

Reference: C.N.207.2017.TREATIES-XXVI.2 (Depositary Notification)

CONVENTION ON PROHIBITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF
CERTAIN CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS WHICH MAY BE DEEMED TO BE
EXCESSIVELY INJURIOUS OR TO HAVE INDISCRIMINATE EFFECTS (WITH
PROTOCOLS I, II AND III)

GENEVA, 10 OCTOBER 1980

LEBANON: ACCESSION

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary, communicates the following:

The above action was effected on 5 April 2017.

Upon deposit of the instrument of accession, Lebanon notified its consent to be bound by Protocols I, II, as amended on 3 May 1996,¹ and III to the above Convention in accordance with article 4 (3) which reads as follows:

“Expressions of consent to be bound by any of the Protocols annexed to this Convention shall be optional for each State, provided that at the time of the deposit of its instrument of ratification, acceptance or approval of this Convention or of accession thereto, that State shall notify the Depositary of its consent to be bound by any two or more of these Protocols.”

The Convention will enter into force for Lebanon on 5 October 2017 in accordance with its article 5 (2) which reads as follows:

“For any State which deposits its instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession after the date of the deposit of the twentieth instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession, this Convention shall enter into force six months after the date on which that State has deposited its instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession.”

7 April 2017



¹ Refer to depositary notification C.N.211.2017.TREATIES-XXVI.2.b of 7 April 2017 (Lebanon: Consent to be bound by Protocol II, as amended on 3 May 1996)