Mine Action in Ukraine

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INTRODUCTION
MINE ACTION LEGISLATIVE DEVELOPMENT

Mine Action Bill

Priority Action Plan

The list of central executive bodies and entities which are involved in Mine Action in Ukraine

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LEGISLATIVE ACTS, WHICH WERE PLANNED TO DEVELOP

About approval of certification, accreditation entities involved in mine action and monitoring demining operations

About demining operations quality control
NATIONAL MINE ACTION STANDARDS
STATE PROGRAM ON MINE ACTION IN UKRAINE IN 2017-2021

This program will cover all areas of mine action:

- mine clearance
- mine/ERW education
- destruction of stockpiled ammunition
- support on victims of mines and explosive remnants of war
MINE ACTION COORDINATION

National Security and Defense Council of Ukraine

Ministry of Defence
THE MOST EXPLOSIVE ORDNANCE-CONTAMINATED AREAS IN EASTERN UKRAINE

In total contaminated more than 7,000 km²
MINE ACTION ACTIVITIES
IN DONETSK AND LUHANSK REGIONS

Providing nontechnical and technical survey of contaminated and suspicious areas

Marking of contaminated areas

Mine risk education

Humanitarian demining, EODD and C-IED activities
AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITIES

Armed Forces – adjacent to active-combat areas and former military positions

Emergency Service – civilian areas with no active ongoing combat at the moment

Transport Service – transport facilities

Service – infrastructure
BATTLE AREA CLEARANCE IN EASTERN UKRAINE

Armed Forces of Ukraine
52 EOD teams
(260 PAX, 86 vehicles)

State Emergency Service
30 pyrotechnic teams
(150 PAX, 60 vehicles)

State Transport Service
5 EOD teams
(25 PAX, 10 vehicles)

TOTAL: 87 EOD teams (435 PAX, 156 vehicles)
Since the beginning of the warfare in the zone of ATO were detected and destroyed over 100 000 explosive ordnance items including anti-personnel mines and were cleaned 12000 hectares by demining specialists.
COOPERATION

- UNMAS
- DANISH DEMINING GROUP
- GICHHD
- FSD
- OSCE
- THE HALO TRUST
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!