APLs STOCKPILE DESTRUCTION UPDATE

ROMANIA

LEGAL MEASURES

• The ratification Law 204 of 15 November 2000

• The Government Decision no. 1326 for the Implementation of the Ottawa Convention

ADMINISTRATIVE MEASURES within the involved ministries

• Action Plans

• Technical procedures
TYPES OF ANTI-PERSONNEL MINES IN STOCKS

PRESSURE BLAST MINES

- **MAI-6**
  - Explosive: 200 g TNT
  - Fuse: PU-activated by pressure
  - Body: wood

- **MAI-75**
  - Explosive: 120 g TNT
  - Fuse: activated by pressure
  - Body: plastic

- **MAI-68**
  - Explosive: 60 g TNT
  - Fuse: activated by pressure
  - Body: plastic

TRIPWIRE FRAGMENTATION MINE

- **MAI-2**
  - Explosive: 70 g TNT
  - Fuse: PU-activated by traction
  - Body: metallic

BOUNDING FRAGMENTATION MINE

- **MSS**
  - Explosive: 300 g TNT
  - Fuse: activated by pressure or by traction
  - Body: metallic
**INITIAL STOCKPILE**

TOTAL 1,076,839 mines

- MAI –68: 135,343
- MAI –75: 668,111
- MAI 6: 115,988
- MSS: 42,660
- MAI 2: 114,737

**NUMBER OF MINES TO BE RETAINED**

Article 3

4,000 mines ➔ 2,500 mines

Distribution of mines retained:

- Land Forces: 230
- Air Forces: 1,880
- Navy: 140
- Other structures: 130
- MAI –68: 100+130
- MAI –75: 1,880
- MAI 6: 140
- MSS: 130
- MAI 2: 120
DESTRUCTION METHODS

DESTRUCTION OF MINES TYPE MAI 2, MAI 75, MAI 68 and MAI 6

Method: dismantling

THE PIECES ARE BROKEN

THE TNT IS STORED SEPARATELY FOR RECYCLING OR DESTRUCTION

DESTRUCTION METHODS

DESTRUCTION OF MINES TYPE MSS

Method: open detonation

TRANSPORT AT THE DESTRUCTION SITE

10 MINES ARE PREPARED FOR ELECTRICAL IGNITION

EXPLOSION
STOCKPILE DESTRUCTION STAGE

ENTRY INTO FORCE
1 May 2001

STOCKPILE DESTRUCTION DEADLINE
February 2004

1,076,839 mines
COMPLETED

Stockpile destruction completed for all types of mines

INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT

CA
LAPTOPS 8 pcs.
TENTS 24 pcs.

NO
TOTAL COST: 165,000 USD

Reay Group Team recommendation

Donation handover
QUESTIONS ?