

ARTICLE 3

1. In cases falling under sub-paragraph (a) of Article 2 of the present Agreement, the periods of time specified in the Annex to the present Agreement shall apply for the communication of plans to the German authorities and for the latter to state their final opinion.

2. In cases falling under sub-paragraph (b) of Article 2 of the present Agreement, the periods of time for the communication of plans stated in items 2 and 3 of the Annex to the present Agreement shall in each case be extended by two weeks.

3. The German authorities shall inform the authorities of a force as early as possible of any objections to the plan. The joint discussions envisaged in paragraph 5 of Article 45 of the Supplementary Agreement shall be so expedited by the German authorities and the authorities of the force as to ensure that if possible, and if necessary at a higher level, agreement is reached within the period of time specified for the final opinion of the German authorities.

ARTICLE 4

In particular, plans shall contain the following data:

- (a) designation (code name, nickname) and type of manoeuvre or other training exercise;
- (b) time and date of the beginning and end of the manoeuvre or other training exercise, of assembly and departure, and of the preparatory measures;
- (c) designation of the area in which the manoeuvre or other training exercise is to be conducted (to be accompanied by maps or sketch-maps on a suitable scale);
- (d) approximate information about
 - (i) the total strength of the units engaging in the exercise,
 - (ii) the total number of wheeled and tracked vehicles,
 - (iii) the number of wheeled and tracked vehicles classified in or above Class 24 in Standardization Agreement 2021 (second edition),
 - (iv) the areas and roads where vehicles are principally to be engaged,
 - (v) number, type, engagement area and flight altitude of aircraft to be engaged, if any,
 - (vi) off-base landings or parachute jumps or drops proposed, if any, and where such exercises are probably to take place;
- (e) information as to whether and if so, to what extent earthworks are envisaged and whether camouflage material will be required;
- (f) information regarding any special arrangements desired (e.g. for the closing of public ways or stretches of water);
- (g) information as to whether and if so, to what extent billets will require to be supplied.

ARTICLE 5

In the case of manoeuvres and other training exercises conducted by a force with other forces or with the German Armed Forces, the authorities