Gender, Conventional Weapons, and the ATT – a 2022 Review

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Room C, International Conference Centre Geneva (CICG)

Three years after the Fifth Conference of States Parties (CSP5) of the Arms Trade Treaty (ATT), this event will provide a forum for ATT stakeholders to share and learn about current initiatives, remaining gaps, and planned future work to:

- raise awareness and address the gendered impacts of conventional weapons and
- ensure that gender-related considerations are taken into account in the governance and regulation of conventional weapons, including in the implementation of the ATT.

SPEAKERS

Vera Kissling, Deputy Head of Export Controls and Private Security Services Section, Federal Department of Foreign Affairs, Switzerland: Opening remarks

Cindy Ebbs, Co-Director, Control Arms: 'The ATT Gender Action Plan, a tool to monitor and encourage progress on the CSP5 decisions on gender and the ATT.'

Mimidoo Achakpa, Executive Director, Women's Right to Education: 'Preventing and addressing the gendered impact of armed violence in Nigeria.'

Folade Mutota, Coordinator of the Caribbean Coalition for Development and the Reduction of Armed Violence (CDRAV): 'The gendered impact of armed violence and how women are responding to this challenge in Caribbean countries.'

Natasa Loizou, Executive Director, National Controlled Materials Agency, Argentina: 'Incorporating gender violence prevention into national legislation: providing data on gender and family based violence to support the implementation of the ATT.'

Callum Watson, Gender Coordinator, Small Arms Survey: 'Moving forward on implementing the Article 7.4 and the gender-based violence provisions of the ATT.'

Moderated by Hana Salama, Researcher on Gender and Disarmament, UNIDIR

