

Mine Action Review analysis of Article 5 implementation in Bosnia and Herzegovina



- **Strong national ownership, commitment, and coordination** must to be at the core of an effective mine action programme.
- **National Mine Action Strategy for 2018–2025** should be formally approved without delay.
- The amended **Demining Law** should be formally adopted without delay.



- Importance of determining the **extent and location of anti-personnel mined areas** nationwide (i.e. the baseline)
 - One of the 5 strategic goals in the new National Mine Action Strategy
 - EU Country Assessment project (baseline NTS)
 - Article 5 interim extension request and planning for final request
- **Land Release performance and efficiency**
 - Non-technical survey
 - Targeted and systematic technical survey
 - Clearance
- **Survey and clearance capacity**



- **National Mine Action Standards and SOPs**
- **Information Management**
 - Accuracy and quality of data in the database
 - Terminology should be consistent with IMAS
 - Reporting survey and clearance data consistently between different reporting forums for the same period