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NOTE VERBALE

The Permanent Representation of Belgium to the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe presents its compliments to all Permanent Delegations and Missions to the OSCE and to the Conflict Prevention Centre, and has the honour to provide herewith the following document for the Implementation of the OSCE Document on Small Arms and Light Weapons and Supplementary Decisions.

The Permanent Representation of Belgium to the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe avails itself of the opportunity to renew to all Permanent Delegations and Missions to the OSCE and to the Conflict Prevention Centre the assurances of its highest consideration.

Vienna, 30 June 2021

to: All Permanent Delegations and Missions to the OSCE OSCE Conflict Prevention Centre

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Information Exchange on the category, sub-category and quantity of small arms that have been identified as surplus and /or seized and destroyed on their territory during the previous calendar year [FSC.DOC/01/00, IV(E)1].



2022 Report of Belgium on activities in 2021

Category and Sub- Category	Deemed Surplus and Destroyed	Seized or Confiscat ed and Destroye d	Comments
A. Small arms			
1. Revolvers and	41		All mentioned quantities of small arms have
self-loading pistols			been demilitarized and completely destroyed/scrapped on 17/03/2021 via contract SDV2015OP001 under permanent supervision of BEL Defence QAR- representatives – Demil & destruction reports can be provided upon request
2. Rifles and carbines	18		
3. Sub-machine guns			
4. Assault rifles	4544		
5. Light machine guns	7		
B. Light weapons			
1. Heavy machine guns			
2. Hand-held under- barrel and mounted grenade launchers			
3. Portable anti-aircraft guns			
4. Portable anti-tank guns			
5. Recoilless rifles			
 Portable launchers of anti-tank missile and rocket systems 			
 Portable launchers of anti-aircraft missile systems 			
 Mortars of calibre less than 100 mm 	06		06 EA Mortars 81mm have been demilitarized and completely destroyed/ scrapped on date of 17/03/2021 via contract SDV2015OP001 under permanent supervision of BEL Defence QAR-representatives - – Demil & destruction reports can be provided upon request