

ARTICLE I
GENERAL PROVISIONS ON SCOPE

1. Each State Party to this Convention undertakes never under any circumstances :

(a) To develop, produce, otherwise acquire, stockpile or retain chemical weapons, or transfer, directly or indirectly, chemical weapons to anyone ;

(b) To use chemical weapons;

(c) To engage in any military preparations or conduct other activities for the use of chemical weapons ;

(d) To assist, encourage or induce, in any way, anyone to engage in any activity prohibited to a State Party under this Convention.

2. Each State Party undertakes to destroy chemical weapons which are in its possession within its territory and in the territory of another State Party, or under its jurisdiction or control in accordance with the provisions of this Convention.

3. Each State Party undertakes to destroy all chemical weapons it abandoned on the territory of another State Party. In fulfilling this obligation, the State Party which abandoned chemical weapons should consult with the State Party on whose territory they are located.

4. Each State Party undertakes to destroy any chemical weapons production facilities it owns or possesses, or that are located in any place under its jurisdiction or control, in accordance with the provisions of this Convention.

5. Each State Party undertakes not to use herbicides, law enforcement and riot control agents as a method of warfare; such a prohibition should not preclude any other use for purposes not prohibited under this Convention.*!

*! All other references to riot control agents in CD/CW/WP.400 will be deleted consequent to this provision.