



Twenty-First Meeting of the States Parties
20 to 24 November 2023, Geneva

17 August 2023

To: The Permanent Missions to the United Nations
of the States Parties and States not party to the
Convention on the Prohibition of the Use,
Stockpiling, Production, and Transfer of Anti-
Personnel Mines and on Their Destruction

Interested non-governmental and international
organisations

Re: **Preparations for the 20-24 November 2023 Twenty-First Meeting of the States Parties (21MSP)
of the Anti-Personnel Mine Ban Convention**

Excellencies, dear friends,

Further to my letter dated 7 July, I wish to invite you to an informal meeting in Geneva to discuss
preparations for the 21MSP:

**Informal meeting on 21MSP preparations
Monday, 18 September 2023 – 15:00-17:00 CEST
Room VII, Palais des Nations**

This meeting will provide an opportunity to take stock of preparations for the 21MSP and to share
important information on organisational and substantial matters.

Please find enclosed an agenda for the meeting. Registration for the meeting can be accessed here:

<https://indico.un.org/event/1006599/>

We look forward to your participation.

Sincerely,

THOMAS GÖBEL

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President of the Twenty-first Meeting of the States Parties