



CONVENTION
ON CLUSTER MUNITIONS

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South Africa

Signed: 3 December 2008

Ratified: 28 May 2015

Entered into force: 1 November 2015



Article 3 - Stockpile destruction and retention

Stockpile destruction deadline: 1 November 2023

Expected to complete destruction of its cluster munition stockpiles by its deadline

Disposal of cluster munitions commenced in 2016 and cluster munitions earmarked for disposal have been integrated into the General Munitions Disposal programme

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

Has not provided any information on request or provision of assistance

Article 7 - Transparency measures

Initial transparency report submitted on 8 September 2017

Article 9 - National implementation measures

Existing laws – *Anti-Personnel Mines Prohibition Act of 2003* and *Occupational Health & Safety Act of 1993* - which include penal sanctions, are considered by South Africa as sufficient to implement the CCM

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