

## 7<sup>th</sup> REGIONAL MEETING OF SALW COMMISSIONS

15-16 May 2017  
Jahorina, Bosnia and Herzegovina

### AGENDA

#### DAY 1

0930 - 1000

#### Opening remarks

- Mr. Mijo Krešić, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Security of Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Ms. Stefana Greavu, Head of Political Department, Regional Cooperation Council
- Mr. Khaldoun Sinno, Deputy Head of Delegation to European Union in Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Ms. Bojana Balon, SEESAC Coordinator

(Group photo)

1000 - 1130

#### Session I – Implementation of SALW Control activities (15 minutes per SALW Commission)

*The purpose of this session is for representatives to inform on developments since the last meeting focusing on key issues relating to the work of each Commission. Each Delegation's presentation should focus on providing updates related to:*

- *Planned or implemented **new** legislation on SALW control*
- *Update on development and implementation of SALW Control strategies*
- *Challenges and Plans*

Moderator: Ms. Juliana Buzi, SEESAC Regional Cooperation Coordinator

1130 - 1200

#### Coffee break

1200 - 1300

#### Session I (cont.) – SALW Control challenges, priorities and needs in Belarus and Ukraine (20 mins per presentation)

*This session's aim is to provide an overview of the current situation and challenges, policy frameworks and needs for assistance related to SALW control in Belarus and Ukraine.*

Moderator: Ms. Juliana Buzi, SEESAC Regional Cooperation Coordinator

1300 – 1400

#### Lunch

1400 – 1500

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Moderator: Mr. Ermin Pešto, Assistant Minister, Ministry of Security, BiH

**1500 - 1520**

**Coffee Break**

**1520 – 1630**

**Session II – Establishment of Firearms Focal Points**

*The aim of this session is to inform on the establishment with EU support of the Firearms Focal Points and informing on best practices of Firearms Focal Points already established in the region and beyond.*

- Firearms Focal Point - Best Practices– Presented by Ms. Paula Parker, Head of International Development, National Ballistic Intelligence Service (NABIS)
- Case Study on the establishment of the Firearms Focal Point – Presented by Mr. Besnik Sallahu, Deputy Director of International Law Enforcement Cooperation Unit.
- Establishment of Firearms Focal Points in South East Europe – Presented by Mr. Slobodan Bošković, SEESAC SALW Coordinator

Moderator: Mr. Alain Lapon, SEESAC Chief Technical Adviser

**1930**

**Dinner**

**DAY 2**

**0930 – 1100**

**Session III – Small Arms and Light Weapons and EU Policy Framework**

*This session aims to provide an update on the EU policy and strategic framework on Small Arms and Light Weapons and inform on recent changes to EU directives related to arms control.*

- Overview of the EU Strategic Policy on Small Arms and Light Weapons
- Update on the amendments to the EU Firearms Directive and the new EU Regulation on EUROPOL - Mr. Alain Lapon, SEESAC Chief Technical Adviser

*Discussions*

Moderator: Mr. Mladen Marković, President of the Montenegro SALW Commission

**1100 – 1130**

**Coffee break**

**1130 – 1300**

**Session IV - Arms Export Control**

*This session will cover topics on arms exports control in the region focusing on the legal framework and best practices in the region in conducting risk assessments on diversion. Presentations from various SALW Commissions.*

Moderator: Dr. Duško Ivanov, State Counsellor and National Focal Point for SALW

**1300 – 1400**

**Lunch**

**1400 – 1530**

**Session V – Regional SALW Survey**

*This session will gather **SALW Commissions or relevant institutions representatives only** in order to provide the opportunity for discussion and agreement on the implementation process of the SALW Survey planned to be conducted throughout the region with SEESAC facilitation.*

- *Panoramic Overview of SALW Survey Methodologies – presented by Mr. Dragan Božanić, SEESAC Project Officer*
- *Draft Proposal for the implementation of the Regional SALW Survey – presented by Ms. Juliana Buzi, SEESAC Regional Cooperation Coordinator*
- **Tour de table** and discussions

**1530 -1600**

**Conclusions and closure of the meeting**