

**THIRD CONFERENCE OF THE HIGH
CONTRACTING PARTIES TO PROTOCOL V
ON EXPLOSIVE REMNANTS OF WAR 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**

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Review of the status and operation of the Protocol

REPORT ON NATIONAL REPORTING

Submitted by the Coordinator¹ on National reporting, pursuant to Article 10 (2) (b) of the Protocol, and Article 4 Generic Electronic Template

Addendum

Amendment

DRAFT GUIDE ON NATIONAL REPORTING UNDER CCW PROTOCOL V

Amend Form A to read

FORM A: Steps taken to implement Article 3 of the Protocol: Clearance, removal or destruction of explosive remnants of war

High Contracting Party: **Name of the reporting State**

Reporting for time period from: _____ to _____
[dd/mm/yyyy] [dd/mm/yyyy]

* Reissued for technical reasons.

¹ In accordance with the relevant decision of the Second Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Protocol V on Explosive Remnants of War, as contained in paragraph 46 (d) of its Final Document (CCW/P.V/CONF/2008/12) the discussions on National reporting, pursuant to Article 10 (2) (b) of the Protocol and on Article 4 Generic Electronic Template were coordinated by Mr. Henrik Markuš of Slovakia.

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Steps taken to implement the provisions of Article 3:

- 1. State whether the reporting State exercises control on the territory affected by explosive remnants of war (ERW).**
- 2. If YES:**
 - **If known and relevant, describe the cause of the ERW contamination, e.g.:**
 - **Residual Unexploded Ordnance (UXO).**
 - **From which armed conflict.**
 - **Resulting from Abandoned Explosive Ordnance (AXO).**
 - **Provide the details on the extent of contamination.**
 - **Describe the geographic locations affected (geographic references).**
 - **Describe the types of ordnance that constitute the contamination.**
 - **If known and possible, identify or review of humanitarian risk (possible effects of ERW to civilian population, etc.)**
 - **If applicable and possible, describe the steps taken to implement the responsibilities set out in Article 3:**
 - **Describe steps being taken to survey and assess the threat posed by ERW.**
 - **Describe steps being taken to assess and prioritize the needs and practicability in terms of marking and clearance, removal or destruction of ERW.**
 - **Describe steps being taken to mark and clear the contaminated areas and destroy ERW.**
 - **Provide a timeline for the assessment of the threat posed by ERW as well as prioritized efforts to mark, clear and remove or destroy ERW.**
 - **Describe the steps taken to mobilize resources to carry out activities required to implement Article 3.**
 - **Describe any ongoing project for the elimination of the risk arising from the ERW contamination.**
 - **Describe the standards used to implement Article 3, including international standards such as International Mine Action Standards (IMAS).**
 - **Identify the subjects responsible for coordinating and implementing marking and clearance activities (international or private institutions, governmental organizations, military department, police, etc.).**
 - **Describe the resources for marking and clearing operations:**
 - **Budget allocations for marking and clearing.**
 - **Amounts of funds used to date.**
 - **Estimate of resources needed to clear contaminated areas.**
 - **Steps taken to mobilize resources funding from the third parties (international, domestic).**

3. State whether explosive remnants of war occurred from the activity of the reporting State during an armed conflict after the entry into force of the Protocol in a territory that is (currently) outside its control. If yes and if possible, describe the kind of assistance (technical, financial, material, in-kind, or personnel) that has been provided at the end of the armed conflict to facilitate the marking, clearance, removal, or destruction of ERW, either bilaterally or through a mutually agreed third party.

Any other relevant information:

- **Provide information on past and/or ongoing-clearance operations.**
- **List the organizations providing financial and technical support or personnel.**
- **List the standard references.**