

Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on Their Destruction



A summary of services offered by the Implementation Support Unit

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Support to ratification / accession processes

The ISU can...

- ❑ Answer questions about the Convention.
- ❑ Provide in-country briefings / workshops / training.
- ❑ Support PIF Member State-led efforts to promote the Convention in the PIF.
- ❑ Adapting ICRC model instrument, provide contact information of recipient of instruments, etc.



As it did with the Republic of Cyprus in 2003, the ISU can provide objective information, advice and training to States not parties considering acceptance of the Convention or desiring to learn more about the Convention's operations.



Support in fulfilling transparency obligations

The ISU can...

- ❑ **Answer questions about the obligations.**
- ❑ **Provide advice specific to the State Party in question on how to fill in the reporting formats as required.**
- ❑ **Provide advice on how to maximise the reporting formats as a means to communicate additional information.**
- ❑ **Provide the appropriate and up to date formats and address of recipient.**



As it did with the Republic of Guinea, the ISU can provide advice and support to States Parties in ensuring that they can fulfill their reporting requirements.



Support in participating in the Convention

The ISU can...

- ❑ **Keep you informed about Convention meetings and explain their programmes / key issues / registration procedures.**
- ❑ **Provide advice on how to maximise opportunities to participate in meetings.**
- ❑ **If your State is eligible for sponsorship, transmit information and facilitate your participation.**



The ISU can provide advice to States Parties on how to maximise opportunities to participate in Convention meetings



Provide you with the information you need

The ISU will...

- ❑ Answer any question you have about the Convention, its status and its operations, or,
- ❑ Find the answer for you, or,
- ❑ Get you connected with experts who have the answers to your questions.
- ❑ Obtain and provide you with reports, documents, statements, presentations, etc.

Even Heads
of State have
questions
about the
Convention!



Fulfilling the ISU mandate means being able to serve as the definitive information source on matters that concern the Convention and its implementation.