

Last updated: 19 September 2023



# **Belgium**

Signed: 3 December 2008 Ratified: 22 December 2009 Entered into force: 1 August 2010



## Article 3 - Stockpile destruction and retention

Completed destruction of its cluster munition stockpiles before the Convention entered into force for it

Has retained some cluster munitions for training of explosive ordnance disposal personnel in accordance with Article 3.6

### Article 4 - Clearance and risk reduction education

Does not have any contamination in areas under its jurisdiction or control

#### Article 5 - Victim assistance

Does not have cluster munition victims

### Article 6 - International cooperation and assistance

Provided financial assistance in 2022 for mine action programmes to: Angola, Cambodia, Iraq, and Syria

#### **Article 7 - Transparency measures**

Initial transparency report submitted on 27 January 2011

Annual reports submitted covering: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022

## **Article 9 - National implementation measures**

Enacted <u>8 JUIN 2006. - Loi réglant des activités économiques et individuelles avec des armes</u> that includes penal sanctions as required by the CCM and also prohibits financing of a company that deals in cluster munitions

#### CCM Coordination Committee membership 2022-2024

Thematic Coordinator on General Status and Operation of the Convention

## Focal point contact details

Capital

Federal Public Service Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and Development Co-operation: <a href="mailto:armscontrolM5@diplobel.fed.be"><u>ArmscontrolM5@diplobel.fed.be</u></a>

## Focal point contact details

<u>Geneva</u>

Mr. Vincent Bodson: Vincent.Bodson@diplobel.fed.be