ARGENTINA

Was an Annual Report submitted by 31 May 2017?  Yes
Was the report made public?  Yes
Was a nil report submitted for exports or imports in 2016?  No
Was data withheld for ‘commercial sensitivity/national security-related’ reasons?  No

Good practice:
The information Argentina provided in its Annual Report for 2016 matched what it specified in the check boxes on the front page of the report.
With the exception of one transfer (the import of five manned combat aircraft from Spain and the United States), Argentina did not aggregate key data, and it provided clear, specific information on each item and country.

Room for improvement:
Argentina did not report on any voluntary national categories.
It only provided descriptions of major conventional weapons it imported in 2016 but did not provide any descriptions for its exports or its imports of SALW.

Transfer summary - 2016: Export Data
- Argentina reported exports to seven countries in 2016.
- Of these, three were ATT States Parties, two were Signatories and two were non-members (Canada and Nicaragua).
- All reported export items were SALW (revolvers and self-loading pistols).
- In total, Argentina reported the export of 77,517 items in 2016.
- The vast majority of Argentina’s reported SALW exports in 2016 were to the United States (97 per cent). The next largest importers were El Salvador and Uruguay (1 per cent each).

Transfer summary - 2016: Import Data
- Argentina reported imports from eight countries in 2016.
- All importers were ATT States Parties or Signatories.
- Main importers were Brazil (29 per cent), the United States (28 per cent), Italy and Turkey (19 per cent each).
- Argentina imported four large-calibre artillery systems from Italy and five manned combat aircraft from Spain and the United States. All other imported items were SALW, covering three sub-categories.
- Argentina reported imports of 29,278 items of SALW in 2016. The single largest deal was for 5,615 shotguns from Turkey.

Reporting practice summary - 2016
Argentina did not change its reporting practice from 2015 to 2016, and reported Actual Numbers of exports and imports for SALW and major conventional arms in both years.

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