

## COVER PAGE OF THE ANNUAL ARTICLE 7 REPORT

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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**

STATE [PARTY]:

**United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland**

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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".

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Measures	Supplementary information (e.g., effective date of implementation & text of legislation attached).

**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."

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

1. Total of stockpiled anti-personnel mines

Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL			

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

Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL			

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\* 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 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."

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

1. Areas that contain mines\*

Location	Type	Quantity	Date of emplacement	Supplementary information

2. Areas suspected to contain mines\*

Location	Type	Quantity	Date of emplacement	Supplementary information

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\* If necessary, a separate table for each mined area may be provided

**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"

State [Party]: **United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland** reporting for time period from **1 January 2014** to **31 December 2014**

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
UK Ministry of Defence	Various non-UK types	724		As of 27 April 2015 the UK held 724 APMs of foreign manufacture for the development of and training in mine detection, mine clearance, or mine destruction techniques as provided for in Article 3 of the Convention.
TOTAL	-----			

**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>
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		“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”
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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*)

Institution authorized by State Party	Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information: e.g. transferred from, transferred to
TOTAL	-----			

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

Institution authorized by State Party	Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information: e.g. transferred from, transferred to
TOTAL	-----			

**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."

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate if to "convert" or "decommission"	Status (indicate if "in process" or "completed")	Supplementary information



**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."

State [Party]: **United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland** reporting for time period from **01 January 2014** to **31 December 2014**

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

1. Status of programs for destruction of stockpiled AWMs (Article 7)	
Description of the status of programs including:	Details of:
Location of destruction sites	
	Methods
	Applicable safety standards
	Applicable environmental standards

## 2. Status of programs for destruction of APMs in mined areas (*Article 5*)

Description of the status of programs including:	Details of:
Location of destruction sites	
In 2014 HMG awarded contracts for the fourth phase of demining operations on the Falkland Islands. Contracts were awarded to Bactec International Ltd and Fenix Insight Ltd for the roles of Land Release Contractor and Demining Project Office respectively. The contract specified that the following suspect hazardous areas would be cleared: 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 49, 50A, 50B, 66, 83, 51, 22, 24, 26, 27, 52, 53, 86, 63A, 63B, 110, and the non-minefield area behind the Stanley Common fence to the west of the Eliza Cove road. Pre-deployment activity took place in 2014, and clearance work commenced in January 2015.	<p>Methods:</p> <p>The project is using a combination of manual and mechanical clearance assets.</p>
	Applicable safety standards: IMAS
	<p>Applicable environmental standards:</p> <p>Agreed in coordination with Falkland Islands Government Environmental Planning Department to minimise damage to this unique and fragile environment and to aid remediation.</p>

**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"

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

1. Destruction of stockpiled APMs (*Article 4*)

Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL			

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

Type	Quantity	Supplementary information
TOTAL		

**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*)\*

Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL			

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

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

1. Technical characteristics of each APM-type produced

Type	Dimensions	Fusing	Explosive content		Metallic content	Colour photo attached	Supplementary information to facilitate mine clearance.
			type	grams			

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

Type	Dimensions	Fusing	Explosive content		Metallic content	Colour photo attached	Supplementary information to facilitate mine clearance.
			type	grams			

**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]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

[Narrative:]

**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]: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland reporting for time period from **01 January 2014** to **31 December 2014**

[Narrative / reference to other reports:]

The UK is currently funding a global mine action programme that focuses on mine clearance, risk education and capacity building activities in Mozambique, Cambodia, Laos, Sri Lanka and Vietnam. Last year this funding supported the clearance of over 2,300,000 square meters of land and reached 13,321 people through mine risk education activities. In addition, the UK is also funding a separate project in Afghanistan which cleared 9.78 million square meters of high priority minefields and battlefields, and provided mine risk education to 51,960 people in villages across Herat province. The value of UK projects over financial year 14/15 is given here:

Country	March 2014- March 2015
Cambodia	£1,268,713
Mozambique	£948,281
Vietnam	£998,779
Laos	£1,040,977
Sri Lanka	£2,217,423
Afghanistan	£1,763,881
Iraq	£235,000
Global Capacity Development	£143,514
<b>Total</b>	<b>£7,950,591</b>