



General Assembly

Third Session

The Disarmament Committee

Cluster bombs

Recalling that the Charter of the UN envisages the establishment and maintenance of international peace and security with the least diversion for armaments of the world's human and economic resources,

Recalling also the Geneva Conventions of 1949, with special regards to the first additional Protocol of 1977,

Further recalling the convention on certain conventional weapons protocol V on explosive remnants of war of 2003,

Recognizing the important role of multilateral cooperation on the development and improvement of conventional weapons, especially in the field of cluster munitions,

The General Assembly of the United Nations:

1. *Reaffirms* the Geneva Protocol I of 1977 and encourages all Member States to adhere to the principles of proportionality, distinction and feasible precautions,
2. *Invites* all Member States to implement the measures of the fifth protocol of the Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons 'Explosive Remnants of War' of 2003,
3. *Encourages* all Member States to take measures to improve the technology on the development of cluster munitions in order to
 - a. Reduce civilian damage,
 - b. Reduce the negative effects on environment,
4. *Urges* all Member States to limit the use of cluster munitions by 2015,
5. *Invites* all Member States to commit to an international process in which the implementation of clause 4 will be endorsed,

6. *Invites* all Member States to agree to open, in a 10 year period, a multilateral process to significantly reduce the use of cluster bombs,
7. *Strongly urges* all Member States to endorse a constructive dialogue to establish motions in order to reduce the need, and find alternatives to the use of cluster munitions,
8. *Strongly urges* all Member States to develop and adopt an internationally unified color system in order to identify the different types of explosive remnants of war,
9. *Urges* all member states of the UN to endorse programs intended to educate the civilian population of the affected regions of the danger posed by unexploded ordnance,
10. *Reaffirms* the Member States will to contribute to the clearance of unexploded ordnance in areas in which cluster ammunition has been used,
11. *Recognizes* the current political realities in the Korean peninsula and the long term goals of integration, therefore serving the common interests of both Koreas on working together to achieve peace and security through disarmament, especially in regards to cluster munitions,
12. *Understands* the cooperation between North and South Korea in their mutual efforts to reduce the number of cluster munitions,
13. *Welcomes* all regional and multilateral efforts to work toward the reduction of the proliferation and use of cluster munitions.