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The Arms Trade Treaty Secretariat and the European Union invite you to a side event on:

# Launch of the Arms Trade Treaty Needs and Resources Matching Database

**Tuesday, 22 August 2023**  
**13:15 – 14:15**

The Arms Trade Treaty (ATT) Secretariat is currently implementing The Arms Trade Treaty Implementation Support Project (ATT-ISP), which is supported by the European Union. Article 18(3)(c) of the ATT mandates the ATT Secretariat to 'facilitate the matching of offers of and requests for assistance for Treaty implementation'. While States Parties are encouraged to seek assistance, where needed, and provide assistance, where possible, until now there has been no formal mechanism established within the ATT framework to facilitate this. Through the EU support, the ATT Secretariat is in the process of developing a database for matching needs and resources for ATT implementation, which will be showcased during CSP9.

This event is aimed ATT stakeholders wishing to better understand how the database will work in facilitating the matching of needs and resources in order to enhance ATT implementation.

#### Panelists

- European Union (Name to be TBA)
- Mr. Dumisani DLADLA, Head of the Arms Trade Treaty Secretariat

*A light lunch will be served*