Jordan Article 5 Update
Meeting of the Standing Committees

Geneva
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Question #1: Progress Since 9MSP

• North Border Mine Clearance Project:
  ✓ 6,997 AP mines cleared
  ✓ 3,006 AT mines cleared
  ✓ Area cleared: 70,797m²
  ✓ Area verified: 738,839m²
- **Challenges resolved**

  - Increased human resources: 126 deminers
  - Double shift for deminers and QC members
  - Project on track for 2009
  - Initial clearance by 2010

  Verification: North Border Mine Clearance Project
Question #2: Border Demarcation Issue

✓ Approval granted for clearance of disputed area (45km)

✓ Total 104km length of North Border Project open for demining

✓ Border Demarcation Issue almost resolved by Joint-Committee

Question #3: Jordan Valley Sampling & Verification

• Ongoing Process:

✓ PHASE 1 Complete: Desk Study / Review of 267 cleared REC minefields

✓ Roaming teams conducting spot demining: 51 items found (AP, AT, fuses)

✓ PHASE 2 Complete: Community questionnaires

✓ 108 SHA Identified

✓ PHASE 3 Ongoing: Technical assessment
Areas pending QC and Verification

- Wadi Araba free of landmines (2008)
- Mount Nebo: 7 MFs pending QC by MDD
- Mount Nebo to be completed by end of 2009

Wadi Araba Handover Ceremony
Thank you