Sixth 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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> Report Victim Assistance

Submitted by the Coordinator on Victim Assistance

Amendment

Amend paragraph 7 to read

7. High Contracting Parties, signatory States, observer States, United Nations entities and non-governmental organizations provided information on the state of implementation of victim assistance in accordance with Article 8 (2) of the Protocol. Australia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, the Philippines and the United States of America referred to the need for a stronger focus on social and economic integration and work opportunities.

In accordance with the decision of the Fifth Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Protocol V on Explosive Remnants of War, as contained in paragraph 43(b) of its final document (CCW/P.V/CONF/2011/12), the discussions on Victim Assistance, pursuant to Article 8 (2) of the Protocol, were led by Ms. Caroline Wörgötter of Austria as the Coordinator and Ms. Danijela Žunec Brandt of Croatia as Friend of the Coordinator on Victim Assistance.

