

Interpretative Statement on the ISU Finances

The United Kingdom is grateful for the work of the coordinators Lebanon and the Netherlands and would like to thank them for their tireless work to build consensus on this issue.

The United Kingdom does not consider the Convention on Cluster Munitions allows the imposition of mandatory contributions other than those expressly provided for in article 14 and we interpret paragraph 7(b) of the Conference Decision on ISU Funding as relating to voluntary contributions.

However the United Kingdom will not break consensus on this issue.

Thank you.