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Lebanon

Signed: 3 December 2008 Ratified: 5 November 2010 Entered into force: 1 May 2011



Article 3 - Stockpile destruction and retention

Does not have cluster munition stockpiles

Article 4 - Clearance and risk reduction education

Clearance obligation deadline: 1 May 2021, extended to 1 May 2026

Estimated contaminated area: 5.23 km² remain (at end of 2022)

Cleared 1.15 km² (destroyed 2,556 cluster munitions) and released 0.33 km² through NTS & TS in 2022.

Reported challenges such as discovery of previously unregistered contaminated areas, difficult terrains, and decline of earmarked funding for cluster munition clearance – there might be a need for extension of an additional year

Submitted extension request that was considered at the 2RC Part 1; analysis of the request can be found here

Article 5 - Victim assistance

Has cluster munition victims. National focal point designated

Lebanon Mine Action National Strategy 2020-2025 being implemented

Signatory to Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities since 14 June 2007

Article 6 - International cooperation and assistance

Has requested assistance to fulfil Articles 4 and 5 obligations

Established a Country Coalition with donors through facilitation by Norway

Donors in 2021 included: European Union, France, Japan, Netherlands, Norway, Spain, Switzerland, United Kingdom, and United States

Article 7 - Transparency measures

Initial transparency report submitted on 27 October 2011

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

Article 9 - National implementation measures

After a comprehensive legislative review in 2012, a final report with legal recommendations is circulated to parliament and other stakeholders

CCM Coordination Committee membership 2022-2024

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