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# Report of the ATT Working Group on Reporting Templates to the Second Conference of States Parties

At the Extraordinary Conference of States Parties held in Geneva on 29 February 2016, the Conference agreed on Terms of Reference for the informal working group established during CSP1. These are contained in ATT/CSP2/2016/EM/WP.2/Rev.1 and reproduced here.

#### Mandate

1. The Informal Working Group on Reporting shall continue the work of developing reporting templates for mandatory reporting obligations under Articles 13.1 and 13.3 of the Arms Trade Treaty, with the aim of proposing templates at CSP2. Work may also be undertaken on templates for voluntary reporting according to Article 13.2 of the Treaty.

#### Membership and composition

2. The Informal Working Group on Reporting shall be open to participation by States Parties, signatory States, and observers to the Extraordinary Meeting of the Second Conference of States Parties. At the request of a State Party, and in accordance with Rule 43, a particular session of the Group may be limited to government representatives only. Experts may be invited to attend such a session, pursuant to Rule 42.3 of the Rules of Procedure.

#### Working methods

- The Working Group shall be chaired by the facilitator(s) for reporting templates appointed by the Conference.
- 4. The Working Group shall primarily hold its meetings in Geneva, where the meetings can be supported by the Secretariat of the Treaty.
- 5. The working language of the Group shall be English.
- Meetings shall be complemented by intersessional work conducted by posting proposals and comments on the website of the Treaty. If a closed session has been agreed, communications pertaining to the confidential aspects of that session may be posted in the secure area of the website.

#### **Budgetary implications**

7. Direct meeting costs, such as for technical support and documentation, will be covered by the resources allocated for the conduct of meetings in the budget of the Second Session of the Conference of States Parties. Indirect meeting costs, such as for travel and accommodation, will be borne by the participants.

#### **Facilitation**

Sweden was asked to continue to facilitate the work on reporting templates, and Ambassador Paul Beijer has fulfilled this role in the period leading up to the Second Conference of States Parties.

#### **Activities of the Group**

The Working Group has held 3 meetings in Geneva at the seat of the Secretariat, on April 29, June 3 and July 8. One meeting was also held in New York on May 13. Intersessionally, input has been provided by both States Parties and civil society organisations.

#### The purpose and design of reporting templates

Article 13 of the Arms Trade Treaty contains two mandatory reporting requirements for States Parties: (1) an initial report detailing measures taken to implement the Treaty, and (2) an annual report detailing authorized or actual exports and imports of conventional arms covered under Article 2 (1) of the Treaty.

The discussions regarding reporting obligations both during the negotiating phase and afterwards has shown that reporting can fulfil a number of important purposes:

- an initial report serves to demonstrate a State Party's commitment to the Treaty and ability to fulfil the obligations undertaken. It also provides examples of different approaches to implementing Treaty obligations at the national level, thereby serving as food for thought input to national implementation work and in the longer term perhaps to the development of guidance for acceding States.
- an annual report serves to demonstrate a State Party's adherence to Treaty obligations
  regarding the responsible regulation of the international transfer of controlled items. It
  also allows States Parties to enhance their awareness of arms flows in their own regions
  and globally. Such transparency has a confidence-building effect, acts as an early
  warning signal of potential conflict risks and can serve to strengthen conflict-prevention
  efforts. The information generated by annual reports also represents valuable input to the
  risk assessment processes of national licensing systems.

Without prejudice to the right of States Parties to submit their reports according to Article 13 in any form they deem appropriate, reporting in a standardized format may help to achieve all these positive effects by making different national reports more comparable and easier to use for analytical purposes at the national level. Use of a template also provides assurance that reporting obligations are being fulfilled in a manner that will not be challenged.

A carefully constructed template for the initial report, one that adequately reflects the different obligations contained in the Treaty, also provides individual States Parties with a diagnostic tool for assessing the compliance of their national control systems at any given point in time.

At the same time, a balance needs to be struck between the utility of information gathered through a template and the effort required at the national level to produce a report. The need to limit the demands on national resources has been addressed in several different ways:

- A template in itself simplifies reporting work at the national level: individual States Parties are saved the effort of devising a format of their own.
- Requirements for an excessive level of detail have been avoided, since further detail can also be provided as the need arises in work under the Treaty.
- A tick-box approach has been employed in the initial report, allowing a State Party to
  complete its report quickly and simply, providing the minimum of information necessary to
  demonstrate national compliance with obligations under the Treaty. At the same time,
  ample scope exists in the template for the voluntary provision of further information on
  different aspects of a national system.
- Use of the initial reporting template also for the provision of updates reflecting new
  measures undertaken at the national level has been foreseen, through the incorporation
  of the necessary 'flags'.

#### **The Initial Reporting Template**

Article 13.1 of the Treaty (in full) specifies that:

"Each State Party shall, within the first year after entry into force of this Treaty for that State Party, in accordance with Article 22, provide an initial report to the Secretariat of measures undertaken in order to implement this Treaty, including national laws, national control lists and other regulations and administrative measures. Each State Party shall report to the Secretariat on any new measures undertaken in order to implement this Treaty, when appropriate. Reports shall be made available, and distributed to States Parties by the Secretariat."

The provisional initial reporting template presented at CSP1 has undergone four revisions on the basis of input from participants in the Working Group process. It is attached to this report as Annex 1. The Working Group recommends that the Conference of States Parties approves this template. The following wording is proposed for consideration at CSP2:

Alt 1: [States Parties considered and adopted the initial reporting template contained in Annex 1 of ATT/CSP2/2016/WP.6 for use by States Parties in compiling their initial reports in accordance with Article 13.1 of the Treaty]

Alt 2: [For use in compiling initial reports in accordance with Article 13.1 of the Treaty States Parties are urged to use the template contained in Annex 1 of ATT/CSP2/2016/WP.6, in order to facilitate their reporting task as well as subsequent use of the information contained therein in Treaty work]

Alt 3: [Noting that a template may facilitate their reporting task as well as subsequent use of the information contained therein in Treaty work, States Parties endorse the initial reporting template contained in Annex 1 of ATT/CSP2/2016/WP.6 that may be used by States Parties in compiling their initial reports in accordance with Article 13.1 of the Treaty.]

#### **The Annual Reporting Template**

Article 13.3 of the Treaty (in full) specifies that:

"Each State Party shall submit annually to the Secretariat by 31 May a report for the preceding calendar year concerning authorized or actual exports and imports of conventional arms covered under Article 2 (1). Reports shall be made available, and distributed to States Parties by the Secretariat. The report submitted to the Secretariat may contain the same information submitted by the State Party to relevant United Nations frameworks, including the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms. Reports may exclude commercially sensitive or national security information."

The provisional annual reporting template presented at CSP1 has undergone three revisions on the basis of input from participants in the Working Group process. It is attached to this report as Annex 2. The Working Group recommends that the Conference of States Parties approves this template. The following wording is proposed for consideration at CSP2:

Alt 1: [States Parties considered and adopted the annual reporting template contained in Annex 2 of ATT/CSP2/2016/WP.6 for use by States Parties in compiling their annual reports in accordance with Article 13.3 of the Treaty]

Alt 2: [For use in compiling annual reports in accordance with Article 13.3 of the Treaty States Parties are urged to use the template contained in Annex 2 of ATT/CSP2/2016/WP.6, in order to facilitate their reporting task as well as subsequent use of the information contained therein in Treaty work]

Alt 3: [Noting that a template may facilitate their reporting task as well as subsequent use of the information contained therein in Treaty work, States Parties endorse the annual reporting template contained in Annex 2 of ATT/CSP2/2016/WP.6 that may be used by States Parties in compiling their annual reports in accordance with Article 13.3 of the Treaty."

#### Issues related to initial reporting deadlines for new States Parties

At the request of the Chair of CSP2, the Working Group also considered two issues related to initial reporting deadlines for new States Parties.

The first concerns the initial report deadline and a group of 8 States Parties that ratified the Treaty in the period between the attainment of 50 ratifications according to Article 22(1) and the entry into force of the Treaty. Due to the wording of the entry into force provisions, this group of States Parties did not get as much time to prepare their initial reports as other States Parties ratifying the Treaty before or after this point in time. The group concluded that a decision by the States Parties to correct this oversight would not have any practical impact. It therefore proposes that States Parties at CSP2 go no further than to take note of the issue as described in the working paper presented to the Working Group (ATT/CSP2/2016/WP.5).

The second concerns the first annual report of a States Party. The wording of the relevant Treaty provision (Article 13.3) mandates that reporting should cover a calendar year, but provides no guidance as to whether (depending on when in a calendar year the treaty entered into force for a given States Party) a first annual report should cover also a period

<u>before</u> treaty obligations entered in force for that State Party, or alternatively cover only a part of that first calendar year. In the template work leading up to CSP1 an informal agreement was reached that a States Party's first annual report should cover the first complete calendar year after entry into force for that State Party. This agreement was never formalized since the annual template was not adopted at CSP1. At the same time, the Working Group notes the utility of providing clear guidance to forthcoming States Parties on the timing of their first annual report. The following wording is therefore proposed for consideration at CSP2:

"Regarding Article 13.3 of the Treaty, States Parties recommend that a new State Party's first annual report should cover the first full calendar year after entry into force of the Treaty for that State Party, and be submitted by 31 May the following year.

In the spirit of Article 5.3 of the Treaty, nothing prevents a new State Party wishing to contribute further to transparency and accountability from reporting the time period from entry into force of the Treaty and up to the start of the first full calendar year, as long as that additional period is reported separately."

#### Other means of facilitating reporting work

The Working Group also considered other proposals for facilitating reporting work at the national level. As a result, the Conference of States Parties is recommended to consider the following measures:

- Translation of the reporting templates into the official languages of the Treaty (as a result
  of efforts by one State Party, a translation into Spanish already exists).
- Reminders from the Secretariat to national points of contact as reporting deadlines grow close.
- Development of secure, web-based versions of the reporting templates, to avoid the
  technical and security limitations of the document formats used so far. The option to
  complete a template in document format and forward it to the Secretariat via e-mail
  should at the same time be retained, to accommodate local differences in the availability
  and cost of high-speed internet services.

A further suggestion which was not explored in depth by the Working Group due to time constraints was for States Parties of the ATT to develop generic advice on measures that could be taken at national level to facilitate compliance with different international reporting obligations.

#### **Further work**

The Working Group recommends that the Conference of States Parties continues to pay attention to issues related to reporting and transparency as these are central to the object and purpose of the Arms Trade Treaty. To this end, the Conference may wish to consider establishing a Working Group with the mandate to consider issues in the area of reporting and transparency at the behest of States Parties.

## **Budgetary impact of the Working Group**

Meetings in Geneva have been arranged by the ATT Secretariat. Participation costs have been borne by the participants themselves. The meeting in New York was convened and funded by Sweden in the role of facilitator.

#### THE ARMS TRADE TREATY

#### REPORTING TEMPLATE

# INITIAL REPORT ON MEASURES UNDERTAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THE ARMS TRADE TREATY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 13(1)

This template is intended for use by States Parties to the Arms Trade Treaty when preparing their initial report in accordance with the Treaty's Article 13(1).

Article 13(1) requires States Parties to "report to the Secretariat on any new measures undertaken to implement the Treaty, where appropriate" and thus does not limit information-giving only to measures related to binding obligations in the Treaty. However, in terms of national implementation, binding obligations have a special significance. To highlight this, the template distinguishes between two types of information: (A) information which relates to binding obligations under the Treaty, and (B) information which relates to provisions in the Treaty which are estimated to be binding to a lesser degree, or non-binding. Where the template touches upon information related to the (B) type of provisions in the Treaty, the rows are shaded to make this distinction clear.

The shading does <u>not</u> indicate that certain information is purely voluntary, its purpose is to facilitate the use of this template as a diagnostic tool for assessing at the national level the need for implementation work to fulfil requirements of the Treaty. The un-shaded items are necessary to implement, the shades items represent desirable features of a national control system - which under certain circumstances may also be necessary to implement.

The division of obligations into binding and non-binding has been undertaken - solely for the purpose of this Template - on the basis of a strict observance of the qualifiers included in the text of the Treaty. Thus,

- if a provision in the text is prefaced with "shall" only, it is considered binding and information on that topic should be provided in the initial report.
- if a provision in the text has qualifiers, such as "shall...subject to its national laws", or "shall...pursuant to national law", or "shall...consistent with national law", or "shall....where necessary/appropriate", then a binding obligation is deemed to exist if certain pre-requisites are fulfilled. In this case, information on the topic should be provided in the initial report. If the pre-requisites are not fulfilled, the provision is deemed to be non-binding. In this case information need not be provided unless measures have in fact been taken in the national context to comply with such a provision.
- if States Parties are only encouraged to take, or invited to consider taking, certain actions, the provision is deemed non-binding. This category also includes qualifiers such as "may include..." or actions to be initiated "by mutual consent" with another State Party. <u>Information should be provided if measures have been taken in the national context that fulfil this type of provision</u>.

On a voluntary basis, more information may always be provided.

Please note that Article 13.1 also requires States Parties to "report to the Secretariat on any new measures undertaken in order to implement this Treaty, when appropriate". This template may be used to supply such updates as well. Only changes need then be indicated.

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# INITIAL REPORT ON MEASURES UNDERTAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THE ARMS TRADE TREATY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS ARTICLE 13(1)

| TRADE TREATY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS ARTICLE 13(1)                  |  |       |          |  |
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| DATE OF SUBMISSION  |  |       |          |  |
|   |  |       |          |  |
| This  | Initial Report is available only to States Parties   |       |          |  |
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| This  | Report contains only updates to a previously submitted initial report dated  |       |          |  |
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|   | ATIONAL CONTROL SYSTEM AND LIST  |       |          |  |
| (pleas  | verview of legislation and ordinances governing the national control system [Ar se list below. If the national control system is governed in whole or part by other meances, please indicate these also) |       | ation or |  |
|   |  |       |          |  |
| B. Tl   | ne national control system includes the following:   | Yes   | No       |  |
| i)  | competent national authorities (further specified below) [Article 5(5)]  |       |          |  |
| ii)   | a control list [Article 5(2)]  |       |          |  |
| iii)  | one or more national points of contact to exchange information on ATT implementation [Article 5(6)]  |       |          |  |
| If 'No' to any of the items above, please provide background below. |  |       |          |  |
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| the T   | ne national point(s) of contact has (have) been notified to the Secretariat of reaty [Article 5(6)] (o', please clarify below)   | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌     |  |
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| D. Tl   | ne national control list covers the following:   | Yes   | No       |  |
| i)  | Battle tanks [Article 2(1a)]   |       |          |  |
| ii)   | Armored combat vehicles [Article 2(1b)]  |       |          |  |
| iii)  | Large-caliber artillery systems [Article 2(1c)]  |       |          |  |
| iv)   | Combat aircraft [Article 2(1d)]  |       |          |  |
| v)  | Attack helicopters [Article 2(1e)]   |       |          |  |
| vi)   | Warships [Article 2(1f)]   |       |          |  |
| vii)  | Missiles and missile launchers [Article 2(1g)]   |       |          |  |
| viii)   | Small arms and light weapons [Article 2(1h)]   |       |          |  |
|   | national control list also includes the following, in order to enable the cation of Articles 3 and 4:  | Yes   | No       |  |
| ix)   | Ammunition/Munitions for the conventional arms covered in Article 2(1) [for the application of Article 3]  |       |          |  |

| x)  | Parts and components in a form that provides the capability to assemble the conventional arms covered in Article 2(1) [for the application of Article 4]   |                 |          |
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| If 'No  | o' to any of the items above, please provide background below  |                 |          |
|   |  |                 |          |
| [Arti   | te national control list has been provided to the Secretariat of the Treaty cle 5.4] o', please elaborate further below)   | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌     |
|   |  |                 |          |
| F. Ar   | ms for recreational, cultural, historical and sporting purposes are included in ational control list [Article 2(1)(h) & Preamble, 13 <sup>th</sup> para]   | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌     |
|   | ', please provide further information below, for instance whether a separate set of cotypes of arms  | ontrols are app | olied to |
|   |  |                 |          |
| contr   | Iditional categories not listed under Section A1.D are included in the national ol list [Article 5(3)] es', please specify below)  | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌     |
|   |  |                 |          |
| contr   | ontrol list definitions are supplemented by more detailed definitions not in the ol list itself [Article 5(3)] es', please provide further information below)  | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌     |
|   |  |                 |          |
| (if 'Y  | e national control list is publicly available [Article 5(4)] es', please provide information below as to how your control list is made publicly ble - if available on the open internet please provide the hyperlink)  | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌     |
|   |  |                 |          |
| (pleas  | ditional voluntary information about the national control system be elaborate below - for instance regarding inter-agency coordination structures, train als, transparency and accountability mechanisms, outreach to private actors such as i ned review or change of the national control system or parts thereof) |                 |          |
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|   |  |                 |          |
| 2. Pl   | ROHIBITIONS  |                 |          |
| Artic<br>unde   | the national control system prohibits authorization of transfers as defined by le 2(2), of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) and items covered in Articles 3 and 4, in the circumstances specified in Articles 6(1) to 6(3) o' in any respect, please elaborate below)                                    | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌     |
|   |  | l               |          |
| B. International agreements to which the country is a Party, and which are considered relevant for the application of Article 6(2) (please list below)                    |  |                 |          |
|   |  |                 |          |
| C. International agreements to which the country is a Party, and which are considered relevant for the application of Article 6(3) (please list below - for instance if ) |  |                 |          |

(if 'No' please elaborate below)

measures that are most often used)

G. The national risk assessment procedure includes the consideration of risk mitigation measures that could be undertaken to mitigate identified risks [Article 7(2)] (if 'Yes' please elaborate below, including an indication of types of risk mitigation

H. The national control system allows exports of controlled equipment without a

No 🗌

No 🗌

Yes 🗌

Yes 🗌

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| appl  | Guidelines exist for the assessment of whether a sanctions decision is licable or not to an individual case  No' in any respect, please elaborate below)   | es □ N          | бо 🗆   |
| (plea | dditional voluntary information relevant to prohibitions under Article 6 ase elaborate below - for instance if prohibitions are applied to a wider range of productes 2(1), 3 and 4)                                     | ucts than defin | ned in |
|       |  |                 |        |
| 3. E  | EXPORTS  |                 |        |
| A. T  | The national control system includes the following:  | Yes             | No     |
| i)    | an authorization or licensing system for arms exports [Article 5(2)]   |                 |        |
| ii)   | export assessment criteria [Article 7]   |                 |        |
| iii)  | a risk assessment procedure [Article 7]  |                 |        |
| If 'N | lo' to any of the items above, please provide background below   |                 |        |
|       |  |                 |        |
| 2(1)  | (ational export controls apply to the conventional arms covered under Article and the items covered under Articles 3 and 4  No', please provide further information below)   | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌   |
|       |  |                 |        |
| auth  | The national control system includes measures to ensure that all export norizations are detailed and issued prior to export [Article 7(5)]  No', please provide further information below)                               | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌   |
|       |  |                 |        |
| Arti  | The national risk assessment procedure includes all the criteria described in cle 7(1)(a) and (b), and Article 7(4)  No' in any respect, please elaborate below)   | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌   |
|       |  |                 |        |
|       | the competent national authority(-ies) for the control of exports [Article 5(5)] as specify below)   |                 |        |
|       |  |                 |        |
| auth  | he national control system allows appropriate information about an export corization to be made available, upon request, to the importing State Party for to the transit or trans-shipment States Parties [Article 7(6)] | Yes 🗌           | No 🗌   |

| licence or under simplified procedure under certain circumstances [for instance temporary exports or exports to trusted partners] (if 'Yes' please provide further information below)   |              |              |
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| I. The national risk assessment procedure includes other criteria <u>not</u> mentioned in the articles cited in 3.D above (if 'Yes' please specify below)   | Yes 🗌        | No 🗌         |
|   |              |              |
| J. Measures to exercise control over exports are applicable also to other categories of conventional arms than those covered in Articles 2(1), 3 and 4 [Article 5(3)] (if 'Yes', please elaborate below)  | Yes 🗌        | No 🗌         |
|   |              |              |
| K. An export authorization can be reassessed if new relevant information becomes available [Article 7(7)] (if 'Yes', please provide further information below. Are there also legal provisions for suspension or withdrawal of a license?)  | Yes 🗌        | No 🗌         |
|   |              |              |
| L. Information / documentation included in an application for an export authorization (please specify below)  | on           |              |
|   |              |              |
| M. Apart from the competent national authority, the following ministries or government involved in the decision-making process for an export authorization [Article 5(5)] (please specify below)  | ment authori | ties may be  |
|   |              |              |
| N. The national control system allows a State of final destination to request information concerning pending or actual export authorizations pertaining to it [Article 8(3)] (if 'No', please elaborate below)  | Yes 🗌        | No 🗌         |
|   |              |              |
| O. Additional voluntary information relevant to national export controls (please specify below - for instance on the control of re-exports, or further detail on natio 3A-D and F)  | nal measures | indicated in |
|   |              |              |
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| 4. IMPORTS  | Ī            |              |
| A. The national control system includes measures that allow the regulation, where necessary, of imports of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) [ref Article 8(2)], as well as items covered under Articles 3 and 4. [ref Articles 6(1) to 6(3)] (if 'Yes', please provide further information below on the nature of control measures and confirm whether they apply to all items in the national control list. If 'No', please elaborate below) | Yes 🗌        | No 🗌         |
|   |              |              |
| If 'Yes', please also answer the following question   |              |              |
| B. The competent national authority(-ies) for the regulation of imports [Article 5(5)] (please specify below)   |              |              |
|   |              |              |
| C. The national control system allows for the provision, pursuant to national law and upon request, of appropriate and relevant information to assist an export   | Yes 🗌        | No 🗌         |

|   | sment by a potential exporting State Party [Article 8(1)]  No', please elaborate below)  |       |      |
|---|--|-------|------|
|   |  |       |      |
| circu   | nports of conventional arms subject to control are under specific imstances permitted without regulation or under simplified procedure 'es' please provide further information below)  | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌 |
|   |  |       |      |
| conv  | teasures to regulate imports are applicable also to other categories of entional arms than those covered in Article 2(1) [Article 5(3)] (res', please elaborate below)   | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌 |
|   |  |       |      |
| invol<br>requ   | part from the competent national authority, the following ministries or government of in the decision-making process for an import authorization (when such an a ired) [Article 5(5)] se specify below)  |       |      |
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|   | formation / documentation required for an import authorization se specify below)   |       |      |
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|   | dditional voluntary information relevant to national import controls se specify below)   |       |      |
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| 5. T  | RANSIT & TRANS-SHIPMENT  |       |      |
| neces   | he national control system includes measures that allow the regulation, where ssary and feasible, of transit of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) Article 9], as well as items covered under Articles 3 and 4. [ref Articles 6(1) to  | Yes 🗍 | No □ |
| and c   | Yes', please provide further information below on the nature of control measures confirm whether they apply to all items in the national control list. If 'No', please prate below)  |       |      |
|   |  |       |      |
| neces<br>Artic  | he national control system includes measures that allow the regulation, where sary and feasible, of trans-shipment of conventional arms covered under cle 2(1) [ref Article 9], as well as items covered under Articles 3 and 4. [ref cles 6(1) to 6(3)]  Yes', please provide further information below on the nature of control measures | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌 |
| and c   | confirm whether they apply to all items in the national control list. If 'No', please prate below)   |       |      |
|   |  |       |      |
| (If 'Y  | ontrol measures for the regulation of transit and/or trans-shipment cover: Yes' to (ii) or (iii), please indicate in the free text field how enforcement is eived - systematic control or only when information is available?)   | Yes   | No   |
| i)  | Transit / trans-shipment through land territory (including internal waters)  |       |      |
| ii)   | Transit / trans-shipment through territorial waters  |       |      |
| iii)  | Transit / trans-shipment through national air space  |       |      |
| <b>I</b>  |  |       |      |
| D. The competent national authority(.ies) for the regulation of transit and trans-shipment [Article 5(5)] |  |       |      |

| (please specify below)   |               |       |  |
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|  |               |       |  |
| E. Transit / trans-shipment of controlled equipment is permitted without regulation or under simplified procedure under certain circumstances (for instance in a free trade area) (if 'Yes' please provide further information below)  | Yes 🗌         | No 🗌  |  |
|  | T             |       |  |
| F. National control of transit and/or trans-shipment goes beyond the fulfillment of obligations under Article 6 of the Treaty (if 'Yes', please specify the additional scope of control and indicate whether the additional control applies to all items in the national control list)   | Yes 🗌         | No 🗌  |  |
|  |               |       |  |
| G. Measures to regulate transit and/or trans-shipment are applicable also to other categories of conventional arms than those covered in Article 2(1) [Article 5(3)] (if 'Yes', please elaborate below)  | Yes 🗌         | No 🗌  |  |
|  |               |       |  |
| H. Apart from the competent national authority, the following ministries or government involved in the decision-making process for a transit or trans-shipment authorization authorization is required) [Article 5(5)] (please specify below)  |               |       |  |
|  |               |       |  |
| I. Information / documentation required in an application for a transit / trans-shipn (please specify below)   | nent authoriz | ation |  |
|  |               |       |  |
| J. Additional voluntary information relevant to national transit / trans-shipment con (please specify below)   | ntrols        |       |  |
|  |               |       |  |
|  |               |       |  |
| 6. BROKERING   |               |       |  |
| A. The national control system includes measures that allow the regulation, pursuant to national laws, of brokering of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) [ref Article 10], as well as items covered under Articles 3 and 4. [ref Articles 6(1) to 6(3)] (if 'Yes', please provide further information below on the nature of control measures and confirm that they apply to all items in the national control list. If 'No', please elaborate below) | Yes 🗌         | No 🗌  |  |
|  |               |       |  |
| B. The definition of brokering used in national legislation [Articles 6(1) to 6(3) and Article 10] (please specify in particular if there are extraterritorial elements in the definition, for instance the activities of nationals resident abroad, or transfers that take place between two third countries)   |               |       |  |
|  |               |       |  |
| C. The competent national authority(-ies) for the regulation of brokering [Article 5(5)] (please specify below)  |               |       |  |
|  |               |       |  |
| D. National brokering controls contain exemptions (for instance for national armed forces or defence industry) [Articles 6 & 10] (if 'Yes', please provide further information below)  | Yes 🗌         | No 🗌  |  |

| Artic  | tional brokering controls go beyond the fulfillment of obligations under le 6 of the Treaty (for instance regulating brokering in other situations) es', please specify the additional scope of control)  | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌       |  |  |
|--|---|-------|------------|--|--|
|  |   |       |            |  |  |
| conve  | F. Measures to regulate brokering are applicable also to other categories of conventional arms than those covered in Article 2(1) [Article 5(3)]  (if 'Yes', please elaborate below)  Yes  No  No   |       |            |  |  |
|  |   |       |            |  |  |
| invol  | part from the competent national authority, the following ministries or government of the decision-making process for a control measure related to brokering [see specify below]  |       | ies may be |  |  |
|  |   |       |            |  |  |
|  | formation / documentation required in an application related to brokering e elaborate below)  |       |            |  |  |
|  |   |       |            |  |  |
|  | ditional voluntary information relevant to national brokering controls e specify below)   |       |            |  |  |
|  |   |       |            |  |  |
|  |   |       |            |  |  |
| 7. D   | IVERSION  |       |            |  |  |
|  | easures foreseen in the national control system to prevent the diversion of entional arms covered by Article 2(1) [Article 11(1)]   | Yes   | No         |  |  |
| i)   | assessing the risk of diversion of an export [Article 11(2)] (if 'No', please provide background below)   |       |            |  |  |
|  |   |       |            |  |  |
| ii)  | cooperation and information exchange, where appropriate and feasible and pursuant to national law, with other States Parties [Article 11(3)] (if 'No', please provide background below)   |       |            |  |  |
|  |   |       |            |  |  |
| pursu<br>diver<br>[Arti  | B. The national control system includes appropriate measures to be taken, pursuant to national law and in accordance with international law, when a diversion of transferred conventional arms under Article 2(1) has been detected  [Article 11(4)]  (if 'No', please elaborate below) |       |            |  |  |
|  |   | 1     |            |  |  |
| C. Measures included in the national control system to prevent the diversion of conventional arms covered by Article 2(1) [Article 11(1)]:  No |   |       |            |  |  |
| iii)   | establishment of mitigation measures [Article 11(2)]  |       |            |  |  |
| iv)  | provision, upon request, of end use / end user documentation to the exporting State [Article 8(1)]  |       |            |  |  |
| v)   | requirement for end use / end user assurances from an importing State (or industry) [Article $8(1)$ ]   |       |            |  |  |
| vi)  | examination, where appropriate, of parties involved in a transfer [Article 11(2)]   |       |            |  |  |
| viii)  | requirement, where appropriate, for additional documentation, certificates,   |       |            |  |  |

|                     | assurances for a transfer [Article 11(2)]   |       |      |
|---------------------|---|-------|------|
| ix)                 | exchange of relevant information with other States Parties on effective measures to address diversion, as well as on illicit activities and actors [Articles 11(5) & 15(4)]   |       |      |
| x)                  | reporting through the Secretariat to other States Parties on measures taken to address diversion of transferred conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) [Articles 11(6) & 13(2)]   |       |      |
| xi)                 | other measures [Article 11(1)] (if 'Yes', please specify below)   |       |      |
|                     |   |       |      |
|                     | easures included in the national control system, to be taken when a diversion insferred conventional arms has been detected [Article 11(4)]   | Yes   | No   |
| i)                  | alerting potentially affected States Parties  |       |      |
| ii)                 | investigative and law enforcement measures at the national level  |       |      |
| iii)                | using international tracing mechanisms to identify points of diversion  |       |      |
| iv)                 | other measures<br>(if 'Yes', please specify below)  |       |      |
|                     |   | ·     |      |
| categ <b>5(3)</b> ] | easures taken to prevent or address diversion are applicable also to other ories of conventional arms than those covered in Article 2(1) [Article es', please elaborate below)  | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌 |
|                     |   |       |      |
| (pleas              | ditional voluntary information relevant to the prevention of diversion of contest specify below - for instance regarding measures in place to avoid diversion in the ational movement of conventional arms referred to in Article 2(3) of the Treaty) |       | 2    |
|                     |   |       |      |

### 8. RECORD KEEPING

| A. The national control system includes provisions for maintaining records regarding:  [Article 12(1)] (it is mandatory to retain records for one of the two options below) |   | Yes | No |
|---|---|-----|----|
| i)  | issued authorizations for the export of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) of the Treaty [Article 12(1)]                                  |     |    |
| ii)   | actual exports of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) of the Treaty [Article 12(1)] (if 'No' to both (i) and (ii), please elaborate below) |     |    |
|   |   |     |    |
|   | B. Records are kept for a minimum of 10 years [Article 12(4)] (if 'No', please elaborate below)  Yes  No  |     |    |
|   |   |     |    |
| C. The national control system includes provisions for maintaining records regarding :  |   | Yes | No |
| i)  | imports of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) of the Treaty into national territory as final destination [Article 12(2)]                  |     |    |

| ii)             | authorizations for the transit and/or trans-shipment through national territory of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) of the Treaty [Article 12(2)]   |                |             |
|-----------------|---|----------------|-------------|
| iii)            | authorizations related to the conduct of brokering activities included in the scope of the national control system (for instance relating to a register of brokers) [Article 10]  |                |             |
| Arti            | ecords cover other categories of conventional arms than those specified in cle 2(1)  Yes', please elaborate below)  | Yes 🗌          | No 🗌        |
|                 |   |                |             |
| (plea           | dditional voluntary information relevant to national record keeping se specify below - for instance types of information preserved in national records for ectively)  | exports and i  | mports      |
|                 |   |                |             |
| 9. R            | EPORTING  |                |             |
| by A            | he national control system allows for the provision of information as required rticle 13(3) No', please elaborate below)  | Yes 🗌          | No 🗌        |
|                 |   |                |             |
| (plea           | dditional voluntary information relevant to national reporting ase specify below, for instance if national reports are publicly available - if available the relevant hyperlink)  | able on the op | oen         |
|                 |   |                |             |
| 10.             | ENFORCEMENT   |                |             |
| A. Mand 14]     | deasures are in place that provide the ability to enforce of the national laws regulations that implement the provisions of the Arms Trade Treaty [Article No', please elaborate below)   | Yes 🗌          | No 🗌        |
|                 |   |                |             |
| assis<br>viola  | ational legislation allows the provision to another State Party of jointly agreed tance in investigations, prosecutions and judicial proceedings in relation to tions of national measures established pursuant to this Treaty [Article 15(5)] No', please elaborate below) | Yes 🗌          | No 🗌        |
|                 |   |                |             |
|                 |   |                |             |
| beco            | ational measures have been taken to prevent, in cooperation with other States ies, the transfer of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) of the Treaty ming subject to corrupt practices [Article 15(6)] se elaborate below)   | Yes 🗌          | No 🗌        |
| beco            | ies, the transfer of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) of the Treaty ming subject to corrupt practices [Article 15(6)]   | Yes 🗌          | No 🗌        |
| beco<br>(please | ies, the transfer of conventional arms covered under Article 2(1) of the Treaty ming subject to corrupt practices [Article 15(6)]   | onal laws and  | regulations |

### 11. INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

| A. Cooperation is possible with other States Parties of the Treaty with a view to its effective implementation, where such cooperation is consistent with national law and security interests [Article 15(1)] (if 'No', please elaborate below)   | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌  |  |
|---|-------|-------|--|
| B. Additional voluntary information relevant to participation in international cooperation (please elaborate below - for instance in terms of the measures suggested in Article 15, or in terms of participation in international or regional cooperation in the transfer control area) |       |       |  |
| 12. INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE  |       |       |  |
| A. National regulations and policy allow for the provision - upon request and if in a position to do so - of implementation assistance as set out in Article 16(1) (if 'No', please elaborate below)  | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌  |  |
| B. National regulations and policy allow the provision of financial resources to the voluntary trust fund established under Article 16(3) of the Treaty (if 'No', please elaborate below)   | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌  |  |
| C. Additional voluntary information relevant to the provision- or receipt of implement (please specify below - for instance regarding assistance provision capacities or assistance   |       | tance |  |
| 13. DISPUTE SETTLEMENT  |       |       |  |
| A. National regulations and policy allow for consultations and, by mutual consent, cooperation in the settlement of disputes regarding the interpretation or application of the Treaty by at least one of the means outlined in Article 19(1) (if 'No', please elaborate below)         | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌  |  |
|   |       |       |  |
| B. National regulations and policy allow for the settlement of disputes concerning the interpretation or application of the Treaty through recourse by mutual consent to arbitration as outlined in Article 19(2) (if 'No', please elaborate below)                                     | Yes 🗌 | No 🗌  |  |
| C. Additional voluntary information relevant to dispute settlement under the terms of the Treaty (please specify below)   |       |       |  |

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#### THE ARMS TRADE TREATY

#### REPORTING TEMPLATE

# ANNUAL REPORT IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 13(3) - EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS COVERED UNDER ARTICLE 2 (1)

This provisional template is intended for use by States Parties to the Arms Trade Treaty when preparing their annual report in accordance with the Treaty's Article 13(3).

The template has two main tables, one for exports and the other for imports. The tables are similar in construction, making it possible to have a common set of explanatory notes for both.

Article 5(3) of the Treaty states that "National definitions of any of the categories covered under Article 2 (1) (a)-(g) shall not cover less than the descriptions used in the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms at the time of entry into force of this Treaty". Against this background, Annex 1 reproduces the UN Registry Definitions of Categories I-VII at the time of the ATT's entry into force. For category VIII (small arms and light weapons), the UN Registry template for voluntary reporting of this category at the time of the ATT's entry into force has been employed as an approximation.

Annex 2 allows reporting States Parties to, if they so wish, include more specific information on national definitions of reported categories.

Annex 3 comprises two templates for nil reports, one for exports and one for imports. They may be used in place of a report in table format if a States Party has no transactions to report.

The title page of the template contains information on the submitting country and authority, but also a 'table of contents' in tick-box form, to indicate which of the different available forms have been included in the national submission. There is also a (voluntary) section where the reporting Government may indicate whether any commercially sensitive and/or national security-related data has been withheld in accordance with Article 13.3 of the Treaty

On the title page of each of the four reporting forms (exports, imports, nil exports, nil imports) a State Party has the option of indicating that the form is for distribution <u>only</u> to other States Parties to the Treaty. This makes it possible to restrict access to some forms but not others, which provides an additional measure of flexibility to the reporting States Party.

| GOV  | VERNMENT OF _           |  |     |         |
|------|-------------------------|--|-----|---------|
|      |                         | N EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF CONVENTI<br>I ARTICLE 13(3) OF THE ARMS TRADE TR                          |     | RMS, IN |
| REP  | PORT FOR THE C          | ALENDAR YEAR   |     |         |
| Nati | onal Point of Conta     | act for this Report:   |     |         |
|      | Name:                   |  |     |         |
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| Da   | te of Submission :      |  |     |         |
|      |                         |  |     |         |
| Cor  | ntents of report (ch    | eck as appropriate)  | Yes | No      |
| i)   | Nil report on exports o | f conventional arms  |     |         |
| ii)  | Nil report on imports o | f conventional arms  |     |         |
| iii) | Annual report on expor  | rts of conventional arms   |     |         |
| iv)  | Annual report on impo   | rts of conventional arms   |     |         |
| v)   | National definitions of | categories of conventional arms reported   |     |         |
|      |                         |  |     |         |
| Sco  | pe of report (volun     | tary information)  | Yes | No      |
|      |                         | e commercially sensitive and/or national security-related cordance with Article 13.3 of the Treaty |     |         |

**Reporting country:** 

# EXPORTS OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS $^{1}$

#### - SHADED COLUMNS AND ROWS REPRESENT VOLUNTARY INFORMATION -

Calendar Year:

**Cutoff date<sup>2</sup>:** 

| In this report, t                       | the followin     | g defini                         | tion of the terr             | n exports was                      | s <b>used</b> <sup>3</sup> (check as app | propriate):                  |                            |                        |                          |
|---|------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
|   |                  |                                  | P                            | hysical transfer o                 | of items across a national               | border :                     | Yes 🗌                      | No 🗌                   |                          |
|   |                  |                                  |                              |                                    | Transfer                                 | of title :                   | Yes 🗌                      | No 🗌                   |                          |
|   |                  |                                  |                              |                                    | Transfer of                              | control:                     | Yes 🗌                      | No 🗌                   |                          |
|   |                  |                                  |                              | Other (please pro                  | ovide a brief description                | below):                      | Yes 🗌                      | No 🗌                   |                          |
| This Annual Repor                       | rt on exports is | s available                      | e only to States Pa          | rties                              |  |                              |                            |                        |                          |
| 4                                       |                  | rised or<br>exports <sup>5</sup> |                              | f exports <sup>6</sup> ne or both) | Final invasations                        |                              |                            | Rema                   | narks <sup>11</sup>      |
| tegory of arms <sup>4</sup><br>[I-VIII] | Auth.            | Act.                             | Number of items <sup>7</sup> | Value <sup>8</sup>                 | Final importing State <sup>9</sup>       | State of or<br>(if not expor | igin<br>ter) <sup>10</sup> | Description of<br>Item | Comments on the transfer |
| 1                                       | 2                | 3                                | 4                            | 5                                  | 6  | 7                            |                            | 8                      | 9                        |
| Registry Categories <sup>12</sup> (1    | national definit | ions shall                       | not cover less tha           | n the definitions                  | provided in Annex 1 13)                  |                              |                            |                        |                          |
| tanks                                   |                  |                                  |                              |                                    |  |                              |                            |                        |                          |
| tanks                                   |                  |                                  |                              |                                    |  |                              |                            |                        |                          |

|        | Category of ar        | ms <sup>4</sup>        | Author actual e |      | Extent of (choose on         | exports <sup>6</sup> e or both) | Final importing    | State of origin                 | Rema                | arks <sup>11</sup>       |
|--------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------|------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
|        | [I-VIII]              |                        | Auth.           | Act. | Number of items <sup>7</sup> | Value <sup>8</sup>              | State <sup>9</sup> | (if not exporter) <sup>10</sup> | Description of Item | Comments on the transfer |
|        | 1                     |                        | 2               | 3    | 4                            | 5                               | 6                  | 7                               | 8                   | 9                        |
| II.    | Armoured combat       | vehicles               |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| III.   | Large-calibre artille | ery systems            |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| IV.    | Combat Aircraft       | a) manned              |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| IV.    | Combat Aircraft       | b) unmanned            |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| V.     | Attack<br>helicopters | a) manned              |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| V.     |                       | b) unmanned            |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| VI.    | Warships              |                        |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| VII.   | Missiles &            | a) Missiles etc        |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| VII.   | missile launchers     | b) MANPADS             |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| B. VII | II. Small Arms and    | Light Weapons          | 14, 15          |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
|        | Small Arms (aggre     | gated) <sup>16</sup>   |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| 1.     | Revolvers and self-   | -loading pistols       |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| 2.     | Rifles and carbines   |                        |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| 3.     | Sub-machine guns      |                        |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| 4.     | 4. Assault rifles     |                        |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| 5.     | 5. Light machine guns |                        |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| 6.     | Others                |                        |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |
| I      | ight Weapons (agg     | regated) <sup>17</sup> |                 |      |                              |                                 |                    |                                 |                     |                          |

|       | Category of arms <sup>4</sup>                           | Authorised or actual exports <sup>5</sup> |           | Extent of (choose on         | f exports <sup>6</sup><br>ne or both) | Final importing    | State of origin                 | Rema                   | arks <sup>11</sup>       |
|-------|---|---|-----------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
|       | [I-VIII]  |   | Act.      | Number of items <sup>7</sup> | Value <sup>8</sup>                    | State <sup>9</sup> | (if not exporter) <sup>10</sup> | Description of<br>Item | Comments on the transfer |
|       | 1   | 2   | 3         | 4                            | 5                                     | 6                  | 7                               | 8                      | 9                        |
| 1.    | Heavy machine guns                                      |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
| 2.    | Hand-held under-barrel and mounted grenade launchers    |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
| 3.    | Portable anti-tank guns                                 |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
| 4.    | Recoilless rifles                                       |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
| 5.    | Portable anti-tank missile launchers and rocket systems |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
| 6.    | Mortars of calibres less than 75 mm                     |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
| 7.    | Others  |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
| C. Vo | luntary National Categories 18 (plea                    | se define i                               | n Annex 2 | 2)                           |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
|       |   |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
|       |   |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
|       |   |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
|       |   |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
|       |   |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |
|       |   |   |           |                              |                                       |                    |                                 |                        |                          |

**Reporting country:** 

# IMPORTS OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS<sup>1</sup>

#### - SHADED COLUMNS AND ROWS REPRESENT VOLUNTARY INFORMATION -

Calendar Year:

**Cutoff date<sup>2</sup>:** 

|       | In this report,   | s report, the following definition of the term imports was used <sup>3</sup> (check as appropriate): |                                   |   |   |                              |                     |                                     |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------|---|--|-----------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|       |   |  |                                   | F   | Physical transfer                                       | of items across a national   | l border :          | Yes 🗌                               | No 🗌                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |   |  |                                   |   |   | Transfer                     | r of title :        | Yes 🗌                               | No 🗌                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |   |  |                                   |   |   | Transfer of                  | control:            | Yes 🗌                               | No 🗌                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |   |  |                                   |   | Other (please pr  | ovide a brief description    | below):             | Yes 🗌                               | No 🗌                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |   |  |                                   |   |   |                              | 1                   |                                     | •                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |   |  |                                   |   |   |                              |                     |                                     |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |   |  |                                   |   |   |                              |                     |                                     |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       |   | Annual Report on imports is available only to States Parties   |                                   |   |   |                              |                     |                                     |                         | 7  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       | This Annual Repor   | rt on imports  | is availabl                       | le only to States Pa                              | arties  |                              |                     |                                     |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       | This Annual Repor   |  |                                   |   |   |                              |                     |                                     |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cotog |   | Author   | rised or                          | Extent of   | rimports <sup>6</sup> ne or both)                       |                              | State               | forigin                             |                         | narks <sup>11</sup>                          |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       | This Annual Report<br>ory of arms <sup>4</sup><br>I-VIII] | Author   |                                   | Extent of   | imports <sup>6</sup>                                    | Exporting State <sup>9</sup> | State of (if not ex | of origin<br>sporter) <sup>10</sup> |                         | narks <sup>11</sup> Comments on the transfer |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|       | ory of arms <sup>4</sup>                                  | Author actual i  | rised or<br>mports <sup>5</sup>   | Extent of (choose or Number of                    | imports <sup>6</sup><br>ne or both)                     | Exporting State <sup>9</sup> | (if not ex          | of origin<br>kporter) <sup>10</sup> | Rem Description of      | Comments on th                               |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| [     | ory of arms <sup>4</sup> I-VIII]                          | Authoractual i Auth.   | rised or mports <sup>5</sup> Act. | Extent of (choose or Number of items <sup>7</sup> | rimports <sup>6</sup> ne or both)  Value <sup>8</sup> 5 |                              | (if not ex          | kporter) <sup>10</sup>              | Rem Description of Item | Comments on th                               |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

|            | Category of a             | rms <sup>4</sup>        |                     | rised or<br>mports <sup>5</sup> | Extent of (choose on         | imports <sup>6</sup><br>e or both) |                              | State of origin                 | Rem                    | arks <sup>11</sup>       |
|------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
|            | [I-VIII]                  | 11115                   | Auth.               | Act.                            | Number of items <sup>7</sup> | Value <sup>8</sup>                 | Exporting State <sup>9</sup> | (if not exporter) <sup>10</sup> | Description of<br>Item | Comments on the transfer |
|            | 1                         |                         | 2                   | 3                               | 4                            | 5                                  | 6                            | 7                               | 8                      | 9                        |
| II.        | Armoured con              | nbat vehicles           |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| III.       | Large-calibre arti        | llery systems           |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| IV.        | Combat aircraft           | a) manned               |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| IV.        | Combat afferant           | b) unmanned             |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| V.         | Attack<br>helicopters     | a) manned               |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| <b>v</b> . |                           | b) unmanned             |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| VI.        | Warships                  |                         |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| VIII       | Missiles &                | a) Missiles etc         |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| VII.       | missile<br>launchers      | b) MANPADS              |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| B. VI      | II. Small Arms and        | l Light Weapon          | s <sup>14, 15</sup> |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
|            | Small Arms (aggr          | regated) <sup>16</sup>  |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 1.         | Revolvers and sel pistols | f-loading               |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 2.         | Rifles and carbine        | es                      |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 3.         | Sub-machine gun           | s                       |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 4.         | 4. Assault rifles         |                         |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 5.         | 5. Light machine guns     |                         |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 6. Others  |                           |                         |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| L          | ight Weapons (ag          | gregated) <sup>17</sup> |                     |                                 |                              |                                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |

|       | Category of arms <sup>4</sup>                           |            | rised or<br>mports <sup>5</sup> | Extent of imports <sup>6</sup> (choose one or both) |                    | Ermouting State <sup>9</sup> | State of origin                 | Rem                    | arks <sup>11</sup>       |
|-------|---|------------|---------------------------------|---|--------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
|       | [I-VIII]  | Auth.      | Act.                            | Number of items <sup>7</sup>                        | Value <sup>8</sup> | Exporting State <sup>9</sup> | (if not exporter) <sup>10</sup> | Description of<br>Item | Comments on the transfer |
|       | 1   | 2          | 3                               | 4   | 5                  | 6                            | 7                               | 8                      | 9                        |
| 1.    | Heavy machine guns                                      |            |                                 |   |                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 2.    | Hand-held under-barrel and mounted grenade launchers    |            |                                 |   |                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 3.    | Portable anti-tank guns                                 |            |                                 |   |                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 4.    | Recoilless rifles                                       |            |                                 |   |                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 5.    | Portable anti-tank missile launchers and rocket systems |            |                                 |   |                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 6.    | Mortars of calibres less than 75 mm                     |            |                                 |   |                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| 7.    | Others  |            |                                 |   |                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
| C. Vo | luntary National Categories 18 (plea                    | ase define | in Annex                        | 2)  |                    |                              |                                 |                        |                          |
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#### **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

- 1) States Parties that do not have any exports and/or imports to report should file a "nil report" clearly stating that no exports/imports have taken place in any of the categories during the reporting period. Templates for such nil reports are included in Annex 3.
- 2) Date for collected statistics (for instance 30 June or 31 December).
- 3) Based on UN Registry practice. An international arms transfer could mean, in addition to the physical movement of equipment to or from national territory, the transfer of title to- and control over the equipment. Other criteria are also possible. States Parties should here provide a description of the national criteria used to determine, for control purposes, exactly when an arms transfer takes place.
- 4) As outlined in Articles 2 (1) (a)-(h) and 5(3). For more precise definitions of the categories, see Annex 1.
- Article 13(3) allows reporting of either authorised or actual exports / imports. The choice can be made at the national level for a report as a whole or category by category. Please indicate by ticking the appropriate box for each category reported whether the value represents authorisations (Auth.) or actual exports (Act.). It is highly desirable that national choices in this respect, once made, should remain stable over time for reasons of consistency and continuity. A State Party wishing to report both quantity and value may of course do so, but then needs to submit two tables, one for authorised exports / imports and the other for actual exports / imports.
- The size of exports / imports may be indicated <u>either</u> as quantity or as value. The choice can be made at the national level for each category of arms, but, **once made, should remain stable over time for reasons of consistency and continuity**. A State Party wishing to report <u>both</u> quantity and value may of course do so.
- 7) Standard UN Registry reporting variable. Please indicate unit, if not 'pieces'
- 8) Optional alternative. Please indicate unit (for example national currency)
- 9) In line with UN Registry practice
- 10) In line with UN Registry practice. NB: This is a shaded column, voluntary in terms of the obligations of the ATT
- In line with UN Registry practice. In the first "Remarks" column, States Parties may, if they so wish, describe the item transferred by entering the designation, type, model or any other information considered relevant. The second column may be used to explain or clarify the nature of the transfer for instance if it is temporary (e.g. for exhibitions or repairs), or if it is industrial in nature (perhaps intended for integration into a larger system). NB: These are shaded columns, voluntary in terms of the obligations of the ATT

- 12) As outlined in Article 2 (1) (a)-(g), See Annex 1 for the UN Registry's more precise definitions of the categories I-VII, including subcategories.
- 13) See Article 5(3)
- 14) As outlined in Article 2 (1) (h), with sub-categories taken from the UN Registry template for voluntary reporting of Small Arms and Light Weapons. This choice has been made provisionally, pending later agreement between States Parties on the desirability of using this or another UN definition of SALW sub-categories (for instance from the UN Firearms Protocol or the International Tracing Instrument ITI). NB: The SALW sub-categories in this report are shaded, representing voluntary information in terms of the obligations of the ATT
- 15) "national definitions shall not cover less than the descriptions used in relevant United Nations instruments at the time of entry into force of this Treaty" (Article 5(3))
- 16) In line with UN Registry practice, States Parties may choose between reporting small arms by sub-type or as an aggregate.
- 17) In line with UN Registry practice, States Parties may choose between reporting light weapons by sub-type or as an aggregate.
- 18) Article 5(3) encourages States Parties to apply the provisions of the Treaty to the broadest range of conventional weapons. Any such additional categories are voluntary and categories used may vary between States Parties. If provided at all, extra categories should be more precisely defined in Annex 2.

#### **ANNEX 1**

#### **UN Registry Definitions of Categories I-VII**<sup>1</sup>

#### I. Battle tanks

Tracked or wheeled self-propelled armoured fighting vehicles with high cross-country mobility and a high-level of self-protection, weighing at least 16.5 metric tons unladen weight, with a high muzzle velocity direct fire main gun of at least 75 millimetres calibre.

#### II. Armoured combat vehicles

Tracked, semi-tracked or wheeled self-propelled vehicles, with armoured protection and cross-country capability, either: (a) designed and equipped to transport a squad of four or more infantrymen, or (b) armed with an integral or organic weapon of at least 12.5 millimetres calibre or a missile launcher.

#### III. Large-calibre artillery systems

Guns, howitzers, artillery pieces, combining the characteristics of a gun or a howitzer, mortars or multiple-launch rocket systems, capable of engaging surface targets by delivering primarily indirect fire, with a calibre of 75 millimetres and above.

#### IV. Combat aircraft

- a) Manned fixed-wing or variable-geometry wing aircraft, designed, equipped or modified to engage targets by employing guided missiles, unguided rockets, bombs, guns, cannons or other weapons of destruction, including versions of these aircraft which perform specialized electronic warfare, suppression of air defence or reconnaissance missions;
- b) Unmanned fixed-wing or variable-geometry wing aircraft, designed, equipped or modified to engage targets by employing guided missiles, unguided rockets, bombs, guns, cannons or other weapons of destruction.

The term "combat aircraft" does not include primary trainer aircraft, unless designed, equipped or modified as described above.

#### V. Attack helicopters

- Manned rotary-wing aircraft, designed, equipped or modified to engage targets by employing guided or unguided anti-armour, air-to-surface, air-to-subsurface, or air-toair weapons and equipped with an integrated fire control and aiming system for these weapons, including versions of these aircraft which perform specialized reconnaissance or electronic warfare missions;
- b) Unmanned rotary-wing aircraft, designed, equipped or modified to engage targets by employing guided or unguided anti-armour, air-to-surface, air-to-subsurface, or air-to-air weapons and equipped with an integrated fire control and aiming system for these weapons.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excerpted from the 2014 UN Registry reporting template

#### VI. Warships

Vessels or submarines armed and equipped for military use with a standard displacement of 500 metric tons or above, and those with a standard displacement of less than 500 metric tons, equipped for launching missiles with a range of at least 25 kilometres or torpedoes with similar range.

#### VII. Missiles and missile launchers<sup>2</sup>

- a) Guided or unguided rockets, ballistic or cruise missiles capable of delivering a warhead or weapon of destruction to a range of at least 25 kilometres, and means designed or modified specifically for launching such missiles or rockets, if not covered by categories I through VI. For the purpose of the Register, this sub-category includes remotely piloted vehicles with the characteristics for missiles as defined above but does not include ground-to-air missiles.
- b) Man-Portable Air-Defence Systems (MANPADS)<sup>3</sup>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Multiple-launch rocket systems are covered by the definition of category III.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> MANPADS should be reported if the MANPAD system is supplied as a complete unit, i.e. the missile and launcher/Grip Stock form an integral unit. In addition, individual launching mechanisms or grip-stocks should also be reported. Individual missiles, not supplied with a launching mechanism or grip stock need not be reported.

#### **ANNEX 2**

| Reporting | Calendar |  |
|-----------|----------|--|
| country:  | Year:    |  |

# Specific (diverging or more detailed) national definitions of categories I-VIII (or simple reference to initial report, if this information was provided there)

| No    | Description |
|-------|-------------|
| I.    |             |
| II.   |             |
| III.  |             |
| IV.   |             |
| V.    |             |
| VI.   |             |
| VII.  |             |
| VIII. |             |

# **Definitions of voluntary national categories - Section C of table(s)** (or simple reference to initial report, if this information was provided there)

| No | Description |
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### ANNEX 3 A

## NIL REPORT Exports of Conventional Arms<sup>1</sup>

| Report<br>countr |   | Calendar<br>Year : |  |
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|                  |   |                    |  |
| The Gov          | ernment of  | ,                  |  |
|                  | erence to Article 13 (3) of the Arms Trade Treaty, her erts from territory under our jurisdiction. This report se                                   | •                  |  |
|                  | no actual exports of conventional arms listed in Arti<br>Trade Treaty have taken place from territory under or<br>reporting period indicated above. | ` '                |  |
|                  | no export authorizations have been issued for conve<br>Article 2 (1) of the Arms Trade Treaty during the re<br>above.                               |                    |  |
|                  |   |                    |  |
| This nil 1       | report on exports is available only to States Parties   |                    |  |

### ANNEX 3 B

## NIL REPORT Imports of Conventional Arms<sup>1</sup>

| Reporti<br>country |  | Calendar<br>Year : |   |
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|                    | rence to Article 13 (3) of the Arms Trade Treaty, here its from territory under our jurisdiction. This report se                                   | •                  | - |
|                    | no actual imports of conventional arms listed in Arti<br>Trade Treaty have taken place to territory under our<br>reporting period indicated above. | ` '                |   |
|                    | no import authorizations have been issued for conve Article 2 (1) of the Arms Trade Treaty during the repabove.                                    |                    |   |
|                    |  |                    |   |
| This nil r         | eport on imports is available only to States Parties   |                    |   |