



**ROMANIA**

**MINISTRY OF NATIONAL DEFENCE**



# **SAFETY STORAGE OF AMMUNITION WITHIN THE ROMANIAN MoND**

**Protocol V Meeting of Experts**

**Convention on certain conventional weapons - CCW**

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# AGENDA

- General remarks
- Legal framework
- Ammunition storage
- Civilian protection
- Coordination with NGOs

# General remarks

- Rou MoND strictly enforces ammunition storage rules;
- There is the appropriate legal framework in accordance with CCW provisions;
- Storage and use restrictions are determined by periodical testing;
- Specific procedures are established for specific type of ammunition.

# Legal framework

- Law no. 122/2011 concerning the regime of weapons, military assets and ammunition under the administrative authority of the Ministry of National Defence.
- Military regulations concerning ammunition storage, handling, transportation, competency and periodical verifications.

# Ammunition storage

- Safety storage of ammunition;
- The security of ammunition storage facilities;
- The access into ammunition storage facilities;
- Competency and periodical verifications.

# Civilian protection

- The force protection measures to avoid the civilian exposure to ERW;
- EOD personnel to conduct ERW awareness;
- All operation plans (OPLANS) asses the risks of civilian exposure to ERW.

# Coordonation with NGOs

- ROU military SOPs include the requirement for liaison and cooperation with IOs/NGOs/humanitarian organizations;
- ROU offers medical services to victims of ERW;
- ROU military forces share information on removal, clearing and destroying of ERW

# Conclusions

- Romanian MoND strictly implements the provisions of Protocol V;
- Romanian MoND ensures the safety storage of ammunition;
- Rou MoND makes its priority to improve civilian protection measures against the risks generated by ERW.



**Thank you for your attention!**

**Questions?**