Supporting the Arms Trade Treaty Negotiations through Regional Discussions and Expertise Sharing

Regional Seminar for countries in East Asia and the Pacific
6-8 June 2011, Bali, Indonesia

Hotel Pullman Bali Legian Nirwana, 1 Jalan Melasti, Bali 80361 LEGIAN

AGENDA

PART I
For diplomatic and military personnel responsible for national policies vis-à-vis the ATT

Sunday, 5 June 2011
During the day: arrival of participants of Part I

DAY 1
Monday, 6 June 2011

08:30–09:00  Registration
09:00–10:30  Opening Session
Chair: Christiane Agboton-Johnson, Deputy Director, United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research

Opening remarks:

H.E. Mr. Julian Wilson
Head of the EU Delegation in Indonesia

H.E. Mr. Dominicus Supratikto
Deputy Director General for Multilateral Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Indonesia

Presentations:

ATT- recent developments at the United Nations and in the region
Taijiro Kimura, Director, UN Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific

Civil Society’s Contribution to the ATT process in the region
Fred Lubang, Control Arms Campaign

10:30–10:45  Coffee break
10:45–13:00  **SESSION I: ATT and its different aspects**

Chair: Ted Knez, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Australia

Presentations:

- *Towards 2012: remaining questions regarding the Treaty’s possible scope*
  Thomas Wheeler, Saferworld

- *Considerations on the proposed Treaty’s transfer criteria*
  Nathalie Weizmann, ICRC

- *Implementing the future ATT: Indonesian view*
  Daniel Tumpal Simanjuntak, Deputy Director for Disarmament Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia

- *Implementing the future ATT: some key considerations*
  Masaru Aniya, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan

Discussion.

13:00–15:00  Lunch at conference venue

15:00–16:00  **SESSION II: From negotiating to implementing an ATT: regional views**

Chair: Daniel Tumpal Simanjuntak, Deputy Director for Disarmament Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia

Presentations:

- *ATT’s relevance to the Pacific region*
  Lorraine Kershaw, PIF Secretariat

- *Implementation mechanism of the ATT: outstanding issues and the EU perspective*
  Fabio Della Piazza, European External Action Service

Discussion.

16:00–16:15  Coffee break

16:15–17:30  **SESSION II: Continued – national views on implementing an ATT**

Chair: George Hoa’au, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Solomon Islands

Presentations:

- National contributions from selected participants (China, Fiji and the Philippines)

Discussion
DAY 2

Tuesday, 7 June 2011

09:00–11:00  SESSION III: Parallel working group sessions on aspects related to the Treaty’s implementation, cooperation and assistance

11:00–11:30  Coffee break

11:30–12:30  SESSION IV: Conclusions and next steps: Compiling working group recommendations

Chair: Christiane Agboton-Johnson, UNIDIR

Presentation of results from the working groups

Discussion.

12:30–13:00  Closing Session of Part I

Chair: Christiane Agboton-Johnson, UNIDIR

Brief summary of the outcomes and recommendations from the first part

Elli Kytömäki, UNIDIR

Closing remarks:

H.E. Mr. Julian Wilson  
Head of the EU Delegation in Indonesia

Daniel Tumpal Simanjuntak, Deputy Director for Disarmament Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia

13:00-15:00  Lunch at conference venue

PART II

For technical and law-enforcement personnel

Monday, 6 June 2011

During the day: arrival of participants

Tuesday, 7 June 2011

13:00-15:00  Lunch at conference venue

15:00–15:30  Opening Session

Chair: Christiane Agboton-Johnson, United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research
Opening remarks:

Fabio Della Piazza, European External Action Service

Daniel Tumpal Simanjuntak, Deputy Director for Disarmament Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia

Introduction to the ATT initiative and its recent developments in the region and briefing from Part I

Elli Kytömäki, UNIDIR

15:30–16:45 SESSION I: Overview of regional systems to regulate conventional arms trade

Chair: Taijiro Kimura, Director, UN Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific

Presentations:

PIF Secretariat’s mechanisms to promote security and arms transfer controls in the Pacific
Lorraine Kershaw, PIF Secretariat

EU Common Position on conventional arms exports: implementation aspects from an EU Member State’s perspective
Henrik Brethauer, German Federal Office of Economics and Export Control

Discussion.

16:45–17:00 Coffee break

17:00–18:00 SESSION II: Establishing effective national systems

Chair: Febrian A. Ruddyard, Director for International Security and Disarmament Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia

Presentations:

Legal aspects of establishing and enforcing comprehensive controls
Paul Beier, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Sweden

China and arms transfer controls – introduction to national practices
Feng Wang, State Administration of Science, Technology and Industry for National Defence of China

Industry’s experiences in arms transfer controls – working under effective national regulations
Adik Avianto Soedarsono, President Director, PINDAD Indonesia

Discussion.

18:00–20:30 Dinner reception for all participants (Part I and Part II), hosted by Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia (Mr. Febrian A. Ruddyard, Director of International Security and Disarmament Affairs)
DAY 3

Wednesday, 8 June 2011

09:00–10:30  SESSION III: Improving accountability and transparency of conventional arms transfers
Chair: Paul Beier, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Sweden
Presentations:

- Role and functioning of UN transparency mechanisms
  Taijiro Kimura, UNRCPD

- Annual export reports of the European Union
  Henrik Brethauer, German Federal Office of Economics and Export Control

- Experiences of the Republic of Korea in transfer controls of conventional arms, including the use of electronic systems
  Hyungeun Ko, Defence Acquisition Program Administration, Republic of Korea

Discussion.

10:30–10:45 Coffee break

10:45–11:15  SESSION IV: Parallel working group sessions on practical case studies
Chair: Fabio Della Piazza, European External Action Service
Presentation of practical case studies by EU experts

11:15–12:30  SESSION IV: Parallel working group sessions on practical case studies

12:30–14:30 Lunch at conference venue

14:30–15:45  SESSION IV: Parallel working group sessions on practical case studies (continued)

15:45–16:00 Coffee break

16:00–17:00  SESSION V: Discussion of results of the working group sessions
Chair: Fabio Della Piazza, European External Action Service
Presentation by rapporteurs
Discussion

17:00–17:30 Closing Session
Chair: Christiane Agboton-Johnson, UNIDIR

Summary of the seminar outcomes and recommendations
Elli Kytömäki, UNIDIR
Closing remarks:

Fabio Della Piazza, European External Action Service

*Host Country Views and Conclusions*
Febrian A. Ruddyard, Director for International Security and Disarmament Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia