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PERMANENT MISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN VIENNA

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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of San Marino to the OSCE presents its compliments to all Delegations of the Participating States to the OSCE and to the Conflict Prevention Centre and has the honor to transmit herewith the answers to the OSCE Questionnaire on Anti-personnel Landmines and to the OSCE Questionnaire on Explosive Remnants of War.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of San Marino to the OSCE avails itself on this opportunity to renew to all Delegations of Participating States to the OSCE and to the Conflict Prevention Centre the assurances of its highest consideration.

Vienna, May 12, 2017

Attachments

To
All Permanent Missions and Delegations to the OSCE
Conflict Prevention Centre of the OSCE
VIENNA



OSCE QUESTIONNAIRE ON ANTI-PERSONNEL LANDMINES

SAN MARINO

Part I

The Republic of San Marino is not a State Party to the 1996 Amended Protocol II on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Mines, Booby-Traps and Other Devices annexed to the 1980 Convention on Conventional Weapons (CCW) and, at the moment, is not considering the accession to the Amended Protocol II.

Since the Republic of San Marino does not produce, import or export such devices, no measures have been taken to prevent the indiscriminate use of mines, booby-traps and other devices.

Part II

The Republic of San Marino ratified the 1997 Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on Their Destruction on 24 February 1998.

The Report submitted by San Marino in accordance with Article 7 of the Convention covering the period 1 January – 31 December 2016 is attached.

The San Marino legal system provides that an international agreement, when ratified through the appropriate parliamentary procedure, becomes, *ipso facto*, part of the legal system. Therefore, the provisions of an international agreement that has been duly ratified are directly applicable and there is no need to further implement the legislation.

Moreover, article 251 of the Criminal Code of San Marino punishes with first degree imprisonment or second degree arrest anyone who, without the required authorizations: makes, introduces in the domestic territory, circulates, holds for the purpose of circulating arms, bombs, gases or explosive devices or inflammable or explosive materials or explodes mines.

Since the Republic of San Marino is not an affected Country, no measures have been taken to provide assistance to the victims.

San Marino 12 May 2017

OSCE QUESTIONNAIRE ON EXPLOSIVE REMNANTS OF WAR

SAN MARINO

The Republic of San Marino is not a State Party to the 2003 CCW Protocol V on Explosive Remnants of War (ERW) and, at the moment, is not considering to accede.

San Marino, 12 May 2017

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NAME OF STATE PARTY: SAN MARINO

REPORTING PERIOD: 01/01/2016 to 31/12/2016

Form A: National implementation	Form F: Programme of APM
measures:	destruction:
□ changed	□ changed
x unchanged (last reporting: 2015)	□ unchanged
	x non applicable
Form B: Stockpiled anti-personnel mines:	Form G: APM destroyed:
□ changed	□ changed
□ unchanged	□ unchanged
x non applicable	x non applicable
Form C: Location of mined areas:	Form H: Technical characteristics:
☐ changed	☐ changed
□ unchanged	□ unchanged
x non applicable	x non applicable
Form D: APMs retained or transferred:	Form I: Warning measures:
□ changed	□ changed
□ unchanged	□ unchanged
x non applicable	x non applicable
Form E: Status of conversion	Form J: Other Relevant Matters:
programmes:	
	□ changed
□ unchanged	
x non applicable	x non applicable

