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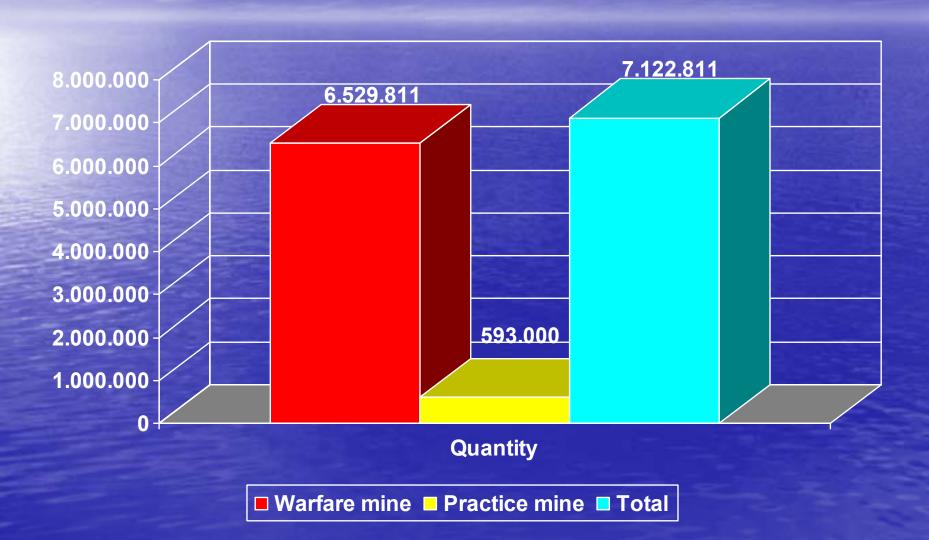
CURRENT SITUATION OF THE DESTRUCTION OF THE ITALIAN ANTIPERSONNEL MINE STOCKPILE

- 1. Which and how many antipersonnel landmines the Italian stockpile consisted of;
- 2. The schedule applied by the military plants in Noceto di Parma and Baiano di Spoleto to complete the disposal activity under the responsibility of the "Italian Defence Industries Agency".

NATIONAL LAWS

- Law 29th October 1997, n° 374 "Ban of antipersonnel landmines"
- Law 26th March 1999, n° 106
 "Ratification and execution of the Ottawa Convention"
- Decrees 2nd October 1998 and 1st August 2000 "Discipline of destruction of APL stockpiles"

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SEPTEMBER 2000



SEPTEMBER 2001



OCTOBER 2002



DISPOSAL ACTIVITY

 Italian stockpile destruction completed within the period imposed by the Italian law: November 2002

 Deadline established by Ottawa convention is 1st October 2003

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