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NAME OF STATE [PARTY]: _____Japan_____

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**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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(ONLY FOR THE PURPOSES OF CLARIFICATION)

Form A 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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No additional legal, administrative and other measures were taken during the previous calendar year to prevent and suppress any activity prohibited under the Convention. Please see the report submitted in 2003 for information on these matters.

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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Not applicable.

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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Not applicable.

Form D APMs retained or transferred

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

| Institution authorized by State Party | Type | Quantity | Lot # (if possible) | Supplementary information (# of mines consumed during this reporting period) |
|---------------------------------------|---|----------|---------------------|---|
| Ministry of Defense, Japan | Type 63 Anti-Personnel Mine | 38 | ST-2-3A-K | 24 consumed |
| | Type 67 Anti-Personnel Mine | 18 | NS-20-30 | 17 consumed |
| | Type 80 Anti-Personnel Mine | 25 | CY-10-28 | 4 consumed |
| | Type 87 Helicopter-carried Scatterable Anti-Personnel Mine Ver. A | 161 | NS-61-7 | 19 consumed |
| | | 59 | NS-61-8 | 1 consumed |
| | Type 87 Helicopter-carried Scatterable Anti-Personnel Mine Ver. B | 32 | NS-61-7 | 0 consumed |
| | | 35 | NS-61-8 | 0 consumed |

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| | Type 87 Helicopter-carried Scatterable Anti-Personnel Mine Ver. C | 0 36 23 | NS-61-6 NS-61-7 NS-61-8 | 0 consumed 0 consumed 8 consumed |
| | Type M3 Anti-Personnel Mine | 292 | KOP-5-31 | 11 consumed |
| TOTAL | | 719 | | |

1b. *Voluntary information (Action #54 of Nairobi Action Plan)*

| Objectives | Activity / Project | Supplementary information <i>(Description of programs or activities, their objectives and progress, types of mines, time period if and when appropriate...)</i> |
|-------------------------------|---|---|
| Education and training | <p>During the reporting period, Japan used anti-personnel mines for education and training.</p> <p>In 2021 Japan plans to use anti-personnel mines for education and training in mine detection and mine clearance.</p> | <p>“Information on the plans requiring the retention of mines for the development of and training in mine detection, mine clearance, or mine destruction techniques and report on the actual use of retained mines and the results of such use”</p> |

NOTE: Each State Party should provide information on plans and future activities if and when appropriate and reserves the right to modify it at any time

Form D (continued)

2. **Compulsory:** Transferred for development of and training in (*Article 3, para.1*)

No anti-personnel mines were transferred or developed during the previous calendar year.

3. **Compulsory:** Transferred for the purpose of destruction (*Article 3, para.2*)

No anti-personnel mines were transferred during the previous calendar year.

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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**Japan has no additional information to report on conversion or decommissioning of anti-personnel mine production facilities.
Please see the report submitted in 2003 for information on these matters.**

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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Not applicable.

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*)

Japan completed the destruction in 2003. Please see the report submitted in 2004 for information on this matter.

2. Destruction of APMs in mined areas (*Article 5*)

Not applicable.

Form G (continued)

3. Previously unknown stockpiles of anti-personnel mines discovered and destroyed after the deadlines have passed. (*Action #15 of Nairobi Action Plan*)*

Not applicable.

* Pursuant to the decision of the 8MSP, as contained in paragraph 29 of the Final Report of the Meeting, document APLC/MSP.8/2007/6.

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, colour photographs and other information which may facilitate mine clearance"

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1. Technical characteristics of each APM-type produced

Japan has no additional information to report on the technical characteristics of each type produced/owned or possessed. Please see the reports submitted in 1999 and 2004 for information on these matters.

2. Technical characteristics of each APM-type currently owned or possessed

Japan has no additional information to report on the technical characteristics of each type produced/owned or possessed. Please see the reports submitted in 1999 and 2004 for information on these matters.

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".

State [Party]: Japan reporting for time period from 01/01/2020 to 31/12/2020

[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.

State [Party]: Japan reporting for time period from 01/04/2020 to 31/03/2021

International assistance extended by the Government of Japan from April 1st 2020 to March 31st 2021. (In Japan, the fiscal year begins on April 1st and ends on March 31st.)

| Country | Recipient | Purpose | US\$ |
|-------------|---|---|-----------|
| Afghanistan | Association for Aid and Relief, Japan | Community-based Explosive Ordnance Risk Education (EORE) | 408,165 |
| | Agency for Rehabilitation and Energy Conservation in Afghanistan (AREA) | The Project for Mine Clearance in Nuristan Province | 515,822 |
| | UNICEF | Critical life-saving health, nutrition and protection services for remote and underserved populations affected by COVID-19 in Afghanistan | 131,000 |
| | UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS) | Support to COVID-19-Responsive Humanitarian Mine Action Initiatives in Afghanistan | 900,000 |
| Angola | National Institute of Demining, Angola (INAD) | The Economic and Social Development Programme | 1,909,091 |
| | Desenvolvimento de Produtos de Desminagem de Minas Anti-Pessoal (APOPO) | The Project for Mine Clearance at 7 areas in 5 municipalities of Cuanza Sul Province | 249,780 |
| Armenia | Foundation of Demining and Demolition NGO | The Project for Medical Support and First Aid Training for Demining Activities | 77,685 |
| Cambodia | Japan Mine Action Service | Reconstruction Support with Demining in | 873,827 |

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| | | Banteay Meanchey | |
| | Japan Mine Action Service | Reconstruction Support with Cluster munitions disposal in Stung Treng | 889,424 |
| Cameroon | United Nations Development Programme | Support to EIFORCES' training capacity building for multi-stakeholders' initiatives in achieving human security, crisis recovery and sustainable peace | 300,000 |
| Chad | UNICEF | Integrated support to conflict-affected children and strengthening the resilience and peacebuilding strategies of vulnerable communities in Lac province, Chad | 80,000 |
| Iraq | International Committee of the Red Cross | Emergency and Rehabilitation Activity for Iraq | 6,818,181 |
| Lao PDR | Mines Advisory Group | The Project for Support to Community Liaison and Emergency Response for Explosive Ordnance in Khammouane Province | 227,869 |
| | Japan Mine Action Service | Regional development support project by promoting cluster machine processing in Xiengkhouang Province (First stage) | 681,017 |
| Lebanon | Mines Advisory Group | The Project for the Clearance of Landmines in the Caza of Marjayoun | 630,145 |
| | Norwegian People's Aid - Lebanon | The Project for the Clearance of Landmines in Southern Lebanon | 599,975 |
| | Handicap International Federation | The Project for the Clearance of Landmines and Explosive Remnants of War in in Batroun, Bcharre and Koura, North Lebanon | 416,270 |
| | Dan Church Aid | The Project for the Clearance of Landmines in the Caza of Sour | 633,176 |
| Nigeria | UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS) | Mitigation of explosive risks to enhance the protection and resilience of civilian population in north-east Nigeria | 1,167,500 |
| Palau | Japan Mine Action Service | Work on Explosive Remnants of War | 902,451 |

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| | | (ERW) in the Republic of Palau | |
| Palestine | UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS) | Mitigation of Explosive Risks and Promotion of Conflict Resilience in Gaza | 483,909 |
| | International Committee of the Red Cross | Emergency and Rehabilitation Activities for Israel and the occupied territories | 1,250,000 |
| Somalia | UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS) | the Project for Promoting Security through Enhancing the Explosive Disposal Capacity of the Somali Police Force | 4,000,000 |
| South Sudan | UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS) | Developing an Emergency National Capacity to Address Explosive Risk, to Support Recovery, COVID-19 Preparedness and Response, and Development in South Sudan | 137,100 |
| Sri Lanka | The HALO Trust | The Project for Humanitarian Mine Clearance for Resettlement and Livelihoods in Northern Province, Sri Lanka | 636,363 |
| | Mines Advisory Group | The Project for Landmine Clearance in Support of Livelihood Development for Returnees in Northern Province | 636,262 |
| | SKAVITA HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE AND RELIEF PROJECT (SHARP) | The Project for Manual Demining in Northern Sri Lanka in Support of Peace Building, Rehabilitation and Reconciliation Process | 620,379 |
| | Delvon Assistance for Social Harmony (DASH) | The Project for Demining in Kilinochchi and Mullaitivu Districts in Assistance of Peace Building, Rehabilitation and Reconciliation Process | 636,363 |
| Sudan | UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS) | Humanitarian mine action in support of COVID-19 response in Sudan | 1.200,000 |
| Syria | UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS) | Humanitarian Mine Action to address increased threat associated with the COVID-19 pandemic in Syria | 825,000 |
| | International Committee of the Red Cross | Emergency and Rehabilitation Activity for Syria | 7,500,000 |
| Togo | United Nations Development | Strengthening the Capacities of the | 300,000 |

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| | Programme | Peacekeeping Operations Training Center of Togo | |
| Ukraine | International Committee of the Red Cross | Emergency and Rehabilitation Activities for Ukraine | 1,000,000 |
| Vietnam | Mines Advisory Group Vietnam | The Project for Integrated Cluster Munition Clearance in Quang Binh Province | 636,353 |
| Zimbabwe | The HALO Trust | The Project for Mine Clearance in Mashonaland Central Province | 644,651 |
| UNMAS | | UNMAS Headquarters Coordination Cost | 60,195 |
| | | Total | 38,977,953 |