Sixth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects
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The provisionally agreed agenda for BMS6 provides guidance for the draft outcome.¹

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**BMS6 Outcome Document – Zero Draft**

1. Consideration of the implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All its Aspects, at the national level, the regional level - including through regional and sub-regional arrangements and organizations - and at the global level, and in light of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

   Consideration of actions agreed at RevCon2 and BMS5 and discussed at the 2015 Meeting of Governmental Experts (MGE2):
   - National level
     - Life-cycle management, good practice and lessons learned
     - Reporting
   - Regional level
     - Role of regional and sub-regional organizations/arrangements
   - Global level
     - 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (in particular elements of Target 16.1 and Target 16.4)
     - Voluntary implementation standards
     - Role of international organizations such as the World Customs Organization and INTERPOL
     - PoA in the context of conflict prevention, crisis management and peace-building, including peace-keeping missions
     - Role of women and UNSCR 1325

   **The Way Forward**
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2. Consideration of the implementation of the International Instrument to Enable States to Identify and Trace, in a Timely and Reliable Manner, Illicit Small Arms and Light Weapons, including recent developments in small arms and light weapons technology and their implications for the International Tracing Instrument.
   - Consideration of actions agreed at RevCon2 and BMS5 and discussed at MGE2: policy implications for the International Tracing Instrument in the light of recent developments in small arms and light weapons technology.
   - ITI in the context of conflict prevention, crisis management and peace-building, including peace-keeping missions.
   - Efforts and capacity to trace illicit weapons in conflict- and post conflict zones
   - Diversion
   - Information sharing and exchange

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3. Consideration of international cooperation and assistance for the full and effective implementation of the Programme of Action and International Tracing Instrument, including capacity-building:
   - Review of actions agreed at RevCon 2 and BMS5 and discussed at MGE2.

a) Ways to strengthen the implementation of the PoA and ITI through the provision of training, equipment and the transfer of technology;
   - Capacity-building, including training
     o Capacity building measures to improve physical security and stockpile management (PSSM)
   - Transfer of technology and equipment

b) Ways to ensure the adequacy, effectiveness, and sustainability of assistance for the implementation of the PoA and the ITI, including financial and technical assistance.
   - Enhance effectiveness and sustainability of assistances, including coordination of assistance and cooperation
     o Technical assistance
     o Financial assistance
       ▪ Link with SDGs as funding prospect
       ▪ Trust fund modalities
   - Best-practice guidelines for project implementation

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4. Other issues and topics of relevance for the effective implementation of the Programme of Action and the International Tracing Instrument.