

APPROVED 1540 COMMITTEE MATRIX OF [STATE]

The information in the matrices originates primarily from national reports and is complemented by official government information, including that made available to inter-governmental organizations. The matrices are prepared under the direction of the 1540 Committee.

The 1540 Committee intends to use the matrices as a reference tool for facilitating technical assistance and to enable the Committee to continue to enhance its dialogue with States on their implementation of Security Council Resolution 1540.

The matrices are not a tool for measuring compliance of States in their non-proliferation obligations but for facilitating the implementation of Security Council Resolutions 1540 (2004), 1673 (2006), 1810 (2008) and 1977 (2011). They do not reflect or prejudice any ongoing discussions outside of the Committee, in the Security Council or any of its organs, of a State's compliance with its non-proliferation or any other obligations. Information on voluntary commitments is for reporting purpose only and does not constitute in any way a legal obligation arising from resolution 1540 or its successive resolutions.

OP 1 and related matters from OP 5, OP 6, OP 8 (a), (b), (c) and OP 10

State:
Date

{State's name}
(date)

Legally binding instruments, organizations, codes of conduct, arrangements, statements and other issues.		YES	if YES, relevant information (i.e. signing, accession, ratification, etc)	Remarks (information refers to the page of the English version of the national report or an official web site)
1	Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT)			
2	Nuclear Weapons Free Zone/ Protocol(s)			
3	Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism			
4	Convention on Physical Protection of Nuclear Material (CPPNM)			
5	2005 Amendment to the CPPNM			

6	Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty (CTBT) (not in force)			
7	Chemical Weapons Convention (CWC)			
8	Biological Weapons Convention (BWC)			
9	Geneva Protocol of 1925			
10	Other Conventions/Treaties			
11	International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA)			
12	Hague Code of Conduct (HCOC)			
13	Other Arrangements			
14	General statement on non-possession of WMD			
15	General statement on commitment to disarmament and non-proliferation			
16	General statement on non-provision of WMD and related materials to non-State actors			
17	Other ¹			

1. Including, as appropriate, information with regard to membership in relevant international, regional or sub-regional organizations.

OP 2 - Nuclear Weapons (NW), Chemical Weapons (CW) and Biological Weapons (BW)

State:
Date

{State's name}
(date)

Does national legislation exist which prohibits persons or entities to engage in one of the following activities ? Can violators be penalized ?		National legal framework						Enforcement: civil/criminal penalties and others						Remarks
		YES			if YES, source document of national implementation law	YES			if YES, source document					
		N W	C W	B W		N W	C W	B W						
1	manufacture/produce				NW: CW: BW: (This order to be followed for fields below)				NW: CW: BW: (This order to be followed for fields below)					
2	acquire													
3	possess													
4	stockpile/store													
5	develop													
6	transport													
7	transfer													
8	use													
9	participate as an accomplice in abovementioned activities													
10	assist in abovementioned activities													
11	finance abovementioned													

	activities								
12	abovementioned activities related to means of delivery ²								
13	involvement of non-State actors in abovementioned activities								
14	Other								

2. Means of delivery: missiles, rockets and other unmanned systems capable of delivering nuclear, chemical, or biological weapons, that are specially designed for such use.

OP 3 (a) and (b) - Account for/Secure/Physically protect NW, CW and BW, including Related Materials³

State:
Date

{State's name}
(date)

	Are any of the following measures, procedures or legislation in place to account for, secure or otherwise protect NW, CW, BW and Related Materials? Can violators be penalized ?	National legal framework						Enforcement: civil/criminal penalties and others						Remarks
		YES			if YES, source document	YES			if YES, source document					
		N W	C W	B W *		N W	C W	B W						
1	Measures to account for production				NW: CW: BW: (This order to be followed for fields below)				NW: CW: BW: (This order to be followed for fields below)					
2	Measures to account for use													
3	Measures to account for storage													
4	Measures to account for transport													
5	Other measures for accounting													
6	Measures to secure production													
7	Measures to secure use													
8	Measures to secure storage													
9	Measures to secure transport													
10	Other measures for securing													
11	Regulations for physical protection of facilities/materials/ transports													

12	Licensing/registration of installations/facilities/ persons/entities/use/ handling of materials									
13	Reliability check of personnel									
14	Measures to account for/secure/ physically protect means of delivery									

3. Related materials: materials, equipment and technology covered by relevant multilateral treaties and arrangements, or included on national control lists, which could be used for the design, development, production or use of nuclear, chemical and biological weapons and their means of delivery.

* Information required in this section may also be available in the State's Confidence Building Measures report, if submitted to the BWC Implementation Support Unit (online at: [http://www.unog.ch/80256EE600585943/\(httpPages\)/4FA4DA37A55C7966C12575780055D9E8?OpenDocument](http://www.unog.ch/80256EE600585943/(httpPages)/4FA4DA37A55C7966C12575780055D9E8?OpenDocument))

OP 3 (a) and (b) - Account for/Secure/Physically protect NW including Related Materials (NW specific)

State:

{State's name}

Date

(date)

Are any of the following measures, procedures or legislation in place to account for, secure or otherwise protect NW and Related Materials? Can violators be penalized ?		National legal framework		Enforcement: civil/criminal penalties and others		Remarks
		YES	if YES, source document	YES	if YES, source document	
1	National regulatory authority					
2	IAEA Safeguards Agreements					
3	IAEA Code of Conduct on Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources					
4	Supplementary Guidance on the Import and Export of Radioactive Sources of the Code of Conduct on the Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources					
5	IAEA Database on Illicit Trafficking of Nuclear Materials and other Radioactive Sources					
6	Other Agreements related to IAEA					
7	Additional national legislation/regulations related to nuclear materials including CPPNM					
8	Other					

OP 3 (a) and (b) - Account for/Secure/Physically protect CW including Related Materials (CW specific)

State:
Date

{State's name}
(date)

Are any of the following measures, procedures or legislation in place to account for, secure or otherwise protect CW and Related Materials? Can violators be penalized ?		National legal framework		Enforcement: civil/criminal penalties and others		Remarks
		YES	if YES, source document	YES	if YES, source document	
1	National CWC authority					
2	Reporting Schedule I, II and III chemicals to OPCW					
3	Account for, secure or physically protect "old chemical weapons"					
4	Other legislation/ regulations controlling chemical materials					
5	Other					

OP 3 (a) and (b) - Account for/Secure/Physically protect BW including Related Materials (BW specific)

State:
Date

{State's name}
(date)

	Are any of the following measures, procedures or legislation in place to account for, secure or otherwise protect BW and Related Materials? Can violators be penalized ?	National legal framework		Enforcement: civil/criminal penalties and others		Remarks
		YES	if YES, source document	YES	if YES, source document	
1	Regulations for genetic engineering work					
2	Other legislation/ regulations related to safety and security of biological materials					
3	Other					

OP 3 (c) and (d) and related matters from OP 6 and OP 10 - Controls of NW, CW and BW, including Related Materials

State:
Date

{State's name}
(date)

Which of the following legislation, procedures, measures, agencies exist to control border crossings, export/import and other transfers of NW, CW, BW and Related Materials ? Can violators be penalized ?	National legal framework						Enforcement: civil/criminal penalties, and measures of implementation, etc						Remarks
	YES			if YES, source document	YES			if YES, source document					
	N W	C W	B W		N W	C W	B W						
1	Border control				NW: CW: BW: (This order to be followed for fields below)					NW: CW: BW: (This order to be followed for fields below)			
2	Technical support of border control measures												
3	Control of brokering, trading in, negotiating, otherwise assisting in sale of goods and technology												
4	Enforcement agencies/authorities												
5	Export control legislation in place												
6	Licensing provisions												
7	Individual licensing												
8	General licensing												
9	Exceptions from licensing												
10	Licensing of deemed export/visa												

11	National licensing authority								
12	Interagency review for licenses								
13	Control lists								
14	Updating of lists								
15	Inclusion of technologies								
16	Inclusion of means of delivery								
17	End-user controls								
18	Catch all clause								
19	Intangible transfers								
20	Transit control								
21	Trans-shipment control								
22	Re-export control								
23	Control of providing funds								
24	Control of providing transport services								
25	Control of importation								
26	Extraterritorial applicability								
27	Other								

OP 6, 7 and 8 (d) - Control lists, Assistance, Information

State:

{State's name}

Date

(date)

Can information be provided on the following issues ?		YES		Remarks
1	Control lists - items (goods/ equipment/ materials/ technologies)			
2	Control lists - other			
3	Assistance offered			
4	Assistance requested			
5	Point of Contact for assistance			
6	Assistance in place (bilateral/multilateral)			
7	Work with and inform industry			
8	Work with and inform the public			
9	Point of Contact			
10	Other ⁴			

4. Information may include references to voluntary implementation national action plan and visits to States, at their invitation, by the 1540 Committee.