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The Permanent Mission of the Philippines to the United Nations and Other International Organization avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Office for Disarmament Affairs, Geneva Branch the assurances of its highest consideration.

31 August 2012

CCW Implementation Support Unit
United Nations Office for Disarmament Affairs (Geneva Branch)
Palais des Nations, CH-1211 Geneva 10, Switzerland
FORM A: Dissemination of Information

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(a) Dissemination information on the Convention and its annexed Protocols to their armed forces and to the civilian population;"

High Contracting Party: Philippines

Reporting Period: from 01 January 2011 to 31 December 2011

☐ Additional information of dissemination of information on CCW Amended Protocol II to armed forces and civilian population is contained in the National Annual Report provided in accordance with paragraph 4(a) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year:

☐ Additional information on dissemination of information on CCW Protocol V is contained in the National Report provided pursuant to paragraph 2(b) of Article 10 of Protocol V for the year:

Information to the armed forces, including the extent to which the CCW and its Protocols are part of military manuals and the training curriculum of its armed forces:

The AFP conducted regular trainings on Ammunition Management; Explosive Ordnance Disposal; Explosive Ordnance Reconnaissance Agent Courses at respective Schools of Major Service. Moreover, all EOD units spread across the country, to include the AFPMCC, conducted Ammunition Surveillance and Inspection Seminar.

Information to the civilian population, including information on any programs, courses of documentation to disseminate the CCW to non-military audiences:

- Authorized AFP Instructors, who are EOD technicians, conducted Bomb Threat Awareness / Procedures Trainings and Seminars to the private sector, particularly personnel of Security Agencies.

Any other relevant information.
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FORM B: Technical requirements and relevant information

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(b) Steps taken to meet the relevant technical requirements of the Convention and its annexed Protocols and any other relevant information pertaining thereto;"

High Contracting Party: Philippines

Reporting Period: from 01 January 2011 to 31 December 2011

☐ Additional information on steps taken to meet technical requirements of Amended Protocol II and other relevant information pertaining thereto is contained in the National Annual Report provided in accordance with paragraph 4(c) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year:

☐ Additional information on steps taken to meet technical requirements of Protocol V and other relevant information pertaining thereto is contained in the National Report provided pursuant to paragraph 2(b) of Article 10 of Protocol V for the year:

Steps taken to meet the relevant technical requirements of the Convention and its annexed Protocols:

Any other relevant information:
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FORM C: Legislation

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(c) Legislation related to the Convention and its annexed Protocols;"

High Contracting Party: Philippines

Reporting Period: from 01 January 2011 to 31 December 2011

☐ Additional information of Legislation related to Amended Protocol II is contained in the National Annual Report provided in accordance with paragraph 4(d) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year:

☐ Additional information on Legislation related to Protocol V and other relevant information pertaining thereto is contained in the National Report provided pursuant to paragraph 2(b) of Article 10 of Protocol V for the year:

Legislation, including the status and content of national legislation to prevent and suppress violations of amended Protocol II:

The "Act Providing for a Total Ban on Anti-Personnel Landmines, for Other Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Landmines, Booby-Traps and Other Devices, For The Creation of a Philippine Coordinating Committee on Landmines, and for Related Purposes" was re-filed in February 2011, in Congress as House Bill 04159 by Rep. Walden Bello of the Akbayan Party, pending first reading. The bill was also filed in the Philippine Senate on 5 July 2010 by Gregorio B. Honasan II and by Manny B. Villar Jr. on 12 July 2010 as SBN 111 and SBN 1244 but has not moved since then.

Any other relevant information, including the regulations and policies (other than national legislation) adopted to implement the CCW's obligations and ensure compliance with its Protocols:
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FORM D: Technical cooperation and assistance

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

"The High Contracting Parties will provide information [...] on:

(d) Measures taken on technical co-operation and assistance;"

High Contracting Party: Philippines

Reporting Period: from 01 January 2011 to 31 December 2011

Additional information on measures taken on international technical information exchange, on international cooperation on mine clearance, and on technical cooperation and assistance is contained in the National Annual Report provided in accordance with paragraph 4(e) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year:

COLONEL NOEL B MIANO OS (MNSA) PA, Commander, AFP Munitions Control Center, as AFP representative has attended the Regional Seminar on Addressing the Human Costs of Anti-Personnel Landmines conducted at Phnom Penh, Cambodia last September 20 to 21 2011 wherein he is one of the resource Speakers. COL MIANO also participated as AFP representative during the conduct of the Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons (CCW) Fourth Review in Geneva, Switzerland last November 14 to 25 2011; Last 27 November to 02 December 2011, COLONEL NOEL B MIANO OS (MNSA) PA, Commander, AFP Munitions Control Center together with MAJOR JIMMY B LUCQUIAO (OS) PA, Asst Chief of Staff for Ammunition/ Explosive Ordnance Disposal and Chemical Biological Radiological Nuclear Management, AFP Munitions Control Center and Senior Master Sergeant Pura S Laurio WAC (OS) PA has participated in the 11th Meeting of the State Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the use, stockpiling, production and transfer of anti-personnel mines and on their destruction (APLIC) conducted at Phnom Penh, Cambodia.

Additional information on measures taken on international technical cooperation and assistance is contained in the National Report provided pursuant to paragraph 2(b) of Article 10 of Protocol V for the year:
International technical assistance:

Any other relevant information: