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

■ YES
□ NO
REPORTING PERIOD: **01/09/2008** to **31/08/2009**

**Form A:** Dissemination of information: □ changed
■ unchanged (last reporting: 2003)

**Form B:** Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes: ■ changed
□ unchanged

- Achievements of Mine clearance
  - Gross area: 104 square kilometers
  - Number of removed mines: approximately 1,470
  - Military participants: 38,230 servicemen from 10 units
  - Budget: approximately $844,800

- Mine clearance work is currently in progress in seven unconfirmed minefields. The clearance work was initially planned to have been completed by 2009, but will extend until 2015.

**Form C:** Technical requirements and relevant information: □ changed
■ unchanged (last reporting: 2003)

**Form D:** Legislation: □ changed
■ unchanged (last reporting: 2003)

- Reference: Civilians are currently not allowed to run a mine clearance business. However, a law intending to permit civilians to run such business, entitled the “Law on the Civilian Mine Clearance Business, is currently under review by the ROK government.

**Form E:** International technical information exchange, co-operation on mine clearance, technical co-operation and assistance: □ changed
■ unchanged (last reporting: 2003)

**Form F:** Other relevant matters: ■ changed
□ unchanged

**Form G:** Information to the UN-database on mine clearance: □ changed
■ unchanged (last reporting: 2003)