DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE FOR THE ADOPTION OF A CONVENTION ON CLUSTER MUNITIONS

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Proposal by Argentina, Ecuador, Guatemala, Uruguay, Dominican Republic, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Costa Rica, Chile, Honduras, Zambia and Guinea for the amendment of Article 5

- 1. Each State Party with respect to cluster munition victims in areas under its jurisdiction or control shall, in accordance with international human rights law <u>and principles, including non-discrimination, full and effective participation, and inclusion in society</u>, adequately provide <u>assistance, including for their</u> medical care and rehabilitation, psychological support and social and economic inclusion. Each State Party shall <u>develop, implement and enforce relevant laws and policies, and make every effort to collect reliable relevant data with respect to cluster munition victims.</u>
- 2. In fulfilling its obligations under paragraph 1 of this Article each State Party shall:
 - (a) assess the needs of victims, take steps to mobilise national and international resources and develop a national plan¹ including the time estimated to carry out these activities,² with a view to incorporating it within existing disability, development and human rights frameworks and mechanisms;
 - (b) <u>closely consult with and actively involve victims and their representative organisations; ³</u>
 - (c) <u>designate a focal point within the government to coordinate</u> activities undertaken in different sectors and at different levels; 4
 - take into consideration relevant guidelines and good practices in the areas of medical care and rehabilitation, psychological support as well as social and economic inclusion.

³ Based on CRPD Article 4(3).

¹ Based almost word-by-word on Article 4(2)(b) of the current draft treaty.

² See Article 6(10)(c).

⁴ Based on CRPD Article 33(1).