Group 2 – International Munitions List

Definitions to the terms set out in quotations are listed in pages 49 to 55 of this Guide and apply in respect to this Group.

2000. General Technology Note

Member Governments have determined to restrict the export of "technology" applicable to the "development", "production" and "use" of products as defined in the International Lists.

This Note applies equally to "technology" specific to the integration or "use" of components in products as defined in the International List, even if the components themselves are unembargoed.

"Technology" covered by this Note remains restricted even when applicable to the "development", "production" and "use" of a non embargoed product.

This Note does not apply to that "technology" which is the minimum necessary for the installation, operation, maintenance (checking) and repair of those products whose export has been authorized.

This Note does not apply to "technology" "in the public domain" or to "basic scientific research".

2001. Small arms, automatic weapons and accessories, as follows, and specially designed components therefor:

- a. Rifles, carbines, revolvers, pistols, machine pistols and machine guns, except:
 - 1. muskets, rifles and carbines dated earlier than 1938;
 - 2. reproductions of muskets, rifles and carbines dated earlier than 1890;
 - revolvers, pistols and machine guns dated earlier than 1890, and their reproductions;
- b. Smooth-bore weapons specially designed for military use
- c. Weapons using caseless ammunition;
- d. Silencers, special gun-mountings, clips and flash suppressors for arms embargoed by sub-items a., b or c.

Technical Note:

Smooth-bore weapons specially designed for military use as specified in subitem b. are those which:

- a. Are proof tested at pressures above 1,300 bars;
- b. Operate normally and safely at pressures above 1,000 bars; and
- Are capable of accepting ammunition above 76.2 mm in length (e.g. commercial 12-gauge magnum shot gun shells).

The parameters in this Technical Note are to be measured according to the standards of the Commission Internationale Permanente.

Notes.

- This Item does not embargo smooth-bore weapons used for hunting or sporting purposes. These weapons must not be specially designed for military use or of the fully automatic firing type.
- This Item does not embargo firearms specially designed for dummy ammunition and which are incapable of firing any embargoed ammunition.
- This Item does not embargo weapons using non-centre fire cased ammunition and which are not of the fully automatic firing type.

2002. Large calibre armament or weapons, projectors and accessories, as follows, and specially designed components therefor:

 Guns, howitzers, cannon, mortars, anti-tank weapons, projectile launchers, military flame throwers, recoilless rifles and signature reduction devices therefor; Note:

This sub-item includes injectors, metering devices, storage tanks and other specially designed components for use with liquid propelling charges for any of the equipment embargoed by this sub-item.

b. Military smoke, gas and pyrotechnic projectors or generators.

Note:

This sub-item does not embargo signal pistols.

2003. Ammunition, and specially designed components therefor, for the weapons embargoed by Items 2001, 2002 or 2026.

Notes:

- 1. Specially designed components include:
 - a. Metal or plastic fabrications such as primer anvils, bullet cups, cartridge links, rotating bands and munitions metal parts:
 - Safing and arming devices, fuses, sensors and exploding bridge wire connectors;
 - c. Power supplies with high one-time operational output;
 - d. Combustible cases for charges;
 - e. Submunitions including bomblets, minelets and terminally guided projectiles, except submunitions using a solely lead core.
- This Item does not embargo ammunition crimped without a projectile (blank star) and dummy ammunition with a pierced powder chamber.

2004. Bombs, torpedoes, rockets, missiles and accessories, as follows, specially designed for military use, and specially designed components therefor:

 Bombs, torpedoes, grenades, smoke canisters, rockets, mines, missiles, depth charges, demolition-charges, -devices and -kits, "military pyrotechnics", cartridges and simulators;

Note:

Sub-item a. includes:

- 1. Smoke grenades, fire bombs, incendiary bombs and explosive devices;
- 2. Missile rocket nozzles and re-entry vehicle nosetips.
- Equipment specially designed for the handling, control, activation, powering with one-time operational output, launching, laying, sweeping, discharging, decoying, jamming, detonation or detection of items embargoed by sub-item a.

Note:

Sub-item b. includes:

- Mobile gas liquefying equipment capable of producing 1,000 kg or more per day of gas in liquid form;
- 2. Buoyant electric conducting cable suitable for sweeping magnetic mines.

2005. Fire control, and related alerting and warning equipment, and related systems, as follows, specially designed for military use, and specially designed components or accessories therefor:

- Weapon sights, bombing computers, gun laying equipment and on-board weapon control systems;
- b. Target acquisition, designation, range-finding, surveillance or tracking systems; detection, recognition or identification equipment; and sensor integration equipment.

2006. Vehicles and related equipment, as follows, specially designed or modified for military use, and specially designed components therefor:

Technical Note:

For the purposes of this Item, the term 'specially modified for military use' means a structural, electrical or mechanical change which entails replacing a component with at least one specially designed military component, or adding at least one such component.

- a. Tanks and self-propelled guns;
- b. Armed, armoured vehicles and vehicles fitted with mounting for arms;
- Armoured railway trains;
- d. Half-tracks;
- e. Recovery vehicles;
- f. Carriers, tractors and trailers specially designed for towing or transporting ammunition or weapon systems and related load handling equipment;
- g. Amphibious and deep water fording vehicles;
- h. Mobile repair shops specially designed to service military equipment;
- i. All other vehicles specially designed or modified for military use.