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

Estimated contaminated area: 7.29 km^2 (data cleanup in 2020 corrected baseline and remaining contaminated area)

Land release of 1.60 km^2 and clearance of 1.28 km^2 in 2020

Reported challenges such as discovery of new unreported contaminated areas, difficult terrains and extreme weather conditions, and difficulty in maintaining or securing funding for clearance operations

Submitted extension request to be considered at the 2RC

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 2020 included: European Union, France, Japan, Netherlands, Norway, Switzerland, United Kingdom, and United States of America

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, and 2020

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

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