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: The Kingdom of the Netherlands

DATE OF SUBMISSION: 6 April 2017

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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: 01/01/2016 to: 31/12/2016

Form A: Dissemination of information:

☐ changed
☒ unchanged
(last reporting year: 2003)

Form B: Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes:

☐ changed
☒ unchanged
(last reporting year: 2003)

Form C: Technical requirements and relevant information:

☐ changed
☒ unchanged
(last reporting year: 2005)

Form D: Legislation:

☐ changed
☒ unchanged
(last reporting year: 2005)

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

☒ changed
☐ unchanged
(last reporting year: )

Form F: Other relevant matters:

☐ changed
☒ unchanged
(last reporting year: 2008)

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

☒ changed
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(last reporting year: )
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;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party: The Kingdom of the Netherlands

Reporting for time period from: 1 January 2016 to: 31 December 2016

INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE:

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ON MINE CLEARANCE:
The Netherlands is an important donor in the field of international mine action. Over the year 2016 the Netherlands contributed more than 27 mln EURO to mine action activities. These funds were made out to the United Nationa Mine Action Service (UNMAS) and the ngo's The HALO Trust, Handicap International, Mines Advisory Group and DanChurchAid.

An indication of the Netherlands' contribution to mine action in the year 2016 is stated below. These funds are intended for mine clearing operations, mine risk education, victim assistance, stockpile destruction and capacity building.

The HALO Trust: EUR 5.526.570
Mines Advisory Group: EUR 7.910.788
Handicap International: EUR 1.848.190
DanChurchAid: 5.465.137
|UNMAS, unearmarked EUR 6.500.000.
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TOTAL EUR 27,250,685.

TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE:
**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.”

**Remark:**

High Contracting Party:  
**The Kingdom of the Netherlands**

Reporting for time period from: **1 January 2016** to: **31 December 2016**

**MEANS AND TECHNOLOGIES OF MINE CLEARANCE:**

See national points of contact

**LISTS OF EXPERTS AND EXPERT AGENCIES:**

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