CONVENTION ON THE PROHIBITION OF THE USE, STOCKPILING, PRODUCTION AND TRANSFER OF ANTI-PERSONNEL MINES AND ON THEIR DESTRUCTION

 Reporting Formats for Article 7

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### National implementation measures

**Article 7.1** "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

a) The national implementation measures referred to in Article 9."

*Remark:* In accordance with Article 9, "Each State Party shall take all appropriate legal, administrative and other measures, including the imposition of penal sanctions, to prevent and suppress any activity prohibited to a State Party under this Convention undertaken by persons or on territory under its jurisdiction or control".

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<th>Measures</th>
<th>Supplementary information (e.g., effective date of implementation &amp; text of legislation attached).</th>
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<tr>
<td>Law of 9 March 1995 on anti-personnel mines, booby traps and similar devices</td>
<td>11 April 1995</td>
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<td>Law of 24 June 1996 amending the Law of 3 January 1933 on arms production and trade, on the carrying of weapons and on ammunition trade, with a view to prohibiting the Belgian State and public services from storing anti-personnel mines.</td>
<td>19 July 1996</td>
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<tr>
<td>Law of 30 March 2000 on the definitive prohibition of anti-personnel mines. This law simplified the existing procedure by canceling the five years moratorium.</td>
<td>17 April 2000</td>
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<td>Law of 8 June 2006 concerning the regulation of economic and individual activities with weapons</td>
<td>9 June 2006</td>
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<td>Law of 20 March 2007 concerning prohibition of financial contribution to the fabrication, use or detention of Antipersonnel mines and clusters munitions</td>
<td>26 April 2007</td>
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Form B  Stockpiled anti-personnel mines

Article 7.1 "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:
   b) The total of all stockpiled anti-personnel mines owned or possessed by it, or under its jurisdiction or control, to include a breakdown of the type, quantity and, if possible, lot numbers of each type of anti-personnel mine stockpiled."

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Form C  Location of mined areas

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

c) To the extent possible, the location of all mined areas that contain, or are suspected to contain, anti-personnel mines under its jurisdiction or control, to include as much detail as possible regarding the type and quantity of each type of anti-personnel mine in each mined area and when they were emplaced."

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1. Areas that contain mines*

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<th>Location</th>
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2. Areas suspected to contain mines*

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* If necessary, a separate table for each mined area may be provided
Form D  APMs retained or transferred  (As adopted at the final plenary meeting on 2 December 2005)

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

d) The types, quantities and, if possible, lot numbers of all anti-personnel mines retained or transferred for the development of and training in mine detection, mine clearance or mine destruction techniques, or transferred for the purpose of destruction, as well as the institutions authorized by a State Party to retain or transfer anti-personnel mines, in accordance with Article 3"

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1. a. **Compulsary** Retained for development of and training in (Article 3, para.1)

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<tr>
<th>Institution authorized by State Party</th>
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<tr>
<td>ARMED FORCES</td>
<td>MB 35 Bg</td>
<td>3245</td>
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<td>As of 1 January 2009</td>
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1. b. **Voluntary information:**

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<th>Objective</th>
<th>Activity/project</th>
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<tr>
<td>Education and training of EOD specialists and deminers with live ammunition</td>
<td>The use of MB35Bg mines took place during different sessions of courses organised by the Belgian Armed Forces in 2009</td>
<td>The 41 mines were used for training purposes in accordance with Article 3 of the Convention (see Form G)</td>
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<td>Training militaries in &quot;Mine Risk Education&quot;</td>
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### 2. **Compulsary** Transferred for development of and training in (Article 3, para.1)

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### 3. **Compulsary** Transferred for the purpose of destruction (Article 3, para.2)

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Form E  Status of programs for conversion or de-commissioning of APM production facilities

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:
    e) The status of programs for the conversion or de-commissioning of anti-personnel mine production facilities."

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<table>
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<tr>
<th>Indicate if to &quot;convert&quot; or &quot;decommission&quot;</th>
<th>Status (indicate if &quot;in process&quot; or &quot;completed&quot;)</th>
<th>Supplementary information</th>
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Form F  Status of programs for destruction of APMs

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:
  f) The status of programs for the destruction of anti-personnel mines in accordance with Articles 4 and 5,
     including details of the methods which will be used in destruction, the location of all destruction sites and the
     applicable safety and environmental standards to be observed."

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1. Status of programs for destruction of stockpiled APMs (Article 4)

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<th>Description of the status of programs including:</th>
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<td>Location of destruction sites</td>
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2. Status of programs for destruction of APMs in mined areas (Article 5)

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Form G  
APMs destroyed after entry into force

Article 7.1  "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:
g) The types and quantities of all anti-personnel mines destroyed after the entry into force of this Convention for that State Party, to include a breakdown of the quantity of each type of anti-personnel mine destroyed, in accordance with Articles 4 and 5, respectively, along with, if possible, the lot numbers of each type anti-personnel mine in the case of destruction in accordance with Article 4"

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1. Destruction of stockpiled APMs (Article 4)

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<tr>
<td>M 35 Bg</td>
<td>4489</td>
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<td>Destroyed by our EOD Service in 1998</td>
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<td>424</td>
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<td>1999, for training purposes in accordance with Article 3 of the Convention</td>
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<td>383</td>
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<td>2000, at the Engineer School, 290 mines were used to educate 106 officers, NCO and soldiers as EOD personnel and to train 3010 militaries from combat units in” Mine Awareness”</td>
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<td>In Engineer Combat Units, 93 mines served for the operational training of their de-miners.</td>
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<td>2001, at the Engineer School, 190 mines were used to educate 13 NCO as EOD personnel and to train 3169 militaries from combat units in” Mine Awareness”</td>
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<td>EOD Service made explode 5 mines for training their personnel in humanitarian de-mining.</td>
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<td>In Engineer Combat Units, 139 mines served for the operational training of their de-miners.</td>
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<td>2002, At the Engineer School, 158 mines were used to educate NCOs as EOD personnel and to train 3550 militaries from combat units in” Mine Awareness”</td>
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<td>In Engineer Combat Units, 135 mines served for the operational training of their de-miners.</td>
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<td>2003, At the Engineer School, 182 mines were used to educate Officers, NCOs and privates as</td>
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<td>Mines Used</td>
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At the Engineer School, the following mines were used:

- **2004**: 267 mines to educate Officers, NCOs, and privates as EOD personnel.
- **2005**: 356 mines to educate Officers, NCOs, and privates as EOD personnel.
- **2006**: 251 mines to educate Officers, NCOs, and privates as EOD personnel.
- **2007**: 282 mines to educate Officers, NCOs, and privates as EOD personnel.
- **2008**: 42 mines to train EOD personnel.
- **2009**: 41 mines to train EOD personnel.

In Engineer Combat Units, **7525** mines were used for the operational training of their deminers and to train militaries from combat units in "Mine Awareness" (In accordance with the Article 3 of the convention).

In accordance with Article 3 of the convention, EOD personnel were trained in:

- **2004**: To train militaries from combat units in "Mine Awareness".
- **2005**: To train militaries from combat units in "Mine Awareness".
- **2006**: To train militaries from combat units in "Mine Risk Education".
- **2007**: To train militaries from combat units in "Mine Risk Education".
- **2008**: To train militaries from combat units in "Mine Risk Education".
- **2009**: To train militaries from combat units in "Mine Risk Education".

Total mines used: **7525**.
2. Destruction of APMs in mined areas (Article 5)

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**Form H**  
Technical characteristics of each type produced/owned or possessed

Article 7.1 "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:
   h) The technical characteristics of each type of anti-personnel mine produced, to the extent known, and those currently owned or possessed by a State Party, giving, where reasonably possible, such categories of information as may facilitate identification and clearance of anti-personnel mines; at a minimum, this information shall include the dimensions, fusing, explosive content, metallic content, color photographs and other information which may facilitate mine clearance"

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1. Technical characteristics of each APM-type produced

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<tr>
<th>Type</th>
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<th>Fusing</th>
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<th>Metallic content</th>
<th>Colour photo attached</th>
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2. Technical characteristics of each APM-type currently owned or possessed

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<tr>
<td>M 35 Bg</td>
<td>Ø 67 mm</td>
<td>Detonating type M 5A1Bg</td>
<td>TNT</td>
<td>102 gr</td>
<td>35 gr</td>
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Form I Measures to provide warning to the population

Article 7.1 "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

i) The measures taken to provide an immediate and effective warning to the population in relation to all areas identified under paragraph 2 of Article 5."

Remark: In accordance with Article 5, para.2: "Each State Party shall make every effort to identify all areas under its jurisdiction or control in which anti-personnel mines are known or suspected to be emplaced and shall ensure as soon as possible that all anti-personnel mines in mined areas under its jurisdiction or control are perimeter-marked, monitored and protected by fencing or other means, to ensure the effective exclusion of civilians, until all anti-personnel mines contained therein have been destroyed. The marking shall at least be to the standards set out in the 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".

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[Narrative:] NOT APPLICABLE
Form J: Other relevant matters

Remark: States Parties may use this form to report voluntarily on other relevant matters, including matters pertaining to compliance and implementation not covered by the formal reporting requirements contained in Article 7. States Parties are encouraged to use this form to report on activities undertaken with respect to Article 6, and in particular to report on assistance provided for the care and rehabilitation, and social and economic reintegration, of mine victims.

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Narrative / reference to other reports

1. Although from the stock retained under Article 3, no live mines were needed at this stage for research and development studies, some of those made use of in place live minefields inherited from previous internal state conflicts abroad.

2. Belgian contribution to international assistance in 2009

A. In 2009, Belgian expenditure for international assistance, as shown in the table attached, amounted to more than 8.216.000 Euro

In addition, assistance in kind is made available for de-mining as well as the development of new technologies.

Summarizing table 2009

ASIA

Program Recipient: Afghanistan
Implementing Agency: The Halo Trust
Funding amount: 285.000 Euro
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Service Public Fédéral Affaires Etrangères, Commerce Extérieur et Coopération au Développement
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary
Activity Type: Humanitarian mine clearance in Northern Afghanistan
Program description: The focus has been put on real demining on the field, assured by local personnel
Program Recipient: **Afghanistan**  
Implementing agency: Mines Advisory Group (MAG)  
Funding amount: **215,000 Euro**  
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Service Public Fédéral Affaires Etrangères, Commerce Extérieur et Coopération au Développement  
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary  
Activity Type: Capacity building of the national Afghan demining NGO Organisation for Mine Clearance & Afghan Rehabilitation (OMAR)  
Program Description: Reinforcement of existing Afghan capacities - (OMAR). The project focuses on security, quality and efficiency of the demining operations. “Training curriculums” will be developed.

Program Recipient: **Afghanistan**  
Funding amount (original currency): **723,000 Euro**  
Implementing Agency: Service d'enlèvement des engins explosifs (SEDEE-DOVO)  
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Departement of Defence  
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): in-kind  
Activity Type: detection, neutralisation and destruction of ERW (mines included) and the detection, neutralisation and destruction of improvised explosive device (IED).  
Program Description: In 2009, THREE (four months) rotations composed of 4 EOD/IEDDD operators and 1 EOR operator supported the German leaded Provincial Reconstruction Team KUNDUZ (PRT KUNDUZ)

Program Recipient: **Cambodja**  
Implementing agency: Mines Advisory Group (MAG)  
Funding amount: **550,360 Euro**  
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Service Public Fédéral Affaires Etrangères, Commerce Extérieur et Coopération au Développement  
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary  
Activity Type: Clearance for community development  
Program Description: the objective is to reduce the risks caused by landmines and unexploded ordinance with a view to allow agricultural activities and enhance the socio-economical situation of the small farmers. Mineclearance will be achieved by a mine action team with the use of a trained dog “bushcutter”
Program Recipient: **the Philippines**
Implementing agency: Geneva Call
Funding amount: **108,250 Euro**
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Service Public Fédéral Affaires Etrangères, Commerce Extérieur et Coopération au Développement
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary
Activity Type: Furthering the anti-personnel mine ban in the Philippines through the engagement of armed non state actors (NSA)
Program Description: This project fills in a broader program to make from the Philippines a mine-free country. Geneva Call will provide the opportunity to allow the governmental actors to engage non-state actors with a view to banning the use of landmines by both parties.

**SOUTH AMERICA**

Program Recipient: **Colombia**
Implementing agency: Mines Advisory Group (MAG)
Funding amount: **208,659 Euro**
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Service Public Fédéral Affaires Etrangères, Commerce Extérieur et Coopération au Développement
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary
Activity Type: Community-based mine risk education in Antioquia
Program Description: Improved regional Mine Risk Education (MRE) capacity; Quality data gathered in 12 affected municipalities; key recommendations communicated to stakeholders

**MIDDLE EAST**

Program Recipient: **Lebanon**
Funding amount: estimated at **3,032,000 Euro**
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Ministry of Defence
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): In kind
Activity Type: mine clearance
Program Description: In the framework of the UNIFIL-South build-up, Belgium deployed 1 EOD/demining platoon (43 persons) for the duration of 2009 devoted to clearing operations in the surroundings of TIBNIN.
AFRICA

Program Recipient: Mozambique
Implementing agency: APOPO
Funding amount: 40,000 Euro
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Vlaams Gewest en Gemeenschap
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary
Activity Type: mine clearance - Mozambique mine action programme

Program Recipient: Mozambique
Implementing agency: APOPO
Funding amount: 282,779 Euro
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Vlaams Gewest en Gemeenschap
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary
Activity Type: mine clearance Mine Action Plan Mozambique Gaza Province 2009-2013

INTERNATIONAL- MULTILATERAL

Program Recipient: GICHD
Funding Amount: 150,000 Euro
Funding source (Government Ministry or Department): Ministère des Affaires étrangères Commerce extérieur et Cooperation au développement
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary
Activity type: Support to anti-personnel mine ban Convention’s implementation support Unit

Program Recipient: Handicap International België
Funding amount: 100,000 euro
Funding Source (Government Ministry or Department): Service Public Fédéral Affaires Etrangères, Commerce Extérieur et Coopération au Développement
Contribution Type (Monetary or In-Kind): monetary
Activity Type: Victims assistance – 10 years on: from mine ban treaty to convention on cluster munitions
Program Description: This study is intended to support the evolution and progress registered in the field of victim assistance. A special attention will be dedicated to the testimony of the ban advocates and the local organization for victim assistance.
Program Recipient: **ICBL**  
Funding Amount: **300,000 Euro**  
Funding Source: Ministère des Affaires étrangères Commerce extérieur et Cooperation au développement  
Activity Type: stopping further casualties from antipersonnel landmines and cluster munitions and assisting survivors  
Contribution Type: monetary  
Program Description: preparation of the 2nd review Conference of the Mine-ban treaty; advocacy campaign focused on victim assistance; capacity building of local partners.

Program Recipient: **CICR CONTRIBUTION VOLONTAIRE / LUTTE CONTRE LES MINES**  
Funding Amount: **2,000,000 Euro**  
Funding Source: Service Public Fédéral Affaires Etrangères, Commerce Extérieur et Coopération au Développement (DGOS – D2.1)  
Contribution Type: monetary  
Activity Type: Humanitarian aid.

Program Recipient: **ITEP**  
Funding Amount: **86,000 Euro**  
Implementing Agencies: the 'Ecole Royale Militaire' (‘ERM/KMS’) and its Patrimony.  
Funding Source: Ministry of Defense (65,000 Euro) and the patrimony of the ERM (21,000 Euro).  
Contribution Type: monetary  
Activity Type: rationalization of the evaluation processes for the tests on new equipment for humanitarian demining. The 'Ecole Royale Militaire’ intervenes in support of ITEP by its participation in the Board of Directors, to the Executive Committee and in different working groups and also by funding the program secretary and its location on the site of the Academy. Occasionally, personnel of Defense is detached in the framework of certain new tests of new equipment for humanitarian demining: from September 20 to October 16, 2009, two Belgian deminers and a researcher from the 'ERM' have participated in the tests of dual-sensor mine detectors organized in Oberjettenberg, Germany.

Program Recipient: scientifical research "**BEMAT**"  
Funding Amount: **135,000 Euro** (salaries included)  
Implementing Agency: the 'Ecole Royale Militaire' coordinates the research program in cooperation with the major Belgian universities.  
Funding Source: Ministry of Defense  
Contribution Type: monetary  
Activity Type: research in support of humanitarian demining.  
Program Description: Along the year 2009, continuing of the research on multi-sensored detection systems, on the treatment and fusion of data and partly on the research and analysis of possible robotic solutions in support of humanitarian demining.