Following a 13-month delay, in February 2022, a restart of transportation activities for explosive submunitions allocated in Lot 3 provided for the continuation of the national project aimed at complete destruction of the cluster munitions of the Bulgarian Army, in accordance with CCM Article 3.

As of October 2022, ¾ (three quarters) of the explosive submunitions have already been successfully transferred to the contractor’s Demilitarization Plant in Italy. Finalization of transportation activities for the remaining submunitions (marked in red on the graphic) is foreseen for December 2022.
Destruction activities’ completion for the explosive submunitions listed under Lot 1 and Lot 2 in May 2022 allowed for the start, in late May 2022, of related destruction process for explosive submunitions allocated in Lot 3.

By October 2022 nearly forty thousand (marked in dark purple on the graphic) have been successfully destroyed. These forty thousand explosive submunitions represent more than ⅓ (one third) of all explosive submunitions listed for destruction under Lot 3.