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NAME OF STATE [PARTY]: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

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**CONVENTION ON THE PROHIBITION OF THE USE, STOCKPILING, PRODUCTION AND TRANSFER OF  
ANTI-PERSONNEL MINES AND ON THEIR DESTRUCTION**

**Reporting Formats for Article 7**

STATE [PARTY]:

**United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland**

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(ONLY FOR THE PURPOSES OF CLARIFICATION)

**Form A      National implementation measures**

Article 7.1      "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:  
                         a) The national implementation measures referred to in Article 9."

*Remark:* In accordance with Article 9, "Each State Party shall take all appropriate legal, administrative and other measures, including the imposition of penal sanctions, to prevent and suppress any activity prohibited to a State Party under this Convention undertaken by persons or on territory under its jurisdiction or control".

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Measures	Supplementary information (e.g., effective date of implementation & text of legislation attached).

**Form B      Stockpiled anti-personnel mines**

Article 7.1    "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

b) The total of all stockpiled anti-personnel mines owned or possessed by it, or under its jurisdiction or control, to include a breakdown of the type, quantity and, if possible, lot numbers of each type of anti-personnel mine stockpiled."

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

1. Total of stockpiled anti-personnel mines

Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL			

2. Previously unknown stockpiles of anti-personnel mines discovered after the deadlines have passed. *(Action #15 of Nairobi Action Plan)* \*

Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL			

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\* Pursuant to the decision of the 8MSP, as contained in paragraph 29 of the Final Report of the Meeting, document APLC/MSP.8/2007/6.

**Form C      Location of mined areas**

Article 7.1    "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:  
                   c) To the extent possible, the location of all mined areas that contain, or are suspected to contain, anti-personnel mines under its jurisdiction or control, to include as much detail as possible regarding the type and quantity of each type of anti-personnel mine in each mined area and when they were emplaced."

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

1. Areas that contain mines\*

Location	Type	Quantity	Date of emplacement	Supplementary information

2. Areas suspected to contain mines\*

Location	Type	Quantity	Date of emplacement	Supplementary information

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\* If necessary, a separate table for each mined area may be provided

**Form D      APMs retained or transferred**

Article 7.1      "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

d) The types, quantities and, if possible, lot numbers of all anti-personnel mines retained or transferred for the development of and training in mine detection, mine clearance or mine destruction techniques, or transferred for the purpose of destruction, as well as the institutions authorized by a State Party to retain or transfer anti-personnel mines, in accordance with Article 3"

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

1a. **Compulsory:** Retained for development of and training in (*Article 3, para.1*)

Institution authorized by State Party	Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL	-----			

1b. **Voluntary information** (*Action #54 of Nairobi Action Plan*)

Objectives	Activity / Project	Supplementary information
		<i>(Description of programs or activities, their objectives and progress, types of mines, time period if and when appropriate...)</i>
		"Information on the plans requiring the retention of mines for the development of and training in mine detection, mine clearance, or mine destruction techniques and report on the actual use of retained mines and the results of such use"

NOTE: Each State Party should provide information on plans and future activities if and when appropriate and reserves the right to modify it at any time

**Form D** (continued)

2. **Compulsory:** Transferred for development of and training in (*Article 3, para.1*)

Institution authorized by State Party	Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information: e.g. transferred from, transferred to
TOTAL	-----			

3. **Compulsory:** Transferred for the purpose of destruction (*Article 3, para.2*)

Institution authorized by State Party	Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information: e.g. transferred from, transferred to
TOTAL	-----			





**Form F      Status of programs for destruction of APMs**

Article 7.1      "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:  
    f) The status of programs for the destruction of anti-personnel mines in accordance with Articles 4 and 5,  
    including details of the methods which will be used in destruction, the location of all destruction sites and the  
    applicable safety and environmental standards to be observed."

State [Party]: United Kingdom reporting for time period from 01 Jan 2017 to 31 Dec 2017

1. Status of programs for destruction of stockpiled APMs (*Article 4*)

Description of the status of programs including:	Details of:
Location of destruction sites	
	Methods
	Applicable safety standards
	Applicable environmental standards

2. Status of programs for destruction of APMs in mined areas (*Article 5*)

Description of the status of programs including:	Details of:
Location of destruction sites	

<p>The fifth phase of clearance operations in the Falkland Islands began in October 2016 and continued through 2017. In 2017, the project cleared a total of 33 Suspect Hazardous Areas (of the 122 which existed in 2009) demonstrating progress towards meeting the UK's obligations under the Anti-Personnel Mine Ban Convention. The following areas were cleared:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• At Goose Green: 2, 5, 7, 8, 10, 12,</li> <li>• At Stanley Area 2: 021, 042, 097, 098, 099, 100, 102, 108,</li> <li>• At Stanley Area 3: 036,</li> <li>• At Stanley Area 4: 032, 039N, 039S, 069, 070, 071, 072, 073, 074, 075, 078, 079, 081A, 081C, 096, 111, 113, 114</li> </ul> <p>For further details on the UK's mine clearance in the Falkland Islands, please see the UK's extension request under Article 5 of the Convention, located on the Convention website:  <a href="https://www.apminebanconvention.org/states-parties-to-the-convention/united-kingdom/">https://www.apminebanconvention.org/states-parties-to-the-convention/united-kingdom/</a></p>	<p>Methods</p> <p>The project is using a combination of non-technical survey, technical survey, manual and mechanical clearance and Battle Area Clearance.</p>
<p>All mines found are destroyed through in-situ destruction, burning, other demolition or exploitation.</p>	<p>Applicable safety standards</p> <p>IMAS</p>
<p>The Falkland Islands contain some very sensitive flora, fauna and fragile terrain requiring careful consideration prior to the commencement of any clearance work. An environmental impact assessment was conducted in 2017 as the most environmentally sensitive minefields are being cleared from 2018 onwards. The report produced conditions to ensure that impact to the existing environment is limited to the minimum practicable.</p>	<p>Applicable environmental standards</p> <p>Agreed in coordination with the Falkland Islands Government Environmental Planning Department to minimise damage to this unique and fragile environment and to aid remediation.</p>

**Form G      APMs destroyed after entry into force**

Article 7.1      "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:

g) The types and quantities of all anti-personnel mines destroyed after the entry into force of this Convention for that State Party, to include a breakdown of the quantity of each type of anti-personnel mine destroyed, in accordance with Articles 4 and 5, respectively, along with, if possible, the lot numbers of each type anti-personnel mine in the case of destruction in accordance with Article 4"

State [Party]: United Kingdom reporting for time period from 01 Jan 2017 to 31 Dec 2017

1. Destruction of stockpiled APMs (*Article 4*)

Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL			

2. Destruction of APMs in mined areas (*Article 5*)

Type	Quantity	Supplementary information
FMK 1	235	All mines found are destroyed through in-situ destruction, burning, other demolition or exploitation. For further details on the UK's mine clearance in the Falkland Islands, please see the UK's extension request under Article 5 of the Convention, located on the Convention website: <a href="https://www.apminebanconvention.org/states-parties-to-the-convention/united-kingdom/">https://www.apminebanconvention.org/states-parties-to-the-convention/united-kingdom/</a>
P4B	2,358	
SB33	107	

TOTAL	2,700
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**Form G** (continued)

3. Previously unknown stockpiles of anti-personnel mines discovered and destroyed after the deadlines have passed. (*Action #15 of Nairobi Action Plan*)\*

Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)	Supplementary information
TOTAL			

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**Form I      Measures to provide warning to the population**

Article 7.1      "Each State Party shall report to the Secretary-General ... on:  
                         i) The measures taken to provide an immediate and effective warning to the population in relation to all areas identified under paragraph 2 of Article 5."

*Remark:* In accordance with Article 5, para.2: "Each State Party shall make every effort to identify all areas under its jurisdiction or control in which anti-personnel mines are known or suspected to be emplaced and shall ensure as soon as possible that all anti-personnel mines in mined areas under its jurisdiction or control are perimeter-marked, monitored and protected by fencing or other means, to ensure the effective exclusion of civilians, until all anti-personnel mines contained therein have been destroyed. The marking shall at least be to the standards set out in the Protocol on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Mines, Booby-Traps and Other Devices, as amended on 3 May 1996, annexed to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects".

State [Party]: \_\_\_\_\_ reporting for time period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

[Narrative:]

**Form J Other relevant matters**

Remark: States Parties may use this form to report voluntarily on other relevant matters, including matters pertaining to compliance and implementation not covered by the formal reporting requirements contained in Article 7. States Parties are encouraged to use this form to report on activities undertaken with respect to Article 6, and in particular to report on assistance provided for the care and rehabilitation, and social and economic reintegration, of mine victims.

State [Party]: United Kingdom reporting for time period from 01 Jan 17 to 31 Dec 17

The UK funds “mine action” programmes that collectively cover the clearance of cluster munitions, landmines and other explosive remnants of war, alongside risk education and other activities. It is not possible to separate out funds spent relating to anti-personnel mines alone. These projects take place through funds from the Department for International Development under its Global Mine Action Programme, the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, and the UK Government’s Conflict, Security and Stability Fund (CSSF).

Those programmes marked with an asterisk below represent the total projected spend for that programme over the UK’s financial year (FY) from 1 April 2016 to 30 March 2017 and from the UK’s financial year 1 April 2017 to 30 March 2018. These figures have been included to ensure data from the full year of 2017 are reported in the most transparent way possible, when it has not been possible to provide calendar year data for 2017 solely.

<i>Destination</i>	<i>Sector (stockpile destruction, clearance, risk education, victim assistance, advocacy)</i>	<i>Amount (list currency)</i>	<i>Type of cooperation or assistance (financial, material or in kind)</i>	<i>Details (including date allocated, intermediary destinations such as trust funds, project details, timeframes)</i>
Laos	Clearance, risk education, capacity building	£476,277	Financial	
Cambodia	Clearance, risk education capacity building	£1,758,984	Financial	

Vietnam	Clearance, risk education, capacity building	<b>£135,087</b>	Financial	
Zimbabwe	Clearance, risk education	<b>£1,574,501</b>	Financial	
Burma	Risk education	<b>£661,651</b>	Financial	
South Sudan	Clearance and risk education	<b>£1,614,908</b>	Financial	
Somalia	Clearance, risk education, capacity building	<b>£2,709,059</b>	Financial	
Afghanistan	Clearance and risk education	<b>£1,444,946.36</b> and <b>£3,000,000*</b> (composed of £1,000,000 FY 2016/2017 and £2,000,000 FY 2017/2018)	Financial	
Ukraine	Mine survey and clearance.	<b>£2,272, 669*</b> (composed of £1,272,669 FY 2016/2017 and £1,000,000 FY 2017/2018)	Financial	
Iraq	Explosive Threat Management	<b>£11,000,000*</b> (composed of £6,000,000 in FY 2016/2017 and £5,000,000 in FY 2017/2018)	Financial	
Yemen	Clearance	<b>£1,850,000*</b> (composed of £700,00 in FY 2016/2017 and £1,150,000 in FY 2017/2018)	Financial	



Sri Lanka	Clearance	<b>£1,177,843*</b> (composed of £575,000 in FY 2016/2017 and £602,843 in FY 2017/2018)	Financial	
Azerbaijan	Clearance	<b>£210,000 *</b> (composed of £105,000 in FY 2016/2017 and £105,000 FY 2017/2018)	Financial	
Georgia	Removal and destruction of ordinance and landmines	<b>£490,000 *</b> (composed of £200,000 in FY 2016/2017 and £290,000 in FY 2017/2018)	Financial	
Angola	Clearance	<b>£44,625</b>	Financial	
Libya	Clearance	<b>£3,000,0000</b>	Equipment	
<b>Total</b>		<b>£31,185,289.36</b>		