

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

NAME OF THE HIGH
CONTRACTING PARTY: ITALY

DATE OF SUBMISSION: _____

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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: **01/01/2017**

dd/mm/yyyy

to: **31/12/2017**

Dd/mm/yyyy

Form A: Dissemination of information:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2012)

Form B: Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2016)

Form C: Technical requirements and relevant information:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2003)

Form D: Legislation:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2012)

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

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2003)

Form F: Other relevant matters:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2010)

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

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2016)

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REPORTING FORMATS

for Article 13 paragraph 4 and Article 11 paragraph 2

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Partially, only the following forms:

A

B

C

D

E

F

G

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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;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party: ITALY

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TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:

ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION:

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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:

Italy ratified the CCW and the three annexed Protocols (I, II and III) with Law n. 715 of 14 December 1994 (entered into force on 20 January 1995). After that, with Law n. 290 of 30 July 1998, Amended Protocol II and Protocol IV were ratified (entered into force on 13 January 1999). Finally, with Law n. 173 of 12 November 2009 Italy ratified Protocol V of the CCW (entered into force on 11 February 2010).

Law n. 95/2011 authorised Italy's ratification of the Convention on Cluster Munitions.

The date of the Convention's entry into force for Italy was 1 March 2012.

Law n. 95/2011 modified the provisions related to the management of the Fund for Humanitarian Demining (established by Law n. 58/2001), allowing the funding of projects specifically related to cluster munition clearing, in addition to antipersonnel mines and explosive remnants of war.

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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 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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INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE:

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ON MINE CLEARANCE:

Italian Armed Forces contingents operating in different international missions have recovered and destroyed the following explosive remnants of war:

- **Afghanistan:**
 - o 2 artillery shells;
 - o 1 rocket;
 - o 1 grenade;
 - o 1 cache containing 320 smoke and flash grenades.
- **Kosovo:**
 - o 7 devices (*);
 - o Clearing of 8.329 sm mine field (*).

(*) Joint Logistic Support Group (JLSG) with the support of Moldavian EOD Team.

TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE:

Demining and mine awareness courses to local armed and security forces:

- **Afghanistan:** nr.17 courses on demining/mine awareness;
- **Lebanon:** nr.3 mine awareness courses in favour to the Lebanese Armed Forces (LAF) and nr.2 mine risk education courses in favour to Lebanese students.

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Form F	Other relevant matters
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Article 13,
paragraph 4 (f)

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(f) other relevant matters.”

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OTHER RELEVANT MATTERS:

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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:

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LISTS OF EXPERTS AND EXPERT AGENCIES:

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NATIONAL POINTS OF CONTACT ON MINE CLEARANCE:

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