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**Item 3: ID on the report of the High Commissioner on the impact of anti-personnel
landmines on human rights**

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This statement is delivered on behalf of Every Casualty Worldwide and Mwatana for Human Rights.

Between September 2014 and November 2025, Mwatana documented 689 landmine incidents across Yemen, killing 489 people — including 209 children and 37 women — and injuring 906 others. The Houthi group (Ansar Allah) is responsible for approximately 96% of cases; remaining incidents are attributed to the internationally recognized government, the Saudi/UAE-led coalition, the Southern Transitional Council, the Joint Forces, and other armed groups.

Mines were planted on roads, farmland, and near homes, schools, and places of worship, directly affecting civilians. Flooding and mountainous terrain have further displaced mines into unexpected locations. Beyond casualties, landmines restrict freedom of movement, work, education, and access to healthcare — harms compounded by Yemen's collapsed health system and lack of rehabilitation services.

We call on all parties to end landmine use, secure minefield maps, clear contaminated areas, support victims, and ensure accountability.