

II. PLANS FOR THE ELIMINATION OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS

A. General plans

The following chemical weapons shall be eliminated during Elimination Period I:1)2)

The following chemical weapons shall be eliminated during Elimination Period II:1)2)

etc

B. Detailed plans

They shall include:

- schedules indicating detailed timeframes, quantities and types of chemical weapons to be destroyed or diverted to permitted purposes³⁾ in accordance with the Principles for the Elimination laid down in Annex IV,
- location of facilities to be used for destruction or diversion³⁾ and information confirming that the facilities can consume the quantities to be eliminated within the elimination period,
- methods to be used for the destruction or diversion³⁾, as well as the end products,
- plans for verification of the destruction and diversion³⁾ processes based on the Principles and Methods for the Verification of the Elimination of Chemical Weapons laid down in Annex IV.

1) Some delegations held the view that overall declarations should be made within 30 days after the Convention's entry into force for a State Party.

2) Chemical weapons shall be described and amounts indicated in a manner identical to that of the declarations.

3) One delegation stated that it was unconvinced that diversion was either a practical or economical method for elimination. It may be prepared, however, to review its position in the event a practical system for diversion can be devised, preserving the requirement for effective verification.