

a. **Vienna Document 99**

According to the provisions of the above document, our country applies, in annual basis, the following measures:

(1) The exchange of military information and the changes to the structure and organization of the armed forces units.

(2) The exchange of the defense planning text regarding the defense policy, the military strategy and the military doctrine, along with the armed forces procurement and armaments expenditure.

(3) The military contacts with other OSCE member states through visits to airbases and military facilities. Greece organized in 2004 a visit to an airbase and military facility.

(4) The former eastern countries military unit evaluations, based on NATO coordination and the bilateral military cooperation, mainly with the Balkan countries. Greece also receives passive evaluations and inspections. For the year 2009, one inspection to Sweden was conducted. Russian Federation conducted one inspection and one evaluation visit to Greece.

(5) The prior notification of certain military activities (>9000 troops, or >250 BT e.t.c.) and the constraining provisions for the military activities.

b. **Global Exchange of Military Information – GEMI**

Our country annually exchanges with the rest OSCE member states general military information concerning the conventional forces in formation level (personnel and 7 types of weapons systems of Army, Navy and Air Force such as Battle Tanks, Armored Combat Vehicles, Artillery, Combat Aircrafts, Attack Helicopters, Warships and Submarines).

c. **DAYTON Agreement (Annex 1B, Article IV)**

Even though our country is not a co-signatory member of the above Agreement, participates annually, under OSCE auspices, with military inspectors – escorts in the multinational teams composed to this end in order to assist to the implementation of the Article IV of the DAYTON Agreement, Annex 1B.

d. **Conventional Arms Transfers**

(1) Based on UN decision number 46/36L/91 and the OSCE FSC.DEC 13/97, data on import – export of the previous year of 7 types

of main weapon systems (Tanks, Armored Vehicles, Artillery, Combat Aircrafts, Attack Helicopters, Warships and Submarines), are available annually along with the existing weapon systems and holdings. Man Portable Air Defense Systems (MAN PADS) are also included.

(2) Additionally, as a result of FSC.DEC 20/95, there is an annual data exchange over the policy of Conventional Arms Transfers.

e. Code of Conduct on Politico – Military Aspects of Security

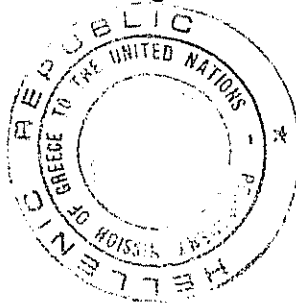
(1) The Code of Conduct covers the politico-military aspects of Armed Forces personnel of OSCE member states, based on the International and Humanitarian Law.

(2) According to FSC.DEC 1/09, information concerning the implementation of the provisions of Code of Conduct is exchanged annually, as provided for by an adopted questionnaire.

f. Small Arms and Light Weapons

In the field of Small Arms and Light Weapons, during the previous year, our country exchanged information for the exports to and the imports from other participating states.

The Permanent Mission of Greece to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the United Nations – Office for Disarmament Affairs, the assurances of its highest consideration.



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