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**NAME OF STATE [PARTY]:**

The Kingdom of the Netherlands \_\_\_\_\_

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<p><b>Form A: National implementation measures:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: 2009)</p>	<p><b>Form F: Programme of APM destruction:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>
<p><b>Form B: Stockpiled anti-personnel mines:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>	<p><b>Form G: APM destroyed:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: 2009)  <input type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>
<p><b>Form C: Location of mined areas:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>	<p><b>Form H: Technical characteristics:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>
<p><b>Form D: APMs retained or transferred:</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> changed  <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)  <input type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>	<p><b>Form I: Warning measures:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>
<p><b>Form E: Status of conversion programmes:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>	<p><b>Form J: Other Relevant Matters:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> changed  <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>

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**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 authorised by a State Party to retain or transfer anti-personnel mines, in accordance with Article 3"

State [Party]: **The Kingdom of the Netherlands**

reporting for time period from **1 January 2017** to **31 December 2017**

Retained for development of and training in (Article 3, para.1)

Institution authorised by State Party Supplementary information	Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)
<b>The Netherlands Ministry of Defence</b>	<b>AP nr 22</b>	<b>158 (-152)</b>	
<b>The Netherlands Ministry of Defence</b>	<b>AP DM31</b>	<b>816 (-0)</b>	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>974</b>	

Transferred for development of and training in (Article 3, para.1)

Institution authorised by State Party Supplementary information:	Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)
e.g. transferred from, transferred to			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>NIL</b>	

**Form D (continued)**

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

Institution authorised by State Party Supplementary information:	Type	Quantity	Lot # (if possible)
e.g. transferred from, transferred to			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>NIL</b>	

Supplementary information:

**152 pcs AP 22 destroyed by detonation by Education and Training Centre Military Engineers**

**0 pcs AP DM 31 destroyed**

## **Form J Other Relevant Matters**

### **Reporting for time period 01/01/2017- 31/12/2017**

In 2016 The Humanitarian Mine Action Programme which started in 2012 ended and it was announced that the following three NGO's have been selected for the Mine Action and Cluster Munitions Programme 2016-2020: The Halo Trust, Mines Advisory Group (MAG), and Danish Church Aid (DCA). With the support of a total of € 45 million euro Dutch funding from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs these three organisations will be able to continue helping to create a landmine-free world in 14 different countries: Afghanistan, Colombia, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, the Palestinian Territories, Mali, Somalia, Syria, South-Sudan, Kosovo, Yemen and Ukraine. Of this total amount € 10 million euro is reserved for emergency response. During the period 2016-2020 the HALO Trust, MAG and DCA will actively contribute to the clearing of landmines, dismantling production and storage facilities and destroying stockpiled landmines. They will also offer support to victims and their families (including rehabilitation and reintegration), and educate the local population about the risks and dangers of (land)mines. In addition, the Netherlands provides an annual (unearmarked) contribution to the UNMAS Voluntary Trust Fund.

The total contribution in 2017 from The Kingdom of the Netherlands to NGO's and multilateral organisations for Humanitarian Mine Action was **EUR 16.523.771**. The contributions listed below are from both programmes.

### **2017 Contributions to NGO's for priority areas in EUR**

Halo Afghanistan 1.378.849 EUR  
Halo Columbia 598.675 EUR  
Halo Syria 228.663 EUR  
Halo Ukraine 342.926 EUR  
Halo Somalia 527.202 EUR  
Halo Kosovo 86.259 EUR  
Halo Palestinian Territories 108.901 93.090 EUR  
Halo crosscutting 6.660 5.702 EUR  
Halo Emergency Response Yemen 489.133 EUR  
Halo Emergency Response Syria 502.279 EUR  
**Total HALO 3.829.132 EUR**

MAG DRC 319.448 352.062 EUR  
MAG Iraq 958.116 958.116 EUR  
MAG Lebanon 544.368 544.368 EUR  
MAG South Sudan 633.168 633.168 EUR  
MAG crosscutting 123.596 123.596 EUR  
MAG Other 1.800.000 EUR  
MAG Emergency Response Iraq 1.200.000 EUR  
**Total MAG 5.578.696 EUR**

DCA South Sudan 956.191 890.112 EUR  
DCA Mali 292.686 273.251 EUR  
DCA Libya/Tunisia 845.300 786.995 EUR

DCA Lebanon 1.017.730 944.525 EUR

DCA crosscutting 4.036 3.777 EUR

**Total DCA 3.115.943 EUR**

**2017 Contributions to multilateral organisations in EUR**

UNMAS VTF Unearmarked **EUR 4.000.000** (of which 1.000.000 is considered the second tranche of the 2016 annual contribution and 3.000.000 concerns the 2017 annual unearmarked contribution).