

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)

REPORTING FORMATS

for Article 13 paragraph 4 and Article 11 paragraph 2

NAME OF THE HIGH
CONTRACTING PARTY: Republic of Turkey

DATE OF SUBMISSION: 28.03.2013

NATIONAL POINT(S) OF
CONTACT: Ministry of Foreign Affairs
(Organization, telephones, fax, e-mail)

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

YES

NO

Partially, only the following forms:

A

B

C

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E

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Form A **Dissemination of information**

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (a)

“The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the
Depositary [...] on [...]:

(a) dissemination of information on this Protocol to their armed forces and
to the civilian population;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party:

Republic of Turkey

Reporting for time period

from: 01.01.2012

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to:

31.12.2012

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INFORMATION TO THE ARMED FORCES:

- 1. Information on the Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons and its annexed Protocols are disseminated to the military personnel through meetings and briefings, given by the qualified personnel.**
- 2. Information on Reports of the Meetings of High Contracting Parties to the Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons is disseminated to the military authorities.**

INFORMATION TO THE CIVILIAN POPULATION:

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Form B **Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes**

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (b) “The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the
Depository [...] on [...]:

(b) mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes;”

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MINE CLEARANCE PROGRAMMES:

1. Turkish Armed Forces Munition Disposal Facility was put into service on 08 November 2007. The facility is located in Yahşihan/Kırıkkale. The construction of the facility has been conducted in accordance with the agreement between Turkey and the NATO Maintenance and Supply Agency (NAMSA) signed in 2005. The facility is certified by NAMSA according to AASP and DOD 41 45 26 M as well as to EU environmental norms and standards.

2. The destruction process of laid mines continues under the responsibility of Turkish Armed Forces, Ministry of National Defence and Ministry of Interior.

REHABILITATION PROGRAMMES:

Rehabilitation Centre of Turkish Armed Forces provides victim assistance and rehabilitation programs to military personnel as well as civilians.

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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;”

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TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:

None.

ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION:

None.

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Form D Legislation

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (d)

“The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the
Depositary [...] on [...]:

(d) legislation related to this Protocol;”

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LEGISLATION:

Turkey, having deposited her instrument of ratification with the United Nations Secretary General, has become a State Party, as of 02 March 2005 to the Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons Convention, Protocol I, Amended Protocol II and Protocol IV. The Convention and the mentioned Protocols, have entered into force for Republic of Turkey on 02 September 2005.

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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;”

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INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE:

Training and cooperation on mine clearance and mine destruction techniques continues with NATO and Partnership for Peace member countries.

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ON MINE CLEARANCE:

None.

TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE:

None.

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Form F **Other relevant matters**

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (f)

“The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the
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(f) other relevant matters.”

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OTHER RELEVANT MATTERS:

None.

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

Article 11,
paragraph 2,

“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.”

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MEANS AND TECHNOLOGIES OF MINE CLEARANCE:

Mine clearance activites are carried out by hand and mechanical clearance equipment.

LISTS OF EXPERTS AND EXPERT AGENCIES:

1. Turkish Armed Forces Munition Disposal Facility.

2. The speacialized Mine Clearance Units of Turkish Armed Forces.

NATIONAL POINTS OF CONTACT ON MINE CLEARANCE:

Ministry of Foreign Affairs.