



**Eleventh Conference of States Parties to the Arms Trade Treaty  
Working Group on Transparency & Reporting  
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Thank you, Mr. President,

The ATT Monitor commends the Working Group and the ATT Secretariat for continuing to provide resources and guidance on reporting during the intersessional period leading up to CSP11. We fully support the collective efforts to enhance compliance with reporting obligations, ensuring that all States Parties can submit complete, accurate, and timely reports.

We wish to thank all participants in our launch of the ATT Monitor 2025 Annual Report on Monday. In our Report, we made a thorough analysis of the annual reports that States Parties submitted for 2023, as of 1 February 2025.

Our analysis shows some mixed results.

Some concerning developments include, for instance, the fact that the proportion of meaningfully transparent reports dropped to 24 per cent for 2023 annual reports, the lowest level since the Treaty entered into force, reflecting some challenges in maintaining transparency standards.

Our research has also highlighted some positive aspects. For example, the proportion of annual reports submitted on time increased to 44 per cent in 2023, returning to percentages of on-time reports for 2020-21, and reports that provided information disaggregated by categories of arms increased since 2022.

We also note that the ATT website indicates that 72 States Parties have already submitted a 2024 annual report. We would like to congratulate The Bahamas and Guyana for submitting annual reports for the first time in 2024.

We would also like to congratulate the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland for updating its initial report and we invite more States Parties to do so.

We welcome the recommendations of the Working Group to CSP11. In particular, we join the call on all States Parties which have not submitted reports to do so.

The ATT Monitor continues to engage in different activities to support States Parties with reporting. Last May, together with the Stimson Center, we organised an online clinic that offered guidance and insights on how to successfully fulfil ATT initial and annual reporting obligations. With our outputs, which include the ATT Monitor annual reports, the country profiles, and the ATT Monitor Arms Transfers Dashboard presented this year in this Working Group, the ATT Monitor

remains committed to support ATT States Parties in promoting and advancing transparency in the arms trade.

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