



Republic of Mozambique

Statement by the Delegation of Mozambique at the CSP 5 Arms Trade Treaty

Item 8 - Treaty Universalization

Geneva, 28th August 2019

Mr. President;

1. We wish to start by thanking the Secretariat and the Working Groups for their comprehensive presentation and job well done.
2. The presentations are reflection of the endeavours undertaken by both the Secretariat and the Working Groups, as we all, are striving to universalise this important instrument with focus on the mitigation of the human suffering caused by the use of Convention Arms, specially those obtained through diversion.

Mr. President;

3. It is Mozambique's conviction that the ATT contributes a great deal to the upholding of the International Humanitarian Law and the International Human Rights, fundamental instruments for human security, that the Treaty also seeks to address.

4. In this context, we would like to assure this august house that Mozambique is taking all the necessary measures to submit the initial Report in time, and in line with the provisions of the ATT.

Thank you very much.