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## **LANDMINE MONITOR 2010 GLOBAL RELEASE 24 NOVEMBER 2010**

*Landmine Monitor* will be released globally at a press conference hosted by Landmine and Cluster Munition Monitor in Geneva, Switzerland.

This is the 12<sup>th</sup> *Landmine Monitor* report, the sister publication to the *Cluster Munition Monitor* report, which was published for the first time this year. *Landmine Monitor 2010* covers landmine ban policy, use, production, trade, and stockpiling for every country in the world, and also includes information on landmine and explosive remnant of war contamination, casualties, clearance, and victim assistance. The report focuses on the period from May 2009, with information included up to August 2010 when possible.

*Landmine Monitor 2010* is being released in advance of the Tenth Meeting of States Parties to the Mine Ban Treaty, being held in Geneva, Switzerland from 29 November –3 December 2010.

**WHAT:** Press conference to launch *Landmine Monitor 2010*

**WHO:** Members of the Monitor's Editorial Team, some of the world's leading experts on landmines, will be on hand to answer media questions and conduct interviews in English and French.

**WHEN:** Wednesday 24 November, 10:00-11:00

**WHERE:** Press Room III, Palais des Nations, Avenue de la Paix, Geneva

*The entire report is embargoed until after the press conference. Hard copies of the report and a **media kit** in English, French, and Spanish will be available at the press conference and posted online at [www.the-monitor.org](http://www.the-monitor.org).*

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