporting:)

AMENDED PROTOCOL II

Form D

Législation

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:

Republic of Bulgaria

Reporting for time period

from: 01.01.2012

to: 31.12.2012

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## AMENDED PROTOCOL II

### LEGISLATION:

1. Law on ratification of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on their Destruction, 7/ State Gazette No 93/ 11.08.1998/;

The full text of the Convention was published in State Gazette No 68 / 30.07.1999 thereby becoming part of the national legislation.

2. Law on ratification of the Protocol on the Prohibition or Restrictions on the use of Mines, Booby-traps and other Devices as amended on 3 May 1996 (Protocol II) annexed to the Convention on the Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be Deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects, published in the State Gazette No 133/11.11.1998.

3. Defence-Related Products and Dual-Use Items and Technologies Export Control Act Promulgated, State Gazette No. 26/29.03.2011, effective 30.06.2012 (and the Regulation of its implementation, State Gazette No. 56/26.07.2011), amended and supplemented, SG No. 56/24.07.2012, effective 24.07.2012, SG No. 93/27.11.2012.

4. Decree of the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Bulgaria No 104/1996 on the provisional prohibition of Anti-personnel mines transfers and Decree of the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Bulgaria No 271/1998 on the full and unlimited in time prohibition of Anti-personnel mines. (The Anti-personnel mines development and production are stopped).

5. National Program on the implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel mines and on their Destruction., adopted by Protocol No. 40/16.09.1999 of the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Bulgaria.

6. Decision of the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Bulgaria No 569/10.08.1999 on the creation of an Interdepartmental Working group for co-ordination of the implementation measures by Bulgaria on conformity with the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on their Destruction.

7. Bilateral Agreement: Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Bulgaria and the Government of the Republic of Turkey on Non-Use of Anti-Personnel Mines and Their Removal from or Destruction in the Areas Adjacent to Their Common Border /entered into force May 1, 2002.

8. Law on Arms, Ammunitions, Explosive Substances and Pyrotechnical Articles, State Gazette No. 73/17.09.2010

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Form G

Information to the UN-database on mine clearance

Article 11,  
paragraph

"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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Republic of Bulgaria

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**MEANS AND TECHNOLOGIES OF MINE CLEARANCE:**

Nothing new to report.

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