

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: 23/05/2022

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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: 01/01/2021

to: 31/12/2021

Form A: Dissemination of information:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2012)

Form B: Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes:

changed

unchanged

(last reporting year: 2020)

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: 2020)

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: 2020)

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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 A Dissemination of information

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (a)

“The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the
Depositary [...] on [...]:

(a) dissemination of information on this Protocol to their armed forces and
to the civilian population;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party: ITALY

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INFORMATION TO THE ARMED FORCES:

The appropriate doctrine, all operational and training publications incorporate the requirements arising from the CCW and its Protocols. The contents and the provisions of these documents have been periodically disseminated focusing on the Armed Forces. All military units operating on land - particularly abroad - are constantly and duly instructed.

INFORMATION TO THE CIVILIAN POPULATION:

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Form B **Mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes**

Article 13,
paragraph 4 (b) “The High Contracting Parties shall provide annual reports to the
Depositary [...] on [...]:

(b) mine clearance and rehabilitation programmes;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party: ITALY

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MINE CLEARANCE PROGRAMMES:

Iraq, UNMAS, € 1.000.000 (a part of this contribution is devoted to mine clearance programs)
Syria, UNMAS, € 1.000.000 (a part of this contribution is devoted to mine clearance programs)
GICHD, € 300.000 (a part of this contribution is devoted to mine clearance programs)

REHABILITATION PROGRAMMES:

Mali, ICRC, € 1.000.000 (a part of this contribution is devoted to mine clearance programs)
Afghanistan, ICRC, € 794.000 (a part of this contribution is devoted to mine clearance programs)

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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;”

Remark:

High Contracting Party: ITALY

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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 anti-personnel 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:

High Contracting Party: ITALY

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INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE:

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ON MINE CLEARANCE:

Nothing to report.

TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE:

Italian Armed Forces contingents operating in different international missions have organized the following courses:

- Libya:
 - three C-IED Awareness courses (EH003) on Explosive Hazard Search and Recognition;
 - three Training module on new metal detector
 - one Drone piloting course in support of ENG / C-IED;
 - one explosive hazard Staff Officer course (EH 007);
 - one threat awareness course (EH 002)
 - one demining course
- Somalia:
 - four C-IED training courses;
 - one C-IED Awareness course.

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

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Depositary [...] on [...]:

(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.”

Remark:

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MEANS AND TECHNOLOGIES OF MINE CLEARANCE:

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LISTS OF EXPERTS AND EXPERT AGENCIES:

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