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The Permanent Mission of Georgia to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the CCW Implementation Support Unit and has the honor to transfer the following documents: Form B, Mine clearance and rehabilitation programs (Protocol II), Summary of the Annual Report of CCW protocol V and Reporting forms of the Protocol V.

The Permanent Mission of Georgia to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the CCW Implementation Support Unit the assurances of its highest consideration.

Enclosure: 15 pages

Geneva, 13 April 2016

CCW Implementation Support Unit
Geneva
AMENDED PROTOCOL II

Form B                        Mine clearance and rehabilitation programs

Article 13,
Paragraph 4 (b) “The high Contracting Parties shall provide reports to the Depositary (…) on (…):

(b) Mine clearance and rehabilitation programs

Remark:

High Contracting Parties:          Georgia

Reporting for time period

From:           01/01/2017           to     31/12/2017

MINE CLEARANCE PROGRAMMES:

1. From the period of April, 2017 to December 2017, in Simoneti Polygon EOD Team found and destroyed following items:
   • 40 mm UBGL grenade – 55 units
   • 40 mm GP-25 grenade – 72 units
   • RPG-7 grenade - 9 units
   • 30mm AGS-17 grenade – 3 units
2. Clearance activities were conducted at the Former Military Barracks #1 in Akhalkalaki and following items were found and destructed:
   • 125mm combat shell of T72 Tank - 7 units
   • 82 mm mortar - 1 unit
   • training Antitank mine TM 62 - 719 units
   • training detonator MVCH-62 of Antitank mines (TM 62) - 400 units
   • antipersonnel mine PMN - 1 unit
   • antipersonnel training mine PMN - 1 unit
   • hand-grenade F1 - 1 unit
   • hand-grenade RG-42 - 1 unit
   • RPG-5 grenade with detonator – 1 unit
   • RPG-7 grenade without detonator – 3 units
   • BMP-2 shell – 1 unit
   • T72 Tank Training shell - 3 units
3. Clearance activities (started in May 2017) were conducted at the Gonio Former Military polygon and following items were found and destructed:
   • 125 mm shell – 2 units
   • 100 mm artillery shell – 3 units
   • 130 mm artillery shell – 1 unit
   • 82 mm mortar shell – 6 units
   • RPG-7 grenade - 6 units
   • 85 mm artillery shell – 3 units
   • 45 mm cannon shell – 12 units
- training detonator MVCH-62 of Antitank mine – 21 units
- Shell detonator – 3 units
- hand-grenade F1 – 13 units
- training Antitank mine TM 62 – 28 units
- training detonator MVCH-62 of Antitank mine – 3 units
- Firing launcher charge of Infantry combat vehicle – 19 units
- 40 mm VOG-25 grenade – 6 units
- 30 mm VOG-17 grenade – 4 units
- PG-9 grenade – 1 unit
- PG-2 grenade – 1 unit
- 57mm armor destroyer shell – 1 unit
- 75 mm armor destroyer shell – 1 unit
- TM-57 training – 1 unit
- training TM-62P3 with training detonator - 1 unit

4. During the clearance (completed in August 2017) of former military warehouse in Shida Kartli near village Skra following items were found and destructed:
   - 152 mm artillery shell – 58 units
   - 125 mm artillery shell – 8 units
   - 122 mm artillery shell - 51 units
   - 120 mm mortar shell – 59 units
   - 203 mm mortar shell – 3 units
   - 82 mm mortar shell – 1261 units
   - Detonator of RGM-2 -32 units
   - Mine detonator MVZ-57 – 1 unit
   - Mine detonator MVCH-62 – 115 units
   - TNT – 6 KG
   - AKM-74 rounds – 9 units
   - Unidentified detonator – 485 units
   - VOG-17 - 3 units

5. In June 2017, in Urekhi Polygon (near Batumi) EOD Team found and destroyed the following items:
   - Heavy Artillery Shell – 1 unit

6. During June-July, 2017 EOD Team at Corrosion Study Territory in Batumi found and destroyed the following items:
   - 82mm mortar shell without detonator and Firing launcher charge - 1 unit

7. In July, 2017 EOD Team near military camp “PALDO” found and destroyed the following items:
   - RPG-7 grenade – 1 unit

8. In July, 2017 the EOD team in preparation phase of the multinational training „NOBLE PARTNER” conducted surface clearance of VAZIANI #1,2,3,4,5,7,11 firing ranges and following items were found and destroyed:
   - RPG-7 grenade (unused) – 5 units
   - RPG-7 grenade (used) – 16 units
   - RPG-7 grenade firing launcher charge – 4 units
   - GP 25 grenade – 37 units
   - VOG-25 grenade – 7 units
   - Infantry combat vehicle machinegun rounds – 2 units
   - 60 mm mortar shell– 1 unit
9. In order to support multinational training „Agile Spirit 2017“ during August-September, 2017 EOD Team found and destroyed following items:
   - SPG-9 – 12 units
   - 152mm Artillery shell – 5 units
   - RPG-7 grenade – 5 units
   - 120mm mortar shell – 1 unit
   - 82mm mortar shell – 3 units
   - 30 mm grenade shell of Infantry Combat Vehile-2 – 67 units
   - 12,7 mm rounds (Utius) – 7 units
   - 44mm UVGL – 5 units
   - 73mm Unidentified type shell – 8 units

10. In November, 2017 EOD Team in Vziani polygon found and destroyed following items:
   - UBGL Under-barrel grenade – 10 units

11. In November, 2017 EOD Team near military camp “PALDO” found and destroyed the following items:
   - BOG-25 Under-barrel grenade – 9 units

12. In November, 2017 EOD team found and destroyed following items in village Vaziani:
   - Cumulative missile shell - 1 unit

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**REHABILITATION PROGRAMMES:**

Social Issues and Psychological Support Department of the MOD of Georgia defines the needs of wounded military personnel, develops supporting programs, coordinates assisting projects and has established the database of wounded warriors and their family members for the elimination of the social and reintegration problems.

In 2017, 104 Georgian wounded military servicemen as well as 82 of the family members were rehabilitated in rehabilitation centre named after “Maro Makashvili”; moreover, 36 military servicemen were provided with prosthetic services in 2017.

Development of prosthetic rehabilitation capabilities in Georgia is ongoing with the USA support.

Rehabilitation of handicapped military servicemen through sportive activities is supported and pursued by the MOD of Georgia; Handicapped GAF representatives participate successfully in sportive competitions (“Invictus Games”) organized by the UK and the US sides, from 2014 (Georgian Team became Champions in sitting Valley Ball in September, 2017).