Brunei Darussalam stands firmly behind disarmament initiatives and the prevention of the proliferation of all forms of weapons of mass destruction, both regionally and globally. Brunei Darussalam actively participates in numerous key regional and global agreements related to disarmament and non-proliferation. Additionally, Brunei Darussalam fully supports and adheres to the principles and commitments outlined by the Association of Southeast Asian Nations regarding disarmament and non-proliferation matters.

From a national perspective, Brunei Darussalam remains steadfast in offering assistance and fostering collaboration across governmental entities through a comprehensive approach that involves all sectors of society. This Whole-of-Government and Whole-of-Nation strategy unites stakeholders toward peaceful nation-building endeavours. These efforts encompass various initiatives aimed at advancing community welfare and contributing to the realization of Brunei Darussalam’s 2035 Vision. Central to this vision is the aspiration to enhance the social development of the population, striving for elevated standards of living and well-being.

The coordination of policy and planning of the Ministry of Defence and the Royal Brunei Armed Forces (RBAF) such as through the Defence White Paper 2021 and Force 2035, need to be aligned with the obligations of Brunei Darussalam in the Agreement and Resolution that have been agreed and signed by Brunei Darussalam. It is also imperative for the Ministry of Defence and the RBAF to undertake a thorough examination of relevant documents pertaining to the limitation of weaponry, encompassing those already signed by Brunei Darussalam and those forthcoming, to comprehensively understand their implications. This analysis should particularly focus on their impact on the policies of the Ministry of Defence and the RBAF as well as strategic defense planning. It should also consider how these agreements affect plans for capacity enhancement and weapon procurement, along with associated matters.

Brunei Darussalam also maintains that the defence sector consistently endeavours to bridge the gap between developed and developing nations. In pursuit of this objective, Brunei Darussalam has allocated resources from defence budgets, with a focus on initiatives that may have both direct and indirect implications for disarmament and development. These endeavours are primarily geared towards charitable contributions and programmes aimed at fostering social and economic advancement within Brunei Darussalam and neighbouring Southeast Asian communities. Notably, initiatives such as the Project-Based Community Medical Deployment (PCMD)/Medical Aid Provision (MAP)
under the ASEAN Defence Ministers’ Meeting Plus Experts’ Working Group (EWG) on Military Medicine (MM) exemplify this commitment. Through collaborative efforts between ASEAN Member States and Plus Countries, community healthcare services have been provided in General Tinio, the Philippines. This achievement underscores the leadership of Brunei Darussalam and Australia, serving as Co-Chairs of the EWG on MM from 2021 to 2024 towards achieving the noble objectives. Furthermore, this initiative aligns with the Sustainable Development Goals, signaling a commitment to sustainable, and self-reliant regional development in the long term. Moreover, Brunei Darussalam remains committed to further advancing the welfare of the national and regional community by Co-chairing the ADMM-Plus Experts' Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations from 2024 to 2027 alongside the People’s Republic of China. This collaborative endeavour integrates initiatives focused on Women, Peace, and Security (WPS), with the goal of nurturing a stronger international community and safeguarding the stability and prosperity of the region.