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PERMANENT MISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO TO THE ORGANISATION FOR SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE

Prot.N. 3607/OSCE/CPC

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of San Marino to the OSCE presents its compliments to all Delegations of the Participating States to the OSCE and to the Conflict Prevention Centre and, with reference to the Annual Article 7 Report, is pleased to attach the responses to the Questionnaire on anti-personnel landmines and the Questionnaire on explosive remnants of war.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of San Marino to the OSCE avails itself on this opportunity to renew to all Delegations of Participating States to the OSCE and to the Conflict Prevention Centre the assurances of its highest consideration.

Vienna, May 11th, 2022

<u>Attachments</u>



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All Permanent Missions and Delegations to the OSCE

Conflict Prevention Centre of the OSCE

VIENNA



#### **OSCE QUESTIONNAIRE ON ANTI-PERSONNEL LANDMINES**

#### SAN MARINO

#### Part I

The Republic of San Marino is not a State Party to the 1996 Amended Protocol II on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Mines, Booby-Traps and Other Devices annexed to the 1980 Convention on Conventional Weapons (CCW) and, at the moment, is not considering the accession to the Amended Protocol II.

Since the Republic of San Marino does not produce, import or export such devices, no measures have been taken to prevent the indiscriminate use of mines, booby-traps and other devices.

### Part II

The Republic of San Marino ratified the 1997 Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on Their Destruction on 24 February 1998.

The Report submitted by San Marino in accordance with Article 7 of the Convention covering the period 1 January – 31 December 2021 is attached.

The San Marino legal system provides that an international agreement, when ratified through the appropriate parliamentary procedure, becomes, *ipso facto*, part of the legal system. Therefore, the provisions of an international agreement that has been duly ratified are directly applicable and there is no need to further implement the legislation.

Moreover, article 251 and article 252 sexies of the Criminal Code of San Marino punish alternatively with first degree imprisonment, second degree or forth degree arrest anyone who, without the required authorizations: makes, introduces in the domestic territory, circulates, holds for the purpose of circulating arms, bombs, gases or explosive devices or inflammable or explosive materials or explodes mines.

Since the Republic of San Marino is not an affected Country, no measures have been taken to provide assistance to the victims.

San Marino, 11 May 2022



# OSCE QUESTIONNAIRE ON EXPLOSIVE REMNANTS OF WAR

#### SAN MARINO

The Republic of San Marino is not a State Party to the 2003 CCW Protocol V on Explosive Remnants of War (ERW) and, at the moment, is not considering to accede.

San Marino, 11 May 2022



#### COVER PAGE OF THE ANNUAL ARTICLE 7 REPORT

#### NAME OF STATE PARTY: SAN MARINO

#### **REPORTING PERIOD: 01/01/2021 to 31/12/2021**

Form A: National implementation	Form F: Programme of APM
measures:	destruction:
□ changed	□ changed
X unchanged (last reporting: 2021)	□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)
	X non applicable
Form B: Stockpiled anti-personnel mines:	Form G: APM destroyed:
$\Box$ changed	$\Box$ changed
□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)	□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)
X non applicable	X non applicable
Form C: Location of mined areas:	Form H: Technical characteristics:
□ changed	□ changed
□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)	□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)
X non applicable	X non applicable
Form D: APMs retained or transferred:	Form I: Warning measures:
$\Box$ changed	□ changed
□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)	□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)
X non applicable	X non applicable
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Form E: Status of conversion	Form J: Other Relevant Matters:
programmes:	
□ changed	□ changed
□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)	□ unchanged (last reporting: yyyy)
X non applicable	X non applicable

## San Marino, 19 April 2022

