REPORTING FORMS

pursuant to the Decision of the Third CCW Review Conference on the establishment of a Compliance mechanism applicable to the Convention, as contained in its Final Declaration, Annex II, Paragraph 5 (CCW/CONF.III/11, Part II)

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NAME OF THE HIGH CONTRACTING PARTY: Hungary

PARTY TO:
- Protocol I (Protocol on Non-Detectable Fragments)
- Protocol II (Protocol on Mines Booby-Traps and Other Devices)
- Amended Protocol II (amended Protocol on Mines Booby-Traps and Other Devices)
- Protocol III (Protocol on Incendiary Weapons)
- Protocol IV (Protocol on Blinding Laser Weapons)
- Protocol V (Protocol on Explosive Remnants of War)

ACCEDED TO:
- The amendment to Article 1 of the Convention

DATE OF SUBMISSION: 10 April 2011 (dd/mm/yyyy)

(NOTE: the recommended deadline for submission of the national reports was fixed by the 2007 Meeting of the High Contracting Parties at 1 October of each calendar year)

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

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- Partially, only the following forms: A □ B □ C □ D □ E □

NOTE: unless otherwise indicated all reports will be made public.

Note: Pursuant to paragraph 5 of the above Decision the High Contracting Parties have agreed “to provide information to the Secretary-General in advance of the Meeting, which will be circulated by the Secretary-General to all the High Contracting Parties, on any of the following matters:

CONVENTION ON CERTAIN CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS

1 Please indicate individually for the CCW and each Protocol (if different).
(a) Dissemination of information on the Convention and its annexed Protocols to their armed forces and to the civilian population;

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

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

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

(e) Other relevant matters.”

Each of the items listed above are provided as separate individual forms to be filled out by each High Contracting Party accordingly.
### SUMMARY SHEET

**Reporting period:** from 01/01/2011 to 31/12/2011

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**NOTE:** This Summary Sheet may be used only after the High Contracting Party has submitted its first national report pursuant to the Decision of the Third CCW Review Conference. Only the reporting forms which are indicated as „changed“ have to be submitted thereafter together with the Cover page and the Summary Sheet.
FORM A: Dissemination of information

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

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

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

High Contracting Party: Hungary

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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 dissemination of information on the Convention and its annexed Protocols within the Hungarian Defence Forces is part of the curriculum of education and training.

All relevant provisions are or will be incorporated in the curriculum of Hungarian institutions of higher military education.

Education programmes for officers and civil servant trainees includ international law. Interpretation and implementation of disarmament and non-proliferation treaties, conventions and regimes etc. are discussed at courses at the University of National Public Administration organised for would be public servants.

At the level of military units the above-mentioned topics are addressed in practice so as to ensure that soldiers can successfully cope with all related tasks. There is a special emphasis on international treaties and obligations in the training of peace keeping mission personnel.

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

The Convention and its protocols were officially promulgated and hence incorporated into Hungarian law.

The civil population has access to the legal norms that are made available to the public through their publication in the Official Hungarian Gazette.

Any other relevant information:

The designated unit of the HDF, the 1st EOD and Warship Regiment regularly holds trainings and demonstrations for civilian organisations, primary and secondary schools.
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: Hungary

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☐ 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 pursuant to 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:

The agencies entrusted with military research, development and military procurements for the Hungarian Defence Forces are fully aware of and apply the provisions of the Convention and its annexed Protocols. For this reason the fulfilment of all technical requirements and provisions set out in the Convention is guaranteed.

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: Hungary

Reporting period: from 01/01/2011 to 31/12/2011

Additional information of legislation related to Amended Protocol II is contained in the National Annual Report provided pursuant to paragraph 4(d) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year

Additional information on legislation related to Protocol V 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 Convention and its Protocols have been ratified and promulgated by Hungary as set out below:

- 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. Geneva, 10 October 1980:
  1984. évi 2. törvényerejű rendelet a "Mértéktesen sérülést okozónak vagy megkülönböztetés nélkül hatónak tekinthető egyes hagyományos fényerek alkalmazásának betiltásáról, illetőleg korlátozásáról" szóló, Genfben, az 1980. évi október hó 10. napján kelt egyezmény és a hozzá csatolt jegyzőkönyvek kihirdetéséről - EGYEZMÉNY a mértéktesen sérülést okozónak vagy megkülönböztetés nélkül hatónak tekinthető egyes hagyományos fényerek alkalmazásának betiltásáról, illetőleg korlátozásáról. /Law Decree 2 of 1984
  Signature: 10.10.1980
  Entered into force: 02.12.1983

  1984. évi 2. törvényerejű rendelet/Law Decree 2 of 1984
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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:

Hungary has various legislative measures in place to implement the Convention and its Annexed Protocols.

During the course of harmonising domestic law with the international obligations assumed by Hungary under the above international agreements the Hungarian Penal Code (Act IV of 1978) was amended accordingly.

Under national procedures criminal law regulations are the appropriate means for penalising and thereby (inherently) prohibiting acts by non-state actors deemed socially harmful, potentially dangerous for the community of people. In this connection the revised Penal Code forbids non-State actors the commission of acts described in detail and prohibited under the above international treaties, by classifying them punishable felonies.

Excerpts from the Penal Code:

“Use of Weapons Prohibited by International Treaty
Section 160/A
(1) Any person who uses or orders the use of a weapon or instrument of war prohibited by international treaty in a theatre of military operation or in an occupied territory against the enemy, civilians or prisoners of war commits a felony offence and shall be punishable with imprisonment between ten to fifteen years or life imprisonment.
(2) Any person who makes preparations for the use of a weapon prohibited by international treaty commits a felony offence and shall be punishable with imprisonment of up to five years.
(3) For the purposes of Subsections (1)-(2) the following shall be construed as weapons prohibited by international treaty:
   a) asphyxiating, poisonous …… … ,
b) bacteriological (biological) and toxin weapons ...... , 
c) the following weapons listed in the protocols to the convention signed at Geneva on 15 October 1985 on
Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be Deemed to be
Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects, as promulgated by Law-Decree 2 of 1984:
  1. weapons causing injury by fragments which cannot be detected by X-ray, as specified in Protocol I,
  2. mines, remotely-delivered mines, anti-personnel mines, booby-traps and other devices specified in Points 1-5 of
     Article 2 of the Amended Protocol II, as promulgated by Act CXXXIII of 1997,
  3. incendiary weapons specified in Point 1 of Article 1 of Protocol III,
  4. blinding laser weapons specified in Article 1 of the Supplementary Protocol IV,
  d) chemical weapons...... ,
  e) anti-personnel mines .....”

Section 264/C of the Hungarian Penal Code (Act IV of 1978) classifies as felonies and thereby strictly forbids
non-State actors from producing, acquiring, possessing, developing, transporting arms prohibited under
international treaties. For the detailed list of arms prohibited under international treaties see Section 160/A of the
Penal Code.

The first paragraph of section 264/C reads as follows: “Crimes with Weapons Prohibited by International
Convention” - (1) Any person who develops, manufactures, obtains, uses or possesses weapons prohibited by
international convention, or transfers such weapons to a person without proper authorization, imports, exports or
transports such through the territory of Hungary, or is engaged in the illicit trafficking of such, is guilty of a
felony punishable by imprisonment between five to fifteen years.”

The Appendix to the Service Regulation of the Hungarian Defence Forces Ministerial Decree No. 24 of 2005. (VI.
30.) is entitled:
“The obligations of the soldiers in relation to obey the fundamental rules of warfare and of the international
humanitarian law concerning the protection of the victims of war”.
This Appendix contains a reference to the provisions of the Convention in general terms and details the
requirements applicable to technical equipment.
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: Hungary

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□ additional information of 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: 

□ 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 co-operation, including relevant experiences in seeking or providing technical assistance and cooperation:

In 2009, the HDF held a practical demonstration about the clearance and disposal of ERW in Hungary with 22 participants from 18 countries.

International technical assistance:

Any other relevant information:
FORM E: Other relevant matters

Paragraph 5 of the Decision on Compliance:

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

(e) Other relevant matters.”

High Contracting Party: Hungary


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☐ additional relevant information is contained in the National Annual Report provided pursuant to paragraph 4(a) of Article 13 of Amended Protocol II for the year: 

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

Other relevant matters:

By the end of June 2011, all cluster munitions owned by the HDF have been destroyed. In connection with this project, in March an open demonstration day took place with the participation of UN, EU and OSCE representatives.