United States Department of State

Treaties in Force

A List of Treaties and Other International Agreements of the United States in Force on January 1, 2007

Section 2: Multilateral Agreements
Foreword

*Treaties in Force* is prepared by the Department of State for the purpose of providing information on treaties and other international agreements to which the United States has become a party and which are carried on the records of the Department of State as being in force as of its stated publication date, January 1, 2007.

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**Arrangement**

*Treaties in Force* is arranged in two sections. Section 1 includes bilateral treaties and other international agreements listed by country or other international entity with subject headings under each entry. Arrangements with territorial possessions of a country appear at the end of the entry for that country. In some cases, treaties and international agreements applicable to a territory prior to its independence are included in the entry for that country on the basis of its assumption of treaty obligations upon becoming independent, as noted at the beginning of the entry for that country. For convenience, some treaties and agreements concluded with countries whose name or statehood status has changed continue to be listed under the name in use at the time the agreement was concluded, if the title of the treaty or agreement has not been formally amended.

Section 2, presented here, lists multilateral treaties and other international agreements to which the United States is a party, arranged by subject. The electronic edition of *Treaties in Force* no longer furnishes a comprehensive list of parties to most agreements, because the depositary is the authoritative source for a current list of parties and information on other matters concerning the status of the agreement, and status information often changes. Instead, information is provided on the depositary for the agreement in question, and contact information, including an Internet site is provided for the depositary where available. (The print edition of *Treaties in Force* will continue to list the parties to a multilateral agreement as of January 1 of that year.)

**Scope**

*Treaties in Force* uses the term “treaty” in the generic sense as defined in the Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties, that is, an international agreement “governed by international law, whether embodied in a single instrument or in two or more related instruments and whatever its particular designation.” The term “treaty” as a matter of U.S. constitutional law denotes international agreements made by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate in accordance with Article II, section 2 of the Constitution of the United States. In addition to such “treaties”, this publication covers international agreements in force that have been concluded by the Executive (a) pursuant to or in accordance with existing legislation or a prior treaty; (b) subject to congressional approval or implementation, and/or (c) under and in accordance with the President’s constitutional powers.

*Treaties in Force* includes those treaties and other international agreements entered into by the United States which, as of the specified date, had not expired by their own terms, been denounced by the parties, replaced or superseded by other agreements, or otherwise definitely terminated. Certain agreements, particularly those concerned with World War II and the immediate postwar period, which contain continuing provisions or which have not been clearly terminated in their entirety are included even though operations under the agreements may have ceased. The absence of a listing for a particular agreement should not be regarded as a determination that it is not in force.

**Searching Treaties in Force**

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EAS  
*Executive Agreement Series*, issued singly in pamphlets by the Department of State (until replaced in 1945 by the TIAS).

Foreign Relations  
Foreign Relations of the United States.

F.R.  
*Federal Register*.

H.Doc.  
House Document.

ILM  
*International Legal Materials*.

LNTS  
*League of Nations Treaty Series*.

Miller  

NP  
Not Printed in *Treaties and Other International Acts Series*.

Stat.  
*United States Statutes at Large*.

T. Doc.  
Senate Treaty Document.

TIAS  
*Treaties and Other International Acts Series*, issued singly in pamphlets by the Department of State.

TS  
*Treaty Series*, issued singly in pamphlets by the Department of State (replaced in 1945 by *Treaties and Other International Acts Series*).

UNTS  
*United Nations Treaty Series*.

UST  
*United States Treaties and Other International Agreements* (volumes published on a calendar-year basis beginning as of January 1, 1950).
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SECTION 2

MULTILATERAL TREATIES AND AGREEMENTS
AFRICA

General Act for the repression of the African slave trade.1
Signed at Brussels July 2, 1890.
Entered into force August 31, 1891; for the United States April 2, 1892.
TIAS 1234
Depositary: Belgium

Parties
Belgium 2
Denmark
Ethiopia 2
France 2
Germany 2
Iran
Italy 2
Libya
Netherlands 2
Norway
Portugal 2
Spain
Sweden
Tanzania 2
Turkey 2
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics 2
United Kingdom 2
United States 2

NOTES
1 Replaced, as between contracting parties to the later conventions, by the convention of September 10, 1919 (49 Stat. 3027; TS 877), except for the stipulations contained in article 1 of the 1919 Convention, and by the convention of the same date on the subject of the liquor traffic in Africa (46 Stat. 2199; TS 779).
2 Party to conventions of September 10, 1919.
3 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
4 With exceptions.
5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6 Applicable to Zanzibar. Application to that part of Tanzania which was formerly Tanganyika has apparently not been determined.
7 With a statement.
8 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Entered into force July 31, 1920; for the United States March 22, 1929.
46 Stat. 2199; TS 779; 2 Bevans 255; 8 LNTS 11.

Parties
Australia
Belgium
Canada
Ethiopia 2
France
Germany
India
Italy
New Zealand
Portugal
South Africa
United Kingdom
United States 2

NOTE
1 With reservation.

AFRICA DEVELOPMENT BANK
(See under FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS)

AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT FUND
(See under FINANCE)

AGRICULTURE

International agreement for the creation at Paris of an international office for epizootics, with annex.
Done at Paris January 25, 1924.
Entered into force January 17, 1925; for the United States July 29, 1975.
26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135.
Depositary: France
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Parties
Afghanistan
Albania *
Algeria
Angola
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Belgium
Benin
Bhutan
Botswana
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China 1 2
Colombia
Comoros
Congo *
Congo, Democratic Republic of the *
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba
Czechoslovakia 3
Denmark
Djibouti *
Ecuador
Egypt
Estonia
Ethiopia 4
Finland
France 1
Gabon
Georgia

NOTES
1 Adhered to obligations formulated in article 11, paragraph 1, of convention.
2 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
3 Under an understanding.
4 Replaced by convention of September 10, 1919 (46 Stat. 2199; TS 779), as between contracting parties to the later convention.
5 Party to convention of September 10, 1919.
6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Convention revising the duties imposed by the Brussels convention of June 8, 1899 on spirituous liquors imported into certain regions of Africa.

Signed at Brussels November 3, 1906.
Entered into force December 2, 1907.
35 Stat. 1912; TS 467; 1 Bevans 551.

Parties
Belgium 2
Denmark
France 2
Germany 2
Iran
Italy 2
Netherlands
Norway
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United Kingdom 2
United States 2

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2 Party to convention of September 10, 1919.
3 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Convention relating to the liquor traffic in Africa.
Entered into force July 31, 1920; for the United States March 22, 1929.
46 Stat. 2199; TS 779; 2 Bevans 255; 8 LNTS 11.

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**Notes:**
1. With reservation.
2. Extended to Norfolk Island.
3. Applicable to Macao. See note under China in Section 1.
4. Not applicable to Faroe Islands and Greenland.
5. See note under Ethiopia in Section 1.
7. With declaration.
8. See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
10. Extended to Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, and Jersey.
11. Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.
12. See note under Yemen in Section 1.
13. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

**North American Plant Protection Agreement:**
- **Signed at Yosemite October 13, 1976.**
- **Entered into force October 13, 1976.**
- **28 UST 6223; TIAS 8680.**

**Parties:**
- Canada
- Mexico
- United States

**Cooperative Agreement Supplementary to the North American Plant Protection Agreement of October 13, 1976.**
- **Signed at Alexandria October 20, 1991.**
- **Entered into force October 20, 1991.**
- **TIAS.**

**Parties:**
- Canada
- Mexico
- United States

**Convention on the Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture.**
- **Done at Washington March 6, 1979.**
- **Entered into force December 8, 1980.**
- **32 UST 3779; TIAS 9919.**

**Depositary:** [Organization of American States](http://www.oas.org/juridico/english/Sigs/c-17.html)

**Parties:**
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Bahamas
- Barbados
- Belize
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Chile
- Uruguay
- Venezuela
- Vietnam
- Western Samoa
- Yemen
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia

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AIRCRAFT

(See AVIATION; TRADE AND COMMERCE)

ALIENS

Convention between the American Republics regarding the status of aliens in their respective territories.

Signed at Habana February 20, 1928. Entered into force August 29, 1929; for the United States May 21, 1930.

46 Stat. 2753; TS 815; 3 Bevans 710; 132 LNTS 301.

Depositary: Organization of American States

Status: http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratiifications_subject.htm

Parties

Argentina
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Guatemala
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Jamaica
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
Saint Lucia
Suriname
Trinidad and Tobago
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

NOTE

1 Replaces as between contracting parties the convention on the Inter-American Institute of Agricultural Sciences of January 15, 1944 (58 Stat. 1169; TS 987; 3 Bevans 881; 161 UNTS 281). Cuba is a party to the 1944 convention only.

ANTARCTICA

Antarctic treaty.


12 UST 794; TIAS 4780; 402 UNTS 71.

Depositary: United States

Status: http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/81421.pdf

Parties

Argentina
Australia
Austria
Belgium
Brazil
Bulgaria
Canada
Chile
China
Colombia
Cuba
Czech Republic
Denmark
Ecuador
Estonia
Finland
France
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Guatemala
Hungary
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Italy
Japan
Korea, Democratic People's Republic of
Korea, Republic of
Netherlands
New Zealand
Norway
Papua New Guinea
Peru
Poland
Romania
Russian Federation
Slovak Republic
South Africa
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Turkey
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

Measures approved under article IX:

Canberra July 24, 1961 (13 UST 1349; TIAS 5094).


Brussels June 2-13, 1964 (17 UST 991; 34 UST 2223; TIAS 6058 and 10485).

Santiago November 18, 1966 (20 UST 614; TIAS 6668).


Tokyo October 30, 1970 (25 UST 266; TIAS 7796).


Oslo June 20, 1975 (34 UST 2227; TIAS 10486).

London October 7, 1977 (35 UST 1393; TIAS 10735).


Bonn October 18, 1991.

NOTES

1 Consultative members under article IX of the Treaty.

2 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

See note under CHINA in Section 1.

3 With statement.

4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Protocol on environmental protection to the Antarctic treaty, with schedule and annexes.


TIAS

Depositary: United States

Status: http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#ANTARCTICA

Parties

Argentina
Australia
Austria
Belgium
Brazil
Bulgaria
Canada
Chile
China
Czech Republic
Denmark
Ecuador
Estonia
Finland
France
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Guatemala
Hungary
India
Italy
Japan
Korea, Democratic People's Republic of
Korea, Republic of
Netherlands
New Zealand
Norway
Papua New Guinea
Peru
Poland
Romania
Russian Federation
Slovak Republic
South Africa
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Turkey
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

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ANZUS PACT

(See Security Treaty under DEFENSE)

Convention on the recognition and enforcement of foreign arbitral awards.

Done at New York June 10, 1958.

21 UST 2517; TIAS 6997; 330 UNTS 3.

Depositary: United Nations


Parties

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria 1 2
Antigua and Barbuda 1 2
Argentina 1 2
Armenia 1 2
Australia 3
Austria
Bahamas
Barbados 1 2
Belgium 1 4
Benin
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina 1 2 4
Botswana 1 2
Brazil
Brunie
Bulgaria 1 4
Burkina Faso
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada 2
Central African Republic 1 2
Chile
China 1 2 5
Colombia
Costa Rica
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Croatia
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Cyprus 1 2
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Guinea
Haiti 1 2
Holy See
Honduras
Hungary 1 2
Iceland
India 1 2
Indonesia 1 2
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Italy
Jamaica
Japan 1
Jordan 7
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Kenya 1
Korea 1 2
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Kyrgyz Republic
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon 1
Lesotho
Liberia
Lithuania
Luxembourg 1
Macedonia
Madagascar 1 2
Malaysia 1 2
Mali
Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
Monaco 1 2
Mongolia 1 2
Montenegro
Morocco 1
Mozambique 4
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Netherlands 1 2
New Zealand 1 11
Nicaragua
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Norway 1 9
Oman
Pakistan
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines 1 2
Poland 1 2
Portugal 5
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Romania 1 2 4
Russian Federation
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
San Marino
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
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Singapore 1
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sweden
Switzerland 1
Syrian Arab Republic
Tanzania 1
Thailand
Trinidad and Tobago 1 2
Tunisia 1 2
Turkey 1 2
Uganda
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Union of Soviet Socialist Republics 4 12
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom 1 13
United States 1 2 14
Uruguay
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Venezuela
Vietnam 1 2 4
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Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES
1 With declaration that it will apply the convention to the recognition and enforcement of awards made only in the territory of another contracting state.
2 With declaration that it will apply the convention only to differences arising out of legal relationships, whether contractual or not, which are considered as commercial under its national law.
3 Extended to all the external territories for the international relations of which Australia is responsible.
4 With declaration.
5 Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
6 Extended to Fasou Islands and Greenland.
7 Extended to all French territories.
8 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
9 With reservation.
10 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
11 Not extended to Cook Islands and Niue.
12 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
13 Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, Cayman Islands, Gibraltar, Guernsey, and the Isle of Man.
14 Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.
15 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Inter-American convention on international commercial arbitration.

Done at Panama January 30, 1975.

TIAS

Depositary: Organization of American States

Status: http://www.oas.org/juridico/english/Sigs/b-35.html
ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS

Agreement concerning an armistice with Romania, with annex and protocol.
Signed at Moscow September 12, 1944. Entered into force September 12, 1944.
59 Stat. 1712; EAS 490; 3 Bevans 901.

Parties
Argentina
Bolivia
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Peru
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

NOTE
1 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Armistice agreement with Bulgaria, with protocol.
58 Stat. 1498; EAS 437; 3 Bevans 909; 123 UNTS 223.

Parties
Bulgaria
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Armistice agreement with Hungary, with annex and protocol.
59 Stat. 1321; EAS 456; 3 Bevans 995; 140 UNTS 397.

Parties
Hungary
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

ARMS CONTROL

(See BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS; ENVIRONMENTAL MODIFICATION; GAS WARFARE; NUCLEAR FREE ZONE, WEAPONS. See under SEABEDS; SPACE)

ARMS LIMITATION

Agreement regarding inspections relating to the treaty of December 8, 1987 between the United States and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on the elimination of their intermediate-range and shorter-range missiles, with annex.
TIAS, 1658 UNTS 363.

Parties
Belgium
Germany, Federal Republic of
Italy
United Kingdom
United States

NOTES
1 Provisional application.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Treaty on conventional armed forces in Europe, with protocols and annexes.

Parties
Armenia
Azerbaijan
Belarus
Belgium
Canada
Czechoslovakia
Denmark
France
Georgia
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
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United States

NOTES
1 For Treaty, see ARMS LIMITATION under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

ARTISTIC EXHIBITIONS

(See CULTURAL RELATIONS)

ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

(See under FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS)

ASTRONAUTS

Agreement on the rescue of astronauts, the return of astronauts, and the return of objects launched into outer space.
19 UST 7570; TIAS 6599; 672 UNTS 119.

Parties
Antigua and Barbuda

Depositary: United States
ATLANTIC CHARTER

Joint Declaration, known as the Atlantic Charter, by the President of the United States and the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom, made on August 14, 1941.

55 Stat. 1600; EAS 236; 3 Bevans 686.

States which have signified their acceptance of the purposes and principles embodied in the Charter

Australia
Belgium
Bolivia
Brazil
Canada
Chile
China ¹
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Czechoslovakia ²
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
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El Salvador

ARGENTINA
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BELGIUM
BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA
BOTSWANA
BRAZIL
BRUNEI ¹
BULGARIA
CAMEROON
CANADA
CHILE
CHINA ² ³
CUBA
CYPRUS
CZECH REPUBLIC
DENMARK
DOMINICA ¹
ECUADOR
EGYPT
EL SALVADOR
EUROPEAN SPACE AGENCY ⁴
FIJI
FINLAND
FRANCE
GABON
GAMBIA, THE
GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC ⁵
GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF ⁵
GREECE ¹
GRENADA ¹
GUINEA-BISSAU
GUAYANA
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MONGOLIA
MOROCCO
NEPAL
NETHERLANDS ⁶
NEW ZEALAND
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NORWAY
PAKISTAN
PAPUA NEW GUINEA
PERU
POLAND
PORTUGAL
ROMANIA
RUSSIAN FEDERATION
ST. KITTS AND NEVIS ¹
ST. LUCIA ¹

ATOMIC ENERGY

Agreed declaration on atomic energy by the President of the United States, the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom, and the Prime Minister of Canada.

Signed at Washington November 15, 1945.
Entered into force November 15, 1945.
60 Stat. 1479; TIAS 1504; 3 Bevans 1304; 3 UNTS 123.

Agreement as to disposition of rights in atomic energy inventions.

Signed at Washington September 24, 1956.
Entered into force September 24, 1956.
7 UST 2526; TIAS 3644; 253 UNTS 171.

PARTIES

Canada
United Kingdom
United States

NOTES

1 Pre-1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.
2 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
3 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
4 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

¹ Pre-1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.
² See note under CHINA in Section 1.
³ See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
⁴ See note under CHINA in Section 1.
⁵ See note under CHINA in Section 1.
⁶ See note under CHINA in Section 1.
⁷ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
⁸ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
Statute of the International Atomic Energy Agency.

**Done at New York October 26, 1956.**

**Entered into force July 29, 1957.**

8 UST 1093; TIAS 3873; 276 UNTS 3.


For authoritative status information on this agreement, visit [http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm).

Agreements for which the U.S. is depositary may be found at [http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm).

**Parties**

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Marshall Islands  
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Russian Federation  
Saudi Arabia  
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Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Republic  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Republic  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vatican City  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Republic of  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

**Amendments**

October 4, 1961 (14 UST 135; TIAS 5284; 471 UNTS 334).


September 27, 1984.

**NOTES**

1 With reservation.

2 Applicable to Hong Kong.

3 See note under CHINA in Section 1.

4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

5 Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.

6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

7 With an interpretation and understanding.

8 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.

9 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Trilateral agreements signed at Vienna between the International Atomic Energy Agency, the United States, and other countries for the application of safeguards by the International Atomic Energy Agency to equipment, devices and materials supplied under the bilateral agreements for cooperation concerning civil uses of atomic energy between the United States and the following countries:

Argentina  
China (Taiwan)  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Czech Republic  
Dominican Republic  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Ethiopia  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Georgia  
German Democratic Republic  
Germany, Federal Republic of  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Republic of  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Republic  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
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Mozambique  
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Niger  
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Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Paraguay  
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Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Serbia  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Republic  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Republic  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
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Vatican City  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Republic of  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

Ireland March 4, 1969; entered into force August 20, 1969. 20 UST 2748; TIAS 6741; 694 UNTS 163.

Israel April 4, 1975; entered into force April 4, 1975. 26 UST 483; TIAS 8051

Extension: April 7, 1977 (28 UST 2397; TIAS 8554).


South Africa June 27, 1967; entered into force July 26, 1967. 18 UST 1643; TIAS 6306.

Amendment: June 20, 1974 (25 UST 1175; TIAS 7848).

Spain December 9, 1966; entered into force December 9, 1966. 17 UST 2351; TIAS 6182; 589 UNTS 55. Amendment: June 28, 1974 (25 UST 1261; TIAS 7856).

Sweden March 1, 1972; entered into force March 1, 1972. 23 UST 195; TIAS 7295.


Venezuela March 27, 1968; entered into force March 27, 1968. 19 UST 4385; TIAS 6433; 650 UNTS 195.

Extension: February 18, 1981 (33 UST 1106; TIAS 10096).

NOTES
1 Suspended by agreement signed September 21, 1971.
2 See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
3 Suspended by agreement signed June 19, 1973.
4 Suspended by agreement signed February 21, 1973.
5 Suspended by agreement signed September 23, 1980.
6 Suspended by agreement signed April 14, 1975.
7 Suspended by agreement signed January 15, 1985.
8 Suspended by agreement signed September 27, 1983.

Trilateral agreements signed at Vienna between the International Atomic Energy Agency, the United States, and other countries for the application of safeguards pursuant to the non-proliferation treaty of July 1, 1968 (21 UST 483; TIAS 6839; 729 UNTS 161) have been concluded with the following countries:

Australia July 10, 1974; entered into force July 10, 1974. 25 UST 1325; TIAS 7865.

Austria * September 21, 1971; entered into force July 23, 1972. 23 UST 1308; TIAS 7409.

Denmark March 1, 1972; entered into force March 1, 1972. 23 UST 167; TIAS 7289; 873 UNTS 155.

Greece March 1, 1972; entered into force March 1, 1972. 23 UST 169; TIAS 7290.


Portugal September 23, 1980; entered into force September 23, 1980. 1 32 UST 3311; TIAS 8999; 1266 UNTS 382.

Sweden * April 14, 1975; entered into force May 6, 1975. 26 UST 478; TIAS 8049.

Switzerland * September 23, 1980; entered into force September 23, 1980. 32 UST 3317; TIAS 9900.

Thailand June 27, 1974; entered into force June 27, 1974. 23 UST 1178; TIAS 7849.


Venezuela September 27, 1983; entered into force September 27, 1983. 1 2 35 UST 2329; TIAS 10793.

NOTES
* For suspension of previous agreements on safeguards, see entry above.
1 Also pursuant to the United States–IAEA agreement of November 18, 1977 for the application of safeguards in the United States (32 UST 3059; TIAS 9889).
2 Also pursuant to the treaty for the prohibition of nuclear weapons in Latin America (22 UST 762; TIAS 7137).

Agreements between the International Atomic Energy Agency, the United States, and other countries for the supply of nuclear material or equipment have been concluded with the following countries:

Argentina–Peru Vienna, May 9, 1976; entered into force May 9, 1978, with an exchange of notes signed at Buenos Aires and Washington March 31, April 7, May 10 and 22, 1978. 30 UST 1539; TIAS 9263; 1161 UNTS 305.


Indonesia New Delhi, December 7, 1979; entered into force December 7, 1979. 32 UST 361; TIAS 9705.


Mexico Vienna, December 18, 1963; entered into force December 18, 1963. 32 UST 3607; TIAS 9906; 490 UNTS 383.

Mexico City, October 4, 1972; entered into force October 4, 1972. 32 UST 3618; TIAS 9906; 874 UNTS 135.

Vienna, February 12, 1974; entered into force February 12, 1974. TIAS 10705.

Vienna, June 14, 1974; entered into force June 14, 1974. TIAS 10705.

Vienna, March 6, 1980; entered into force March 6, 1980. 32 UST 3628; TIAS 9906; 1267 UNTS 51.

Morocco Vienna, December 2, 1983; entered into force December 2, 1983. 35 UST 3531; TIAS 10866.

Thailand Vienna, September 30, 1986; entered into force September 30, 1986. TIAS.

Yugoslavia * Vienna, June 14, 1974; entered into force June 14, 1974. 32 UST 773; TIAS 9728.

Vienna, January 16, 1980; entered into force July 14, 1980. 32 UST 1228; TIAS 9767; 1266 UNTS 364.

Belgrade and Vienna, February 26, 1980; entered into force February 26, 1980. 32 UST 773; TIAS 9728.

Vienna, December 14, 15 and 20, 1982; entered into force December 20, 1982. TIAS 10621.


NOTES
1 Similar supply agreements, which have not been printed in the United States treaty series but are on file in the Office of Treaty Affairs, were concluded during the 1960’s and early 1970’s with the following countries:
Agreement concerning a joint project for planning, design, experiment preparation, performance and reporting of reactor safety experiments concerning containment response, with appendices

Dated January 24, 1975.
Entered into force for the United States February 20, 1975.
28 UST 629; TIAS 8479.

**Parties**
- Denmark
- Finland
- France
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Japan
- Norway
- Sweden
- United States

**NOTES**
1. For the original bilateral agreement, see 29 UST 3983; TIAS 9046.
2. Subject to approval of funds.

Agreement concerning a joint project for planning, design, experiment preparation, performance and reporting of reactor safety experiments concerning critical flow, with appendices

Dated April 14, 1977.
Entered into force June 17, 1977.
30 UST 129; TIAS 9184.

**Parties**
- Denmark
- Finland
- France
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Japan
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Sweden
- United States

Agreement amending the agreement of February 11, 1977, between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany in the field of gas-cooled reactor concepts and technology.¹

Done at Bonn September 30, 1977.
29 UST 4039; TIAS 9047; 1178 UNTS 198.

**Parties**
- France
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Switzerland
- United States

**Extension**
January 20 and April 7, 1987.

**NOTES**
1. For the original bilateral agreement, see 29 UST 3983; TIAS 9046.
2. Subject to approval of funds.

Agreement concerning cooperation in the engineering design activities for the International Thermonuclear Experimental Reactor.

TIAS

**Parties**
- European Atomic Energy Community
- Japan
- Russian Federation
- United States

Agreement regarding the establishment, construction and operation of a uranium enrichment installation in the United States, with annex and agreed minute.
Entered into force February 1, 1995.
TIAS

**Parties**
- Germany
- Netherlands
- United Kingdom
- United States

Agreement on the establishment of the Korean Peninsula Energy Development Organization.
Done at New York March 9, 1995.
Entered into force March 9, 1995.
TIAS

**Parties**
- European Atomic Energy Community
- Japan
- Korea
- United States

**Amendment**
September 19, 1997 (2035 UNTS 280).

Agreement on cooperation among the original members of the Korean Peninsula Energy Development Organization.
TIAS; 2032 UNTS 235.

**Parties**
- Japan
- Korea
- United States

Agreement concerning cooperation on the application of non-proliferation assurances to low enriched uranium transferred to the United States for fabrication into fuel and retransfer to Taiwan, with annex and related side letter. Exchanges of notes at Washington July 21, 1999.
Entered into force May 1, 2000.
TIAS

**Parties**
- Germany
- Netherlands
- United Kingdom
- United States
Framework agreement for international collaboration on research and development of generation IV nuclear energy systems.

**TIAS**

**Parties**
Canada
France
Japan
United Kingdom
United States

Arrangement on provisional application of the agreement on the establishment of the ITER International Fusion Energy Organization for the Joint Implementation of the ITER project.

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** International Atomic Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/iterestablish_status.pdf](http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/iterestablish_status.pdf)

**Parties**
China
EURATOM
India
Japan
Korea
Russian Federation
United States

**AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC**

Convention on the regulation of inter-American automotive traffic, with annex.
Entered into force July 25, 1944; for the United States October 29, 1946.

61 Stat. 1129; TIAS 1567; 3 Bevans 865.

**Depositary:** Organization of American States

**Status:** [http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratiifications_subject.htm](http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratiifications_subject.htm)

**Parties**
Argentina
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala
Haiti
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

**NOTES**
1 Replaced by convention of September 19, 1949 on road traffic (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487), as between contracting parties to the later convention.
2 Party to convention of September 19, 1949.
3 With reservation.
4 With an understanding and reservation.

**Convention on road traffic, with annexes and protocol.**

*Done at Geneva September 19, 1949.*

**Entered into force March 26, 1952.**

3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22.

**Depositary:** United Nations


**Parties**
...
AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC

Philippines

Poland

Portugal

Romania

Russian Federation

Rwanda

St. Lucia

St. Vincent and the Grenadines

San Marino

Senegal

Serbia

Seychelles

Sierra Leone

Singapore

South Africa

Spain

Sri Lanka

Suriname

Swaziland

Sweden

Syrian Arab Republic

Tanzania

Thailand

Togo

Trinidad and Tobago

Tunisia

Turkey

Uganda

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

United Kingdom

United States

Vatican City

Venezuela


Western Samoa

Yugoslavia

Zambia

Zimbabwe

NOTES

1 With reservation(s).

2 Excluding annexes 1 and 2.

3 Excluding annex 1.

4 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

5 With a statement.

6 See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.

7 Applicable to all overseas territories.

8 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

9 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

10 Applicable to all territories.

11 Applicable to Namibia.

12 Applicable to African localities and provinces.

13 Excluding annex 2.

14 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

15 Applicable to Cayman Islands, Gibraltar, Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, States of Jersey.

16 Applicable to all territories for the international relations of which the U.S. is responsible.

17 According to Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General: Status as at 31 December 1983: "The Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam and the Republic of South Viet-Nam (the latter of which replaced the Republic of Viet-Nam) united on 2 July 1976 to constitute a new State, the Socialist Republic of Viet-Nam (Viet Nam)...

"At the time of preparing this publication no indication had been received from the Government of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam regarding its position with respect to a possible succession."


18 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention concerning customs facilities for touring.

Done at New York June 4, 1954.

Entered into force September 11, 1957.

8 UST 1293; TIAS 3879; 276 UNTS 230.

Depositary: United Nations


Parties

Algeria

Antigua and Barbuda

Argentina

Australia

Austria

Barbados

Belgium

Belize

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Brunei

Bulgaria

Cambodia

Canada

Central African Republic

Chile

Costa Rica

Croatia

Cuba

Cyprus

Denmark

Dominica

Ecuador

Egypt

El Salvador

Fiji

Finland

France

Gambia, The

Germany, Federal Republic of

Ghana

Greece

Grenada

Guyana

Haiti

Hong Kong

Hungary

India

Iran

Ireland

Israel

Italy

Jamaica

Japan

Jordan

Lebanon

Liberia

Lithuania

Luxembourg

Macao

Malaysia

Malta

Mauritius

Mexico

Montenegro

Morocco

Nepal

Netherlands

New Zealand

Nigeria

Norway

Peru

Philippines

Poland

Portugal

Romania

Russian Federation

Rwanda

St. Kitts and Nevis

St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Senegal

Sierra Leone

Slovenia

Solomon Islands

Spain

Sri Lanka

Suriname

Sweden

Switzerland

Syrian Arab Republic

Tanzania

Tonga

Trinidad and Tobago

Tunisia

Turkey

Uganda

United Kingdom

United States

Uruguay

Viet-Nam, Rep.

Amendment

June 6, 1967 (19 UST 4684; TIAS 6461; 596 UNTS 542).

NOTES

1 With reservation.

2 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

4 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

6 Extended to Cook Islands, including Niue.

7 Extended to overseas provinces.

8 Applicable to Liechtenstein.

9 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

10 Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, and St. Helena.

11 Extended to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

12 See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 13008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).

13 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
Customs convention on the temporary importation of private road vehicles.

*Done at New York June 4, 1954.*
*Entered into force December 15, 1957.*

8 UST 2097; TIAS 3943; 282 UNTS 249.

**Depository:** United Nations

**Status:**

**Parties**
- Albania
- Algeria
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Australia
- Austria
- Barbados
- Belgium
- Belize
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Central African Republic
- Chile
- Costa Rica
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Denmark
- Dominica
- Ecuador
- Egypt
- El Salvador
- European Community
- Fiji
- Finland
- France
- Gambia, The
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Ghana
- Grenada
- Guyana
- Haiti
- Hong Kong
- Hungary
- India
- Iran
- Ireland
- Israel
- Italy
- Jamaica
- Japan
- Jordan
- Liberia
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Macedonia
- Malaysia
- Mali
- Malta
- Mauritius
- Mexico
- Montenegro
- Morocco
- Nepal
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Nigeria
- Norway
- Peru
- Philippines
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- Rwanda
- St. Kitts and Nevis
- St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Saudi Arabia
- Senegal
- Serbia
- Seychelles
- Sierra Leone
- Singapore
- Slovenia
- Solomon Islands
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sudan
- Suriname
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Syrian Arab Republic
- Tanzania
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Uganda
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Viet-Nam, Republic of
- Yugoslavia

**Amendment**

July 2, 1984 (TIAS 11936).

**NOTES**

1 With reservation.
2 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.
5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6 Extended to Cook Islands, including Niue.
7 Applicable to all Portuguese territories.
8 Applicable to Liechtenstein.
9 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
10 Extended to Anguilla, British Virgin Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, and St. Helena.
11 Extended to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.
12 See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).
13 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Agreement concerning the establishing of global technical regulations for wheeled vehicles, equipment and parts which can be fitted and/or be used on wheeled vehicles.

*Done at Geneva June 25, 1998.*
*Entered into force August 25, 2000.*

**Depository:** United Nations

**Status:**

**Parties**
- Azerbaijan
- Canada
- China
- Cyprus
- European Community
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Hungary
- India
- Italy
- Japan
- Korea
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Malaysia
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Norway
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sweden
- Turkey
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**

1 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
2 With declaration(s).
3 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles.

Convention for the unification of certain rules relating to international transportation by air, with additional protocol

*Concluded at Warsaw October 12, 1929.*
*Entered into force February 13, 1933; for the United States October 29, 1934.*

49 Stat. 3000; TS 876; 2 Bevans 983; 137 LNTS 11.

**Depository:** Poland

**Status:**
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**Parties**
- Afghanistan
- Algeria
- Angola
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Bahamas, The
- Bahrain
- Bangladesh
- Barbados
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Benin
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- British Indian Ocean Territory
- Bulgaria
- Burkina Faso
- Burundi
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Cape Verde
- Central African Republic
- Chad
- China
- Cocos Islands
- Colombia
- Comoros
- Congo
- Congo, Republic of
- Costa Rica
- Cote d'Ivoire
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Djibouti
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- Egypt
- El Salvador
- Equatorial Guinea
- Eritrea
- Estonia
- Ethiopia
- Falkland Islands
- Fiji
- Finland
- France
- French Guiana
- French Polynesia
- Gabon
- Gambia
- Georgia
- Germany
- Ghana
- Greece
- Grenada
- Guadeloupe
- Guatemala
- Guinea
- Guinea-Bissau
- Guyana
- Haiti
- Honduras
- Hong Kong
- Hungary
- Iceland
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran
- Iraq
- Ireland
- Israel
- Italy
- Jamaica
- Japan
- Jordan
- Kazakhstan
- Kenya
- Kiribati
- Korea, Democratic People's Republic of
- Korea, Republic of
- Kuwait
- Kyrgyzstan
- Laos
- Latvia
- Lebanon
- Lesotho
- Liberia
- Libya
- Liechtenstein
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Madagascar
- Malawi
- Malaysia
- Maldives
- Mali
- Malta
- Marshall Islands
- Martinique
- Mauritania
- Mauritius
- Mexico
- Micronesia, Federated States of
- Moldova
- Monaco
- Mongolia
- Montenegro
- Morocco
- Mozambique
- Namibia
- Nauru
- Nepal
- Netherlands
- New Caledonia
- New Zealand
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- Niger
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- Pakistan
- Palau
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- Papua New Guinea
- Paraguay
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- Philippines
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- Portugal
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- Romania
- Russian Federation
- Rwanda
- Saint Kitts and Nevis
- Saint Lucia
- Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
- Samoa
- San Marino
- Saudi Arabia
- Senegal
- Serbia
- Seychelles
- Sierra Leone
- Singapore
- Slovakia
- Slovenia
- Solomon Islands
- Somalia
- South Africa
- South Sudan
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sudan
- Suriname
- Swaziland
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Syrian Arab Republic
- Tajikistan
- Tanzania
- Thailand
- Timor-Leste
- Togo
- Tokelau
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Turkmenistan
- Tuvalu
- Ukraine
- Uganda
- United Arab Emirates
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Uzbekistan
- Vanuatu
- Venezuela
- Viet-Nam
- Virgin Islands, U.S.
- Wallis and Futuna
- Yemen
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe
Protocol to amend the Convention for the
unification of certain rules relating to
international carriage by air signed at
Warsaw on October 12, 1929.

Done at The Hague September 28, 1955.
Entered into force August 1, 1963;

TIAS
Depositary: Poland
Status: http://msz.gov.pl/apps/apps/?portlet=bpt/searchDepositories

Parties
Afghanistan
Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Belarus
Belgium
Benin
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Bulgaria
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Chile
China
Colombia
Congo
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
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Fiji
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Greece
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Madagascar
Malawi
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Maldives
Mali
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Mauritania

NOTES
1 Extended to Norfolk Island.
2 With reservation.
3 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
4 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
Montreal Protocol No. 4 to amend the Convention for the unification of certain rules relating to international carriage by air, signed at Warsaw on October 12, 1929, as amended by the Protocol, done at The Hague on September 28, 1955.

Done at Montreal September 25, 1975.


NOTES
1 With reservation(s).
2 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

International air services transit agreement.1

Signed at Chicago, December 7, 1944;2 entered into force January 30, 1945; for the United States February 8, 1945.

59 Stat. 1693; EAS 487; 3 Bevans 916; 84 UNTS 389.

Depositary: United States

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
 Algeria
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belgium
Benin
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brunei
Bulgaria

Austria

NOTES
1 With declaration.
2 With reservation in respect of Article XXI, paragraph 1(a).
3 Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe and the Netherlands Antilles.
4 Extended to Tokelau.
5 With reservation in respect of Article XXI, paragraph 1(b).
6 Extended to the Bailiwick of Jersey; the Bailiwick of Guernsey; the Isle of Man; Anguilla; Bermuda; British Antarctic Territory; British Indian Ocean Territory; British Virgin Islands; Cayman Islands; Falkland Islands and dependencies; Gibraltar; Montserrat; Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Islands; Saint Helena and dependencies; Turks and Caicos Islands; and United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in the Island of Cyprus.
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3 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
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**Convention on the international recognition of rights in aircraft.**

*Done at Geneva June 19, 1948.*

*Entered into force September 17, 1953.*

4 UST 1830; TIAS 2847; 310 UNTS 151.

**Depositary:** International Civil Aviation Organization

See [http://www.icao.int/cgi/airlaw.pl](http://www.icao.int/cgi/airlaw.pl)

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- United Nations of Section 1.
- CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
- With reservation.
- See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
### Agreement on the joint financing of certain air navigation services in Iceland.

**Done at Geneva September 25, 1956.**

**Entered into force June 6, 1958.**

9 UST 711; TIAS 4048; 334 UNTS 13.

**Depositary: International Civil Aviation Organization**

[See http://www.icao.int/cgi/airlaw.pl](http://www.icao.int/cgi/airlaw.pl)

### Amendments

- March 27, 1975 (26 UST 1630; TIAS 8122).
- September 27, 1979 (31 UST 5570; TIAS 9673).
- November 3, 1982 (TIAS 11534).

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Convention for the suppression of unlawful seizure of aircraft. (Hijacking)

Done at The Hague December 16, 1970.
Entered into force October 14, 1971.

Depositary: United States

Status:
http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/81122.pdf

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**AVIATION Convention for the suppression of unlawful acts against the safety of civil aviation. (Sabotage)**

*Done at Montreal September 23, 1971.*

*Entered into force January 26, 1973.*

24 UST 564; TIAS 7570.

**Depositary:** United States

**Status:** [http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/81120.pdf](http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/81120.pdf)

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Protocol for the suppression of unlawful acts of violence at airports serving international civil aviation, supplementary to the convention of September 23, 1971.

*Done at Montreal February 24, 1988.*

*Entered into force August 6, 1989; for the United States November 18, 1994.*

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Convention on the marking of plastic explosives for the purpose of detection, with technical annex.

*Done at Montreal March 1, 1991.*

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**Depositary:** International Civil Aviation Organization

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Agreement to ban smoking on international passenger flights.

*Done at Chicago November 1, 1994.*
*Entered into force March 1, 1995.*

**Parties**
- Australia
- Canada
- New Zealand
- United States

Arrangement on the joint financing of a North Atlantic Height Monitoring System.

*Signed at Montreal July 31, August 11, 18 and 23, September 28, October 25 and December 12, 1995.*
*Entered into force December 12, 1995.*

**Parties**
- Canada
- International Civil Aviation Organization
- Iceland
- Ireland
- Portugal
- United Kingdom
- United States

Convention for the unification of certain rules for international carriage by air.

*Done at Montreal May 28, 1999.*
*Entered into force November 4, 2003.*

**TIAS**

**Depository:** International Civil Aviation Organization
**Status:** [http://www.icao.int/cgi/airlaw.pl](http://www.icao.int/cgi/airlaw.pl)

**Parties**
- Albania
- Austria
- Bahrain
- Barbados
- Belgium
- Belize
- Benin
- Botswana
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Cameroon
- Canada 1
- Cape Verde
- China 2
- Colombia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Ecuador
- Estonia
- European Community
- Finland
- France
- Gambia
- Germany
- Greece 1
- Iceland
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan 1
- Jordan
- Kenya
- Kuwait
- Latvia
- Lebanon
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Macedonia
- Malta
- Mexico
- Monaco
- Mongolia
- Namibia
- Netherlands
- New Zealand 1
- Nigeria
- Norway
- Pakistan*
- Panama
- Paraguay
- Peru
- Poland
- Portugal 1
- Qatar
- Romania
- South Africa*
- St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Saudi Arabia
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Syria
- Tanzania
- Tonga
- United Arab Emirates
- United Kingdom
- United States 1
- Vanuatu
- Samoa
- Singapore
- Tonga
- United States

**BILLS OF LADING**

*(See under MARITIME MATTERS)*

**BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS**

Convention on the prohibition of the development, production and stockpiling of bacteriological (biological) and toxin weapons and on their destruction.

*Done at Washington, London and Moscow April 10, 1972.*
*Entered into force March 26, 1975.*

26 UST 583; TIAS 8062; 1015 UNTS 163.

**Depository:** United States
**Status:** [http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/72296.pdf](http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/72296.pdf)

**Parties**
- Afghanistan
- Albania
- Algeria
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria 1
- Azerbaijan
- Bahamas
- Bahrain 1
- Bangladesh
- Barbados
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BRIBERY

Convention on combating bribery of foreign public officials in international business transactions, with annex.

Done at Paris December 17, 1997.

TIAS

Depositary: Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development

Parties

Argentina
Australia
Austria
Belgium
Brazil
Bulgaria
Canada
Chile
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany
Greece
Hungary
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Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States

CAMBODIA

Agreement on a comprehensive political settlement of the Cambodia conflict, with annexes.


TIAS

Agreement concerning the sovereignty, independence, territorial integrity and inviolability, neutrality and national unity of Cambodia.


TIAS
## CHEMICAL WEAPONS

Convention on the prohibition of the development, production, stockpiling and use of chemical weapons and on their destruction, with annexes.

*Done at Paris January 13, 1993.*
*Entered into force April 29, 1997.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**


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*Done at New York January 10, 1994.*
*Entered into force January 10, 1994.*

**TIAS**

**NOTES**

1. With declaration(s).
2. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
CHILD RIGHTS

Optional protocol to the convention on the rights of the child on the involvement of children in armed conflict.


TIAS
Depositary: United Nations

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Mongolia
Montenegro

NOTES
1 With declaration(s).
2 With reservation(s).
3 With understanding(s).

Optional protocol to the convention on the rights of the child on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography.


TIAS
Depositary: United Nations

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United States
Uruguay
Venezuela
Viet Nam
Yemen

NOTES
1 With declaration(s).
2 Applicable to Macau. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3 Does not apply to the Faroe Islands or to Greenland.
4 With reservation(s).
5 For the Kingdom in Europe.
6 With understanding(s).

COFFEE

International coffee agreement 2001, with annex.
Entered into force provisionally October 1, 2001; definitively May 17, 2005; for the United States February 3, 2005.
TIAS Depositary: International Coffee Organization
Status: http://www.ico.org/search2.asp?searchtype=simple&searchtext=treaty

Parties
Angola
Austria
Belgium *
Benin
Bolivia
Brazil
Burundi
Cameroon
Central African Republic
Colombia
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
Cote d'Ivoire
Cuba
Cyprus
Denmark
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
El Salvador
Ethiopia
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Gabon
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Greece
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Guinea
Haiti
Honduras
India
Indonesia
Ireland
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Kenya
Latvia
Luxembourg *
Madagascar
Malawi
Mexico

CLAIMS

Convention for the arbitration of pecuniary claims.
Signed at Buenos Aires August 11, 1910.
Entered into force January 1, 1913.
38 Stat. 1799; TS 594; 1 Bevans 763.

Parties
Bolivia
Brazil
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Guatemala
Honduras
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
United States
Uruguay

CITIZENSHIP

(See NATIONALITY)

CHINA

(Pre-1949 treaties, applicable only to Taiwan.)

Treaty relating to the principles and policies to be followed in matters concerning China.
Signed at Washington February 6, 1922.
Entered into force August 5, 1925.
44 Stat. 2113; TS 724; 2 Bevans 381; 38 LNTS 268.

Parties
Australia
Belgium
Canada
China
Denmark
France
India
Italy
Japan
Mexico
Netherlands
New Zealand
Norway
Portugal
South Africa
Sweden
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement relating to certain Marechal Joffre claims, with memorandum of understanding.
Signed at Washington October 19, 1948.
Entered into force October 19, 1948.
62 Stat. 2841; TIAS 1816; 4 Bevans 783; 84 UNTS 201.

Parties
Australia
France
United States

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COLLISIONS AT SEA

(See under MARITIME MATTERS)

COMMERCe

(See CUSTOMS; TRADE AND COMMERCE)

COMMODITIES

(See COFFEE; COPPER; FOOD AID; TIMBER; WHEAT; WINE)

COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

(See SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS; TELECOMMUNICATION)

COMPUTER CRIME

Convention on cybercrime.


TIAS

Depositary: Council of Europe
Status:

PARTIES

Albania
Armenia

NOTE

1 With reservation.

CONCILIATION

(See PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES)

CONSERVATION

Convention on nature protection and wildlife preservation in the Western Hemisphere, with annex.

Done at the Pan American Union, Washington, October 12, 1940.

Entered into force April 30, 1942.

56 Stat. 1354; TS 981; 3 Bevans 630;
161 UNTS 193.

Depositary: Organization of American States
Status:
http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_and_agreements.htm

PARTIES

Argentina
Brazil
Chile
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala
Haiti
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
Suriname
Trinidad and Tobago
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

NOTE

1 With reservation.

CONVENTION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN ENDANGERED SPECIES OF WILD FAUNA AND FLORA


Entered into force July 1, 1975.

27 UST 1087; TIAS 8249; 993 UNTS 243.

Depositary: Switzerland
Status:

PARTIES

Afghanistan
Albania
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria
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Bahamas, The
Bangladesh
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NOTES

* Provisional application.

1 Includes Bailiwick of Jersey and St. Helena.

1 With declaration(s).

2 Not applicable to Faroe Islands and Greenland.

3 With declaration(s).

4 With reservation(s).

5 Enters into force for Armenia February 1, 2007.

6 Not applicable to German Democratic Republic.
CONSERVATION

Convention on the conservation of Antarctic marine living resources, with annex for an arbitral tribunal.

Done at Canberra May 20, 1980.
Entered into force April 7, 1982.
33 UST 3476; TIAS 10240.

Depositary: Australia

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1 With declaration.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

CONSERVATION

Convention on wetlands of international importance, especially as waterfowl habitat.

Done at Ramsar February 2, 1971.
TIAS 11084; 996 UNTS 245.

Depositary: UNESCO

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Amendment
June 22, 1979 (TIAS 11079).

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1 With declaration.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

1 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
2 Extended to Greenland and Faroe Islands. However, application as regards the Faroe Islands will only be accomplished at the time the authorities of the Faroe Islands will have enacted the appropriate legislation.
3 Applicable to the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the Bailiwick of Jersey, the Isle of Man, Bermuda, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, Pitcairn, St. Helena and dependencies (Tristan da Cunha, Ascension Island), Cayman Islands.

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- **December 3, 1982 (TIAS 11084).**

**NOTES**

1. Applicable to Hong Kong.

2. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

3. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles.

4. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

5. Applicable to Anguilla, Bailiwick of Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands and dependencies, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn Island, St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Islands.

6. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
CONSERVATION

Convention for the protection of the natural resources and environment of the South Pacific Region, with annex.

Done at Noumea November 24, 1986.

TIAS

Protocol for the prevention of pollution of the South Pacific Region by dumping, with annexes.

Done at Noumea November 24, 1986.

TIAS

Protocol concerning cooperation in combatting pollution emergencies in the South Pacific Region.

Done at Noumea November 24, 1986.

TIAS

CONSERVATION

Convention on consular relations.

Done at Vienna April 24, 1963.

21 UST 77; TIAS 6820; 596 UNTS 261.

Depositary: United Nations

Parties

Albania
Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bangladesh
Barbados 1
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Bulgaria 1
Burkina Faso
Burma 1 2
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Chile
China 3
Colombia
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba 2
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark 1 2
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
East Timor
Ecuador
Egypt 2
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Estonia
Fiji 2
Finland 1 2
France 1
Gabon
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German Democratic Republic 1 4
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Laos
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Pakistan
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Qatar 2
Romania 1
Russian Federation
Rwanda

NOTE

1 With reservation(s).
2 With understanding(s).

CONSULS

Convention relating to the duties, rights, prerogatives, and immunities of consular agents.

Signed at Habana February 20, 1928.
Entered into force September 3, 1929; for the United States February 8, 1932.


Depositary: Organization of American States
See http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm

Parties

Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
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Bahamas, The
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Laos
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Qatar 2
Romania 1
Russian Federation
Rwanda

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CONTAINERS

International convention for safe containers (CSC), with annexes.

Done at Geneva December 2, 1972.
29 UST 1707; TIAS 9037; 1064 UNTS 3.

Depositary: International Maritime Organization
Status: http://www.imo.org/includes/blastData.asp/doc_id=693/status.xls

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Bahamas, The
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Belgium
Benin
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Brazil ²
Bulgaria ³
Canada
Cape Verde
Chile ²
China ³
Croatia
Cuba ³
Cypriot
Czech Republic
Denmark ⁴
Estonia
Finland
France ²
Georgia
German Democratic Republic ¹ ⁵
Germany, Federal Republic of ⁷
Greece
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Guatemala
Honduras
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Kazakhstan
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Latvia
Lebanon
Liberia
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Marshall Islands
Mexico
Montenegro
Morocco
Netherlands
New Zealand ⁶
Nigeria
Norway

NOTES
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4 Not applicable to Greenland and the Faroe Islands.
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10 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

CONTINENTAL SHELF

(See under MARITIME MATTERS)

COPPER

Terms of reference of the International Copper Study Group.

Done at Geneva February 24, 1989.
TIAS

Parties
Argentina *
Belgium
Chile
China
European Economic Community
Finland
France
Germany
Greece

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Copyright on literary and artistic copyrights.  
Signed at Buenos Aires August 11, 1910.  
Entered into force October 31, 1912.  
38 Stat. 1785; TS 593; 1 Bevans 758.

Depositary: [Argentina](http://www.mrecic.gov.ar/)  

**Parties**  
Argentina  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Dominican Republic  
Ecuador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
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United States  
Uruguay

**NOTE**  
1 Replaces the convention of January 27, 1902 (35 Stat. 1934; TS 491; 1 Bevans 339), which remains in force as between the contracting parties and El Salvador.

Universal copyright convention with three protocols annexed thereto.  
Done at Geneva September 6, 1952.  
Entered into force September 16, 1955.  
6 UST 2731; TIAS 3324; 216 UNTS 132.


**Parties**  
Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
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Uruguay  
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Yugoslavia  
Zambia  

**NOTES**  
2 An instrument of ratification deposited by the Spanish Ambassador on behalf of the Bishop of Urgel, Co-Prince of Andorra, does not include Protocol 1. An instrument of ratification deposited by the French Permanent Delegate to UNESCO on behalf of the President of the French Republic, Co-Prince of Andorra, did include Protocol 1.  
3 Not party to Protocol 3.  
4 Not party to Protocol 2.  
5 Not party to Protocol 1.  
6 China is a party to the convention only. However, the convention and the protocols are applicable to Hong Kong. With statement. Also Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.  
7 Extended to Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, and Reunion.  
8 With a statement.  
9 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.  
10 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
11 Extended to Cook Islands (including Niue) and Tokelau Islands.  
12 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.  
13 Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, and St. Helena.  
14 Extended to Guam, Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands.  
15 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
Universal copyright convention, as revised, with two protocols annexed thereto.

Done at Paris July 24, 1971.

25 UST 1341; TIAS 7868.

Depositary: UNESCO
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2. With statement.
3. China is a party to the convention only. However, the convention and the protocols are applicable to Hong Kong. With statement.
4. Also applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
5. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
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3 With understanding(s).
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The Convention on the means of prohibiting and preventing the illicit import, export and transfer of ownership of cultural property.

*Done at Paris November 14, 1970.*

*Entered into force April 24, 1972; for the United States December 2, 1983.*

*TIAS; 823 UNTS 231.*

**Depositary:** UNESCO


**Parties**

Afghanistan

Albania

Algeria

Argentina

Armenia

Australia

Azerbaijan

Bahamas

Bangladesh

Barbados

Belarus

Belize

Bhutan

Bolivia

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Brazzaville

Bulgaria

Burkina Faso

Cambodia

Cameroon

Canada

Central African Republic

China

Colombia

Congo, Democratic Republic of the

Costa Rica

Cote d’Ivoire

Croatia

Cuba

Cyprus

Czech Republic

Denmark

Dominican Republic

Ecuador

Egypt

El Salvador

Estonia

Finland

France

Gabon

Georgia

German Democratic Republic

Greece

Grenada

Guatemala

Guinea

Honduras

Hungary

Iceland

India

Iran

Iraq

Italy

Japan

Jordan

Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of

Korea, Republic of

Kuwait

Kyrgyz Republic

Lebanon

Libya

Lithuania

Libya

Madagascar

Mali

Mauritania

Mauritius

Mexico

Mongolia

Morocco

Nepal

Niger

Nigeria

Oman

Pakistan

Paraguay

Peru

Poland

Portugal

Qatar

Romania

Russian Federation

Rwanda

Saudi Arabia

Senegal

Serbia

Seychelles

Slovak Republic

Slovenia

South Africa

Spain

Sri Lanka

Sweden

Switzerland

Syrian Arab Republic

Tajikistan

Tanzania

Tunisia

Turkey

Ukraine

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

United Kingdom

United States

Uruguay

Uzbekistan

Venezuela

Vietnam

Yugoslavia

Zambia
CULTURAL RELATIONS

Treaty on the protection of artistic and scientific institutions and historic monuments.

Signed at Washington April 15, 1935.
Entered into force August 26, 1935.
49 Stat. 3267; TS 899; 3 Bevans 254; 167 LNTS 279.

Parties
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Republic
El Salvador
Guatemala
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
United States
Venezuela

Convention concerning artistic exhibitions.

Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936.
Entered into force December 7, 1937.
51 Stat. 206; TS 929; 3 Bevans 383; 188 LNTS 151.

Depositary: Organization of American States
See http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm

Parties
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
El Salvador
Guatemala
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Peru
United States
Venezuela

Convention providing for creation of the Inter-American Indian Institute.

Done at Mexico City November 1, 1940.
Entered into force December 13, 1941.
56 Stat. 1303; TS 978; 3 Bevans 661.

Depositary: Mexico
Status: http://www.sre.gob.mx/

Parties
Argentina
Bolivia


61 Stat. 2495; TIAS 1580; 3 Bevans 1311; 4 UNTS 275.

Depositary: UNESCO

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the Cook Islands
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
East Timor
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Estonia
Ethiopia
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia, The
Georgia
Germany
Ghana
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Kiribati
Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of
Korea, Republic of
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Republic
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia
Libya
Lithuania
Luxembourg
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**NOTE**


Agreement on facilitating the international circulation of visual and auditory materials of an educational, scientific and cultural character, with protocol. (Beirut agreement)

**Done at Lake Success July 15, 1949.**
**Entered into force August 12, 1954; for the United States January 12, 1967.**

17 UST 1578; TIAS 6116; 197 UNTS 3.

**Depositary:** United Nations


**Parties**

Afghanistan
Antigua and Barbuda
Austria
Bahamas, The
Barbados
Belgium
Belize
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Cambodia
Camerun
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominica
Egypt
El Salvador
Estonia
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia, The
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guyana
Haiti
Hong Kong
Hungary
Iran
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Kiribati
Kyrgyz Republic
Laos
Latvia
Liberia
Libya

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1 With reservation.

2 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
CULTURAL RELATIONS

Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia
Mauritius
Moldova
Monaco
Montenegro
Morocco
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
San Marino
Serbia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
Spain
Sri Lanka
Suriname
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic
Tanzania
Thailand
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Tuvalu
Uganda
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Vatican City
Venezuela
Viet Nam, Republic of
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES
1 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
2 With a statement.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong. With declaration.
5 With reservation.
6 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
7 Extended to Cook Islands (including Niue) and Tokelau Islands.
8 Extended to Anguilla, Ascension Island, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Channel Islands, Christmas and Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Falkland Islands (Colony and Dependencies), Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, St. Helena, Tristan da Cunha, and Turks and Caicos Islands.
9 See Viet Nam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).
10 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention for the promotion of inter-American cultural relations.
Depositary: Organization of American States
Status: http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm

Parties
Brazil
Costa Rica
Cuba
Ecuador
Eritrea
Paraguay
United States
Venezuela

NOTE
1 Replaces as between contracting parties the convention of December 23, 1936 (51 Stat. 178; TS 928; 3 Bevans 372; 188 LNTS 125). Parties to the 1936 convention not party to the 1954 convention are: Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua and Peru.

Protocol to the agreement on the importation of educational, scientific and cultural materials of November 22, 1950.
Depositary: United Nations

Parties
Australia
Austria
Barbados
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Bulgaria
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Egypt
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece

CUSTOMS

Convention concerning the formation of an International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs, regulations of execution, and final declarations.
Signed at Brussels July 5, 1890. Entered into force April 1, 1891.
26 Stat. 1518; TS 384; 1 Bevans 172.
Depositary: Belgium

Protocol modifying the convention of July 5, 1890 relating to the creation of an International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs.
Depositary: Belgium

Parties
Albania

Compiled from the most accurate official information available

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CUSTOMS

Convention on publicity of customs documents.

Signed at Santiago May 3, 1923.

Entered into force July 10, 1925.

44 Stat. 2547; TS 753; 2 Bevans 420;
33 LNTS 11.

Depositary: Chile

Status: http://www.minrel.gov.cl/webMinRel/home.do?sitio=

Parties

Brazil
Chile
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Republic
El Salvador
Haiti
Paraguay
United States
Uruguay

Convention establishing a Customs Co-
operation Council, with annex and
protocol.

Done at Brussels December 15, 1950.

Entered into force November 4, 1952;
for the United States November 5, 1970.

22 UST 320; TIAS 7063; 157 UNTS 129;
160 UNTS 267.

Depositary: Belgium

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Parties

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Angola
Argentina
Armenia
Australia 1
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Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
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German Democratic Republic
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Philippines
Poland
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Romania
Rwanda
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Slovak Republic
South Africa 1
Spain 1
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic
Tunisia
Turkey

NOTES

1 Not party to Protocol.
2 Pre-1949 convention, applicable only to
Taiwan.
3 Does not recognize that Germany, taken as a
whole, is legally bound by signature affixed
“for Germany”.
4 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in
Section 1.
5 Applicable to all territories.
6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET
SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
7 See Vietnam footnote under
AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25,
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8 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
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### NOTES

1. Pursuant to articles 3(2) and 23 of the A.T.A. carnet convention of December 6, 1961 (TIAS 6631) the United States gave notice on May 19, 1969, effective June 30, 1969, of acceptance of A.T.A. carnets for goods temporarily imported under the 1952 samples convention.

2. See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

3. With reservation.

4. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

5. China is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

6. With declaration.

7. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

8. Extended to Cook Islands (including Niue) and the Tokelau Islands.


10. Extended to Anguilla; British Virgin Islands; Falkland Islands; Gibraltar; Isle of Man; Montserrat; and St. Helena.
11. Extended to all possessions except American Samoa, Guam, Kingman’s Reef, Johnston Island, Midway Island, Virgin Islands, and Wake Island.

12. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Customs convention on containers, with annexes and protocol of signature.*

Done at Geneva May 18, 1956.

Entered into force August 4, 1959;

20 UST 301; TIAS 6634; 338 UNTS 103.

Depository: United Nations


Parties

Algeria 1
Antigua and Barbuda 3
Australia 1
Austria 1
Barbados 1
Belgium 1
Bosnia-Herzegovina 1
Brunei 1
Bulgaria 1
Cambodia 1
Cameroon 1
Canada 1
Canada 1
Croatia 1
Cuba 1
Czech Republic 1
Denmark 1
Dominica 1
Finland 1
France 1
Gambia, The 1
Germany, Federal Republic of 1
Greece 1
Grenada 1
Hungary 1
Ireland 3
Israel 3
Italy 3
Jamaica 3
Japan 3
Kiribati 1
Luxembourg 1
Malawi 1
Mauritius 1
Montenegro 1
Netherlands 1
Norway 1
Papua New Guinea 3
Poland 1
Portugal 1
Romania 1
St. Kitts and Nevis 1
St. Lucia 1
St. Vincent and the Grenadines 1
Slovak Republic 1
Slovenia 1
Solomon Islands 1
Spain 1
Sweden 1
Switzerland 1
Tanzania 1
Trinidad and Tobago 1
Tuvalu 1
United Kingdom 1
United States 1
Yugoslavia 1

NOTES

* Replaced as between the contracting parties by the customs convention on containers of December 2, 1972 (see below).
† Parties to the 1972 convention.
1 With reservation.
2 Extended to Christmas Island, Cocos (Keeling) Island, and Norfolk Island.
3 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
4 Extended to Danish customs area, which does not include Faroe Islands and Greenland.
5 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
6 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
7 Applicable to Principality of Liechtenstein so long as customs union treaty with Switzerland remains in force.
8 Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, Bailliwick of Guernsey, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Jersey, and Montserrat.
9 Extended to the customs territory of the United States [which, at the present time, includes the States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico].
10 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Customs convention on the temporary importation of professional equipment, with annexes.

Done at Brussels June 8, 1961.

Entered into force July 1, 1962;

20 UST 33; TIAS 6630; 473 UNTS 153.

Depository: World Customs Organization

Status: http://www.wcoomd.org/ie/En/Conventions/conventions.html

Parties

Algeria 1
Australia 1
Austria 1
Belgium 3
Bulgaria 3
Central African Republic 1
Croatia 1
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Sri Lanka 1
Sweden 1
Switzerland 1
Thailand 1
Trinidad and Tobago 1
Turkey 1
Uganda 1
United Kingdom 1
United States 1
Yugoslavia 1
Zimbabwe 1

NOTES

1 Extended to Danish customs area, which does not include Faroe Islands and Greenland.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 Not bound by Annex C.
4 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.
5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6 Extended to Principality of Liechtenstein so long as customs union treaty with Switzerland remains in force.
7 Extended to Bailliwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, and Jersey.
8 Extended to the customs territory of the United States [which, at the present time, includes the States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico].
9 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Customs convention on the A.T.A. carnet for temporary admission of goods, with annex.

Done at Brussels December 6, 1961.

Entered into force July 30, 1963;

20 UST 58; TIAS 6631; 473 UNTS 219.

Depository: World Customs Organization

Status: http://www.wcoomd.org/ie/En/Conventions/conventions.html

Parties

Algeria 2
Andorra 2
Australia 2
Austria 2
Belgium 2
Bulgaria 2
Central African Republic 2
Croatia 2
Cuba 2
Czech Republic 2
Denmark 2
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2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 Not bound by Annex C.
4 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.
5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6 Extended to Principality of Liechtenstein so long as customs union treaty with Switzerland remains in force.
7 Extended to Bailliwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, and Jersey.
8 Extended to the customs territory of the United States [which, at the present time, includes the States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico].
9 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
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**Depositary:** World Customs Organization

**Status:** [http://www.wcoomd.org/ie/En/Conventions/conventions.html](http://www.wcoomd.org/ie/En/Conventions/conventions.html)

**Parties**

- Algeria
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Belarus\(^2\)
- Bulgaria
- Burundi
- Canada
- China\(^3\)
- Cuba\(^2\)
- Czech Republic
- Finland
- Georgia
- German Democratic Republic\(^2\)\(^4\)
- Hungary
- Indonesia
- Kazakhstan
- Korea
- Liberia
- Lithuania
- Morocco
- New Zealand\(^5\)
- Poland
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- Senegal
- Serbia
- Singapore
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- South Africa\(^5\)
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sweden
- Switzerland\(^6\)
- Thailand
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- United Kingdom\(^7\)\(^8\)
- United States\(^9\)\(^8\)
- Yugoslavia\(^8\)

**NOTES**

1. Replaces as between contracting parties the convention of May 18, 1956 (20 UST 301; TIAS 6634; 338 UNTS 103).
2. With statement.
3. Applicable to Hong Kong.
   - See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4. Not applicable to Germany, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5. With reservation.
6. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
7. Applicable to Principality of Liechtenstein so long as customs union treaty with Switzerland remains in force.
8. Extended to the customs territory of the United States which at the present time, includes the States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico.
10. Extended to the customs territory of the United States which at the present time, includes the States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico.
11. Extended to the United Kingdom.

\(^1\) Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

\(^2\) Not applicable to Greenland.

\(^3\) Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

\(^4\) See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

\(^5\) See note under CHINA in Section 1.

\(^6\) See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

\(^7\) Not applicable to Cook Islands, Niue, and Tokelau Islands.

\(^8\) With reservation.

\(^9\) See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
United States
Vietnam
Yugoslavia 4
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES
1 The convention has thirty-one annexes, not all of which have entered into force and many of which are in force for only certain parties. The United States is not a party to certain annexes and has made reservations concerning others.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 Extended to the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.
4 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Customs convention on the international transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets, with annexes.1

Done at Geneva November 14, 1975.
TIAS; 1079 UNTS 89.
Depositary: United Nations

Parties
Afghanistan 2
Albania
Algeria 2
Armenia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Belarus
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Bulgaria
Canada
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Amendments to annexes
October 20, 1978.
October 18, 1979.
July 3, 1980.
October 23, 1981.
October 28, 1983.
October 12, 1984.

NOTES
1 Replaces as between parties to the convention the customs convention of January 15, 1959 (20 UST 184; TIAS 6633). Japan is a party to the 1959 convention (with reservations) but not a party to the 1975 convention.
2 With reservation(s).
3 Extended to Faroe Islands.
4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5 For the Kingdom in Europe, Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6 Applicable to Liechtenstein.
7 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
8 Applicable to the Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Gibraltar and the Isle of Man.
9 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

International convention on the harmonized commodity description and coding system.

Done at Brussels June 14, 1983.
TIAS
Depositary: World Customs Organization
Status: http://www.wcoomd.org/ie/En/Conventions/conven tions.html

Parties
Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan

Bahrain
Bangladesh
Belarus
Belgium
Bolivia
Botswana
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
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European Economic Community
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Kenya
Korea
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Libya
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia
Maldives
Mali
Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
Mongolia
Morocco
Namibia
DEFENSE

Constitution on the provisional administration of European colonies and possessions in the Americas.
Signed at Habana July 30, 1940.
Entered into force July 30, 1940.
54 Stat. 2491; EAS 199; 3 Bevans 619.

Parties
Argentina 1
Bolivia
Brazil
Chile 1
Colombia 1
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala
Haiti
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Peru
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

NOTE
1 With reservation.

Agreement for mutual defense assistance in Indochina, with three annexes.
Signed at Saigon December 23, 1950.
Entered into force December 23, 1950.
3 UST 2756; TIAS 2447; 185 UNTS 3.

Parties
Cambodia
France
Laos
United States
Vietnam 1

NOTE
1 See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).

DEFENSE

Inter-American treaty of reciprocal assistance (Rio Treaty).
Done at Rio de Janeiro September 2, 1947.
Entered into force December 3, 1948.
62 Stat. 1681; TIAS 1838; 4 Bevans 559; 21 UNTS 77.

Parties
Argentina
Bahamas, The
Bolivia
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala
Haiti
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Peru
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

NOTE
1 With reservation.

Security treaty (ANZUS Pact).
Signed at San Francisco September 1, 1951.
Entered into force April 29, 1952.
3 UST 3420; TIAS 2493; 131 UNTS 83.

Parties
Australia
New Zealand
United States

NOTE
1 As of September 17, 1986, the United States suspended obligations under the treaty as between the United States and New Zealand.

Southeast Asia collective defense treaty, with protocol (SEATO).
Signed at Manila September 8, 1954.
Entered into force February 19, 1955.
6 UST 81; TIAS 3170; 209 UNTS 28.

Parties
Australia
France
New Zealand
Philippines
Thailand
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 By decision of the SEATO Council of September 24, 1975, the Organization ceased to exist as of June 30, 1977. The collective defense treaty remains in force.
2 With an understanding.

The Pacific Charter.
Signed at Manila September 8, 1954.
Entered into force September 8, 1954.
6 UST 91; TIAS 3171; 209 UNTS 23.
Memorandum of understanding concerning the four power air senior national representative cooperative long term technology projects.

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Memorandum of understanding concerning a cooperative program for full integration of a radar in the AV-8B weapon system and the production and life cycle support of a radar equipped AV-8B (AV-8B Harrier II Plus), with annexes.

Amendments
June 13, August 23 and December 3, 1985 and June 5, 1986.
June 14, July 5, October 9 and December 3, 1991 and February 5, 1992.

Memorandum of understanding for exchanges of information regarding third-generation anti-tank guided missiles.

Amendment

Memorandum of understanding on cooperative research, development and demonstration of internetworking technologies to improve communications systems network interoperability, with annex.

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
Memorandum of understanding for the development of synthetic aperture radar application to support coastal warfare and surface shipwreck detection and characterization, with annexes.  
TIAS 12700.

Amendments
October 15, 2005.

Memorandum of understanding for senior national representatives (ARMY) cooperation and exchanges of information, with attachments and an understanding.  
Entered into force January 9, 1996.  
TIAS 12717.

Amendment
September 19, 2002.

Memorandum of understanding concerning multilateral exchange of research and development information, with appendix.  
Signed at Washington, Ottawa, London and Canberra October 20, November 15 and December 1, 1995 and January 30 and February 12, 1996.  
Entered into force February 12, 1996.  
TIAS 12723.

Adopted at Vienna May 31, 1996.  
TIAS

Depositary: Netherlands  
Status:  
http://www.minbuza.nl/verdragen/en/dopostale_m  nihilates

Memorandum of understanding concerning multilateral exchange of military information, with appendix.  
Entered into force April 18, 1997.  
TIAS

Parties
Norway  
United Kingdom  
United States

Amendments and extension  
March 19, 24 and 26, 1999.  
April 28, June 7 and July 13, 2004.

Supplement number four of the memorandum of understanding of July 14, 1979 on a cooperative program for a medium multiple launch rocket system, with annexes  
TIAS

Parties
France  
Germany  
Italy  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning trilateral technology research and development projects  
TIAS

Parties
Canada  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the research, development and acquisition of chemical, biological and radiological defense materiel, with appendices.  
Signed at Washington April 6 and 10 and June 1, 2000.  
Entered into force June 1, 2000.  
TIAS

Parties
Canada  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement for the High speed Anti-Radiation Missile (HARM) AGM-88 upgrade, with annexes.  
TIAS

Parties
Germany  
Italy  
United States

Amendment  
August 24 and 25 and September 8, 2006.

Memorandum of understanding concerning the establishment, financing, administration, manning and status of headquarters naval striking and support forces, southern region, with annexes  
Signed June 1, 7, 8, 13, 14, 19, 26 and July 27, 2000.  
TIAS

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Greece  
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**Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation in navigation warfare technology demonstrator and system prototype projects, with annexes.**

*Signed at Washington, Canberra and Bristol May 13 and 31 and July 6, 2001.*

**Entered into force July 6, 2001.**

**Amendment**

*June 2, 20, 22, 27, 28, July 1, August 12 and December 14, 2005.*

**Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation for the establishment and support of the Allied Command Europe Tactical Leadership Programme at Florennes Air Base Belgium, with annexes and appendices.**

*Signed November 15, 16, 22, 27 and December 7, 14 and 21, 2001.*

**Entered into force December 21, 2001.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Belgium, Denmark, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, United Kingdom, United States

**Memorandum of understanding for future air capabilities projects.**

*Signed at Gramat, London and Paris March 26, April 5 and May 3, 2002.*

**Entered into force May 3, 2002.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Canada, France, Germany, United Kingdom, United States

**Amendment**

*October 7 and 27, 2003.*

**Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperative projects for the C-130J, with annexes.**


**Entered into force January 31, 2003.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Australia, Italy, United Kingdom, United States

**Amendment**

*October 14, 25, November 17, 2005, and January 11, 2006.*

**Memorandum of understanding concerning the establishment and support of the allied command Europe tactical leadership programme at Florennes Air Base Belgium.**

*Signed December 1, 2001.*

**Entered into force December 1, 2001.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Belgium, Denmark, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Spain, Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers, Europe, United Kingdom, United States

**Memorandum of understanding concerning the Multilateral Interoperability Program (MIP).**

*Signed September 24, October 13 and 26, 2004, January 6 and 19, and February 3, 2005.*

**Entered into force February 3, 2005.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Canada, France, Germany, United Kingdom, United States

**Memorandum of understanding concerning exchange of electric warship information.**

*Signed at Washington, Paris and Bristol April 7 and May 6, 2004.*

**Entered into force May 6, 2004.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

France, United Kingdom, United States

**Memorandum of understanding for the production of STANDARD missile, with annexes.**

*Signed at Koblenz, The Hague and Washington October 20, 21 and December 3, 2004.*

**Entered into force December 3, 2004.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Germany, Netherlands, United States

**Memorandum of understanding for STANDARD missile upgrades and improvements, with annexes.**

*Signed at Koblenz, The Hague, Ottawa and Washington October 20, 21, November 15 and December 3, 2004.*

**Entered into force December 3, 2004.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Canada, Germany, Netherlands, United States

**Framework memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation in post production support of harrier aircraft, with annexes**

*Signed October 4 and December 9, 2004 and January 10, 2005.*

**Entered into force December 9, 2004; for the United States January 10, 2005.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Italy, Spain, United Kingdom, United States

**Memorandum of understanding concerning the Multilateral Interoperability Program (MIP).**

*Signed September 24, October 13 and 26, 2004, January 6 and 19, and February 3, 2005.*

**Entered into force February 3, 2005.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

Canada, France, Germany
Memorandum of understanding concerning the establishment, administration, and operation of the combined joint operations from the sea centre of excellence, with annexes.
TIAS
Parties
Canada
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the cooperative framework for the F/A 18 program, with annex.
TIAS
Parties
Australia
Canada
Finland
France
Germany
Italy
Netherlands
Norway
Spain
Sweden
United Kingdom
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the cooperative project for the establishment, operation, management and support of the Munitions Safety Information Analysis Center (MSIAC).

TIAS
Parties
Australia
Canada
Finland
France
Germany
Italy
Netherlands
Norway
Spain
Sweden
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement amending the memorandum of understanding of January 25, 1991, as amended, concerning a cooperative project for the establishment, operation, management and support of the Munitions Safety Information Analysis Center (MSIAC).

TIAS
Parties
Australia
Canada
Finland
France
Germany
Italy
Netherlands
Norway
Spain
Sweden
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement amending supplement number five of the memorandum of understanding of July 14, 1979 on a cooperative program for a medium multiple launch rocket system, with annexes.

TIAS
Parties
France
Germany
Italy
United Kingdom
United States

United Nations convention to combat desertification in those countries experiencing serious drought and/or desertification, particularly in Africa, with annexes.

TIAS
Depositary: United Nations
Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria 1
Andorra
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria 1
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
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Cambodia
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Vienna convention on diplomatic relations.

**Done at Vienna April 18, 1961.**

**Entered into force April 24, 1964; for the United States December 13, 1972.**

**23 UST 3227; TIAS 7502; 500 UNTS 95.**

**Depositary:** United Nations


**Parties**

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Angola
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
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Chile

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**NOTES**

1. With declaration(s).
2. For the Kingdom in Europe.
3. Applicable to British Virgin Islands, Montserrat, St. Helena and Ascension Islands.
4. With understanding(s).
U.S. Department of State: Multilateral Treaties in Force for the United States as of January 1, 2007

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Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of
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NOTES
1 With statement(s).
2 With reservation(s).
3 The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
4 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
5 See note under CHINA in Section 1.
6 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
7 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
8 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
9 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Optional protocol to the Vienna convention on diplomatic relations concerning the compulsory settlement of disputes.

Done at Vienna April 18, 1961.
23 UST 3374; TIAS 7502; 500 UNTS 241.

Depositary: United Nations
Status:

Parties
Australia
Austria
Bahamas, The
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botsswana
Bulgaria
Cambodia
Central African Republic
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
Denmark
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
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Fiji
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Greece
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Korea, Republic of
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Convention on the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, with supplementary protocols nos. 1 and 2 and memorandum of understanding on the application of Article 15.

12 UST 1728; TIAS 4891; 888 UNTS 179.

**Depositary:** Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development  
**Status:** http://www.oecd.org/home/0,2987,en_2649_201185_1_1_1_1_1,00.html

**Parties**
- Australia  
- Austria  
- Belgium  
- Canada  
- Czech Republic  
- Denmark  
- Finland  
- France  
- Germany, Federal Republic of  
- Greece  
- Hungary  
- Iceland  
- Ireland  
- Italy  
- Japan  
- Korea  
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- Norway  
- Poland  
- Portugal  
- Slovak Republic  
- Spain  
- Sweden  
- Switzerland  
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- United Kingdom  
- United States  

### NOTES
1. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.  
2. With declaration.  
3. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
4. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperative information exchange relating to the development of solar heating and cooling systems in buildings. Formulated at Odeillo, France October 1-4, 1974.

**Implemented for** July 1, 1975.
26 UST 2932; TIAS 8202.

**Parties**
- Australia
- Belgium
- Canada
- Denmark
- France
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Israel
- Italy
- Jamaica
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Spain
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement on an international energy program, including establishment of the International Energy Agency.

**Done at Paris November 18, 1974.**
**Entered into force** provisionally November 18, 1974; definitively January 19, 1976.
27 UST 1685; TIAS 8287.

**Depositary:** Belgium

**Parties**
- Australia
- Austria
- Belgium
- Canada
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Finland
- France
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Hungary
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- Korea
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Norway
- Portugal
- Spain
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Turkey
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for the establishment of a project on the fluidised combustion of coal, with annexes.

**Done at Paris November 20, 1975.**
**Entered into force** November 20, 1975.
33 UST 2131; TIAS 10177.

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency
**Status:** http://www.iea.org/

**Parties**
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for the establishment of the economic assessment service for coal, with annex.

**Done at Paris November 20, 1975.**
**Entered into force** November 20, 1975.
32 UST 1337; TIAS 9775.

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency
**Status:** http://www.iea.org/

**Parties**
- Australia
- Canada
- Denmark
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- Netherlands
- Spain
- Sweden
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on energy conservation in buildings and community systems, with annexes.

**Done at Paris March 16, 1977.**
**Entered into force** March 16, 1977.
TIAS 10553.

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency
**Status:** http://www.iea.org/

**Parties**
- Australia
- Belgium
- Canada
- Denmark
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Italy
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Norway
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Turkey
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on energy conservation in heat transfer and heat exchangers, with annexes.

**Done at Paris June 28, 1977.**
**Entered into force** June 28, 1977.

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency
**Status:** http://www.iea.org/

**Parties**
- Sweden
Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on man-made geothermal energy systems, with annex.

*Done at Paris October 6, 1977.*
*Entered into force October 6, 1977.*

33 UST 2157; TIAS 10178.

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iea.org/](http://www.iea.org/)

**Parties**

- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Japan
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- United States

**NOTE**

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for the establishment of a project on small solar power systems, with annexes.

*Done at Paris October 6, 1977.*
*Entered into force October 6, 1977.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iea.org/](http://www.iea.org/)

**Parties**

- Austria
- Belgium
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Italy
- Spain
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Supplement to the implementing agreement of October 6, 1977 for the establishment of a project on small solar power systems, with annex.

*Done at Paris May 22, 1979.*
*Entered into force May 22, 1979.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iea.org/](http://www.iea.org/)

**Parties**

- Belgium
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Italy
- Spain
- Sweden
- United States

**NOTE**

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on superconducting magnets for fusion power, with annex.

*Done at Paris October 6, 1977.*
*Entered into force October 6, 1977.*

33 UST 2201; TIAS 10179.

**Parties**

- Canada
- European Atomic Energy Community (EURATOM)
- Japan
- Turkey
- United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on the production of hydrogen from water, with annexes.

*Done at Paris October 6, 1977.*
*Entered into force October 6, 1977.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iea.org/](http://www.iea.org/)

**Parties**

- Belgium
- Canada
- Commission of the European Communities
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Italy
- Japan
- Netherlands
- Switzerland
- United Kingdom
- United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on wave power, with annex.

*Done at Tokyo April 13, 1978.*
*Entered into force April 13, 1978.*

33 UST 2253; TIAS 10182.

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iea.org/](http://www.iea.org/)

**Parties**

- Canada
- Ireland
- Japan
- Sweden
- United Kingdom
- United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development and demonstration on forestry energy, with annex.

*Done at Tokyo April 13, 1978.*
*Entered into force April 13, 1978.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iea.org/](http://www.iea.org/)

**Parties**

- Belgium
- Canada
- Denmark
- Ireland
- Japan
- New Zealand

**NOTE**

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for cooperation in the development of large scale wind energy conversion systems.

*Done at Paris October 6, 1977.*
*Entered into force October 6, 1977.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** International Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iea.org/](http://www.iea.org/)

**Parties**

- Austria
- Belgium
- Canada
- Denmark
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Japan
- United States

**NOTE**

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
Implementing agreement for the establishment of the biomass conversion technical information service.


TIAS
Depositary: International Energy Agency
Status: http://www.iea.org/

Parties
Belgium
Canada
Commission of the European Communities
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ireland
Italy
Japan
New Zealand
Sweden
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on energy conservation through energy storage, with annex.

33 UST 2325; TIAS 10185.

Parties
Belgium
Commission of the European Communities
Denmark
Germany, Federal Republic of
Netherlands
Sweden
United States

NOTES
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
2 With an understanding.

Implementing agreement for a program of research, development and demonstration on geothermal equipment.

33 UST 2359; TIAS 10186.

Depositary: International Energy Agency
Status: http://www.iea.org/

Parties
Belgium
Canada
Commission of the European Communities
Denmark
Germany, Federal Republic of
Italy
Japan
New Zealand
Sweden
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for a program of research, development and demonstration on enhanced recovery of oil, with annex.


TIAS
Depositary: International Energy Agency
Status: http://www.iea.org/

Parties
Australia
Belgium
Commission of the European Communities
Denmark
Germany, Federal Republic of
New Zealand
Norway
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on high temperature materials for automotive engines, with annex.

33 UST 2383; TIAS 10187.

Depositary: International Energy Agency
Status: http://www.iea.org/
Implementing agreement for a program of research and development and demonstration on energy conservation in the pulp and paper industry, with annexes.

Done at Paris February 18, 1981.
Entered into force February 18, 1981.
TIAS 10525.
Depositary: International Energy Agency
Status: http://www.iea.org/

**Parties**

Belgium
Canada
Japan
Netherlands
Norway
Spain
Sweden
United Kingdom
United States

**Implementing agreement for a program of research, development and demonstration on coal/oil mixtures.**

Done at Paris March 23, 1981.
TIAS
Depositary: International Energy Agency
Status: http://www.iea.org/

**Parties**

Canada
Japan
Netherlands
Spain
Sweden
United States

TIAS

**Parties**

Denmark
Finland
Norway
Sweden
United States

**ENVIRONMENT**

United Nations framework convention on climate change, with annexes.

Done at New York May 9, 1992.
TIAS
### ENVIRONMENT

**Romania**
- Russian Federation
- Rwanda
- St. Kitts and Nevis
- St. Lucia
- St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Samoa
- San Marino
- Sao Tome and Principe
- Saudi Arabia
- Senegal
- Serbia
- Seychelles
- Sierra Leone
- Singapore
- Slovak Republic
- Somalia
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sudan
- Suriname
- Swaziland
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Syria
- Tajikistan
- Tanzania
- Thailand
- Togo
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Turkmenistan
- Tuvalu
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- United Arab Emirates
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Uzbekistan
- Vanuatu
- Venezuela
- Vietnam
- Yemen
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe

### ENVIRONMENTAL MODIFICATION

**Parties**
- Afghanistan
- Algeria
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Bangladesh
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Benin
- Brazil
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Chile
- China
- Costa Rica
- Cuba
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- New Zealand
- Niger
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- Panama
- Papua New Guinea
- Poland
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- St. Kitts and Nevis
- St. Lucia
- St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Sao Tome and Principe
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Solomon Islands
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Tajikistan
- Tunisia
- Ukraine
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Uzbekistan
- Vietnam, Socialist Republic of
- Yemen (Aden)
- Yemen (Sanaa)

### NOTES

1. With declaration.
2. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3. For the Kingdom in Europe.
4. Applicable to Bailiwick of Jersey and the Isle of Man.

**Amendment**

**Parties**
- Argentina
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Canada
- Chile
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Cuba
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- Guatemala
- Jamaica
- Mexico
- Panama
- Paraguay
- Peru
- United States
- Uruguay
- Venezuela

**North American agreement on environmental cooperation, with annexes.**

Signed at Mexico, Washington and Ottawa September 8, 9, 12 and 14, 1993.


**TIAS**

**Parties**
- Canada
- Mexico
- United States

### Convention on the prohibition of military or any other hostile use of environmental modification techniques, with annex.

**Done at Geneva May 18, 1977.**

**Entered into force October 5, 1978; for the United States January 17, 1980.**

31 UST 333; TIAS 9614.

**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States

**Parties**
- Afghanistan
- Algeria
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Bangladesh
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Benin
- Brazil
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Chile
- China
- Costa Rica
- Cuba
- Cyprus

### NOTES

1. With declaration.
2. See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
3. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5. With reservation(s).
6. Applicable to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
7. Extended to Cook Islands and Niue.
8. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
EPIZOOTICS
(See under AGRICULTURE)

EUROPEAN COLONIES AND POSSESSIONS
(See under DEFENSE)

EVIDENCE
(See under JUDICIAL PROCEDURE)

EXTRADITION
Convention on extradition 1
Signed at Montevideo December 26, 1933.
Entered into force January 25, 1935.
49 Stat. 3111; TS 882; 3 Bevans 152;
165 LNTS 45.
Depositary: Organization of American States
Status: http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm
Parties
Argentina
Chile
Colombia
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
United States

NOTES
1 Article 21 provides that the convention “does not abrogate or modify the bilateral or collective treaties, which at the present date are in force between the signatory States. Nevertheless, if any of said treaties lapse, the present Convention will take effect and become applicable immediately among the respective States ....” The United States has bilateral extradition treaties with each of the other parties which antedate the convention, except for those with Argentina, Colombia and Mexico.
2 With reservation.

FINANCE
North American framework agreement between the United States Treasury, the Banco de Mexico/Government of Mexico and the Bank of Canada.
Signed at Mexico April 22 and 26, 1994.
Entered into force April 26, 1994.
TIAS
Parties
Canada
Mexico
United States

WORLD WAR II RELATED AGREEMENTS
Accord relating to the liquidation of German property in Switzerland.
Exchange of notes at Washington May 25, 1946.
Entered into force June 27, 1946.
13 UST 1118; TIAS 5058.
Parties
France
Switzerland
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement concerning German property in Switzerland, with related notes.
Signed at Bern August 28, 1952.
Entered into force March 19, 1953.
13 UST 1131; TIAS 5059; 175 UNTS 69.
Parties
France
Switzerland
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement relating to German assets in Sweden. Exchanges of letters at Washington July 18, 1946.
61 Stat. 3191; TIAS 1657; 4 Bevans 88;
125 UNTS 119.
Parties
France
Sweden
United States

Memorandum of understanding regarding German assets in Italy.
Entered into force August 14, 1947.
61 Stat. 3292; TIAS 1664; 4 Bevans 552;
138 UNTS 111.
Parties
France
Italy
United Kingdom
United States

Memorandum of understanding regarding German assets in Italy, with exchange of notes.
Signed at Rome March 29, 1957.
Entered into force March 29, 1957.
8 UST 445; TIAS 3797; 283 UNTS 137.
Parties
France
Italy
United Kingdom
United States
Protocol relating to the transfer to the Italian Government of gold captured by the Allied military forces at Fortezza.

Signed at London October 10, 1947; effective September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 3239; TIAS 1658; 4 Bevans 637; 54 UNTS 193.

Parties

Italy
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement relating to the resolution of conflicting claims to German enemy assets.

Done at Brussels December 5, 1947.
Entered into force for the United States January 24, 1951.

2 UST 729; TIAS 2230.

Parties

Belgium
Canada
Cuba
Denmark
Haiti
Honduras
Luxembourg
Netherlands
Nicaragua
United States

Extensions and amendments

February 3, 1949 (2 UST 785; TIAS 2230).
May 10, 1950 (2 UST 791; TIAS 2230).
January 24, 1951 (2 UST 795; TIAS 2230).
April 30, 1952 (3 UST 4254; TIAS 2569).

NOTE

1 With reservation.

Protocol terminating obligations arising from the accord of May 10, 1948 (62 Stat. 2061; TIAS 1773) regarding German assets in Spain, with exchange of notes.

Signed at Madrid August 9, 1958.
Entered into force July 2, 1959.

11 UST 2274; TIAS 4606; 351 UNTS 398.

Parties

France
Spain
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement relating to prewar external debts of the German Reich and the debt arising out of economic assistance furnished since May 8, 1945.

Exchange of letters at Bonn March 6, 1951.
Entered into force March 6, 1951.

2 UST 1249; TIAS 2274; 106 UNTS 141.

Parties

France
Germany, Federal Republic of
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement for the submission to an arbitrator of certain claims with respect to gold looted by the Germans from Rome in 1943.

Signed at Washington April 25, 1951.
Entered into force April 25, 1951.

2 UST 991; TIAS 2252; 91 UNTS 21; 100 UNTS 304.

Parties

France
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement on German external debts.

Signed at London February 27, 1953.
Entered into force September 16, 1953.

4 UST 443; TIAS 2792; 333 UNTS 3.

Depositary: United Kingdom

Status:
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Parties

Argentina
Australia
Austria
Belgium
Cambodia
Canada
Chile
Denmark
Egypt
Finland
France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Iran
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Liechtenstein
Luxembourg
Malta
Morocco
Nauru
Netherlands
New Zealand
Norway
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea
Peru
South Africa
Spain

Amendments

November 30, 1956 (7 UST 3442; TIAS 3233; 210 UNTS 197).

11 Extended to Norfolk Island.
2 Extended to all French overseas territories.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6 Extended to Cook Islands, including Niue, and Tokelau Islands.
7 Extended to Namibia.
8 With a statement.
9 Extended to Channel Islands, Falkland Islands, and Gibraltar.
10 Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.
11 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Letter-agreement relating to restitution and liquidation of confiscated property recovered in Italy from German forces (“Rome Treasure”). Letter of April 27, 1954, from Administrator, Paris Reparation Refugee Fund, to the American Ambassador, Rome, accepted by the United States, the United Kingdom, and Italy on July 23, 1954.
Entered into force July 23, 1954.

5 UST 2170; TIAS 3080.

Administrative agreement concerning the Arbitral Tribunal and the Mixed Commission under the agreement on German external debts, with annex and exchange of letters.

Signed at Bonn December 1, 1954.
Entered into force December 1, 1954.

6 UST 865; TIAS 3233; 210 UNTS 197.

Depositary: United Kingdom

Status:
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Parties

France
Germany, Federal Republic of
United Kingdom
United States

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June 26, 1969 (20 UST 2867; TIAS 6762).

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement relating to external debts of the City of Berlin and of public utility enterprises owned or controlled by Berlin.


Entered into force March 2, 1956. 
7 UST 635; TIAS 3545; 273 UNTS 209.

NOTE
1 Notes were exchanged mutatis mutandis by the Federal Republic of Germany with France and the United Kingdom.

Memorandum agreement relating to the disposition of certain German assets in Thailand.

Signed at Bangkok January 31, 1957.

Entered into force January 31, 1957.
8 UST 129; TIAS 3747; 278 UNTS 105.

Parties
France
Thailand
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement relating to the disposition of certain accounts in Thailand under article 16 of the treaty of peace with Japan.

Signed at Washington July 30, 1953.

Entered into force July 30, 1953.
4 UST 1778; TIAS 2844; 215 UNTS 97.

Parties
Thailand
United Kingdom
United States

Supplemental agreement, 1964.

Done at Washington March 31, 1964.

Entered into force April 6, 1964.

15 UST 396; TIAS 5570; 503 UNTS 388.

Parties
Australia
Canada
Germany, Federal Republic of 1
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
New Zealand
Pakistan
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Tarbela Development Fund agreement.

Done at Washington May 2, 1968.

Entered into force May 2, 1968.
19 UST 4866; TIAS 6492; 637 UNTS 4.

Supplemental agreement, 1975.

Done at Washington August 15, 1975.

Entered into force August 15, 1975.

26 UST 2751; TIAS 8193.

Parties
Canada
France 1
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
International Development Association 2
Italy
Pakistan
United Kingdom
United States

NOTES
1 Not a party to the supplemental agreement.
2 Party to the supplemental agreement only.

Agreement establishing the African Development Fund, with schedules.

Done at Abidjan November 29, 1972.


for the United States November 18, 1976.

28 UST 4547; TIAS 8605.

Parties
African Development Bank
Argentina
Austria
Belgium
Brazil
Canada
Denmark 1
Finland
France
Germany, Federal Republic of 2
Italy
Japan
Korea, Republic of
Kuwait
Netherlands
Norway 1
Saudi Arabia
Spain
Sweden 1
Switzerland

United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom
United States 1
Yugoslavia 3

NOTES
1 With declaration.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Agreement establishing the International Fund for Agricultural Development.

Done at Rome June 13, 1976.


28 UST 8435; TIAS 8765.

Depositary: United Nations

Status:

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia*
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Cook Islands
Costa Rica
Côte d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba 1 2
Cyprus
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
East Timor
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea

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FINANCE — MULTILATERAL FUNDS

Amendment
December 11, 1986 (TIAS 12068).

NOTES
2. With statement.
3. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
4. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6. See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
7. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Agreement concerning the international fund for Ireland, with annexes.

Done at Washington September 26, 1986.
Entered into force September 26, 1986.
TIAS 11401.

Parties
Ireland
United Kingdom
United States

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Articles of agreement of the International Monetary Fund, formulated at the Bretton Woods Conference July 1–22, 1944.1
Opened for signature at Washington December 27, 1945.
Entered into force December 27, 1945.

60 Stat. 1401; TIAS 1501; 3 Bevans 1351; 2 UNTS 39.

Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
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Cote d’Ivoire
Cyprus
Czechoslovakia
Denmark
Djibouti
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Dominican Republic
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5. See note under YEMEN in Section 1.  
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Agreement amending the agreement establishing the African Development Bank,1 with annexes

Adopted by the Board of Governors at Abidjan May 17, 1979;

Entered into force May 7, 1982;


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NOTES

1 With reservation.
2 With declaration.
3 Following the accession of the People’s Republic of China, the President of the Bank in letter dated March 15, 1986 declared that “the Republic of China” (which had ratified the Bank’s articles of agreement on September 22, 1966 and had maintained its membership thereafter) would be “referred to by the Bank as ‘Taipei, China’.”
4 With a statement.
5 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
6 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
7 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
8 Extended only to Kingdom in Europe.

Proces-verbal of rectification of the agreement establishing the Asian Development Bank.

Signed at New York November 2, 1967.

18 UST 2935; TIAS 6387; 608 UNTS 380.

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**Done at Paris May 29, 1990.**

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**Convention for the establishment of an Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission, with exchange of notes of March 3, 1950.**

**Signed at Washington May 31, 1949.**

**Entered into force March 3, 1950.**

1 UST 230; TIAS 2044; 80 UNTS 3.

**Depositary:** [United States](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm)

**Status:**

1. With reservation.
2. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
3. With a statement.
4. With an understanding.
5. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

**Parties**

- Costa Rica
- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- France
- Guatemala
- Japan
- Korea
- Mexico
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Peru
- Spain
- United States
- Vanuatu
- Venezuela

**Convention on fishing and conservation of living resources of the high seas.**

**Done at Geneva April 29, 1958.**

**Entered into force March 20, 1966.**

17 UST 138; TIAS 5969; 559 UNTS 285.

**Depositary:** [United Nations](http://untreaty.un.org/ENGLISH/bible/englishinterbible/partI/chapterXXI/treaty3.asp)

**Status:**

1. Formerly the Indo-Pacific Fisheries Council.

**Parties**

- Australia
- Bangladesh
- Burma
- Cambodia
- France
- Hong Kong
- India
- Indonesia
- Japan
- Korea
- Malaysia
- Nepal
- New Zealand
- Pakistan
- Philippines
- Sri Lanka
- Thailand
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Vietnam, Socialist Republic of

**NOTE**

1. Formerly the Indo-Pacific Fisheries Council.

**International convention for the conservation of Atlantic tunas.**

**Done at Rio de Janeiro May 14, 1966.**

**Entered into force March 21, 1969.**

20 UST 2887; TIAS 6767; 673 UNTS 63.

**Depositary:** [Food and Agriculture Organization](http://www.fao.org/Legal/treaties/treaty-e.htm)

**Status:**

1. With a statement.
2. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
3. With an understanding.
4. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

**Parties**

- Algeria
- Angola
- Barbados
- Belize
- Brazil
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- China
- Cote d’Ivoire
- Croatia
- Equatorial Guinea
- European Community
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Uganda
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Venezuela
- Yugoslavia

**NOTES**

1. With reservation.
2. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
3. With a statement.
4. With an understanding.
5. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
FISHERIES

Convention for the conservation of salmon in the North Atlantic.
Done at Reykjavik March 2, 1982. 
Entered into force October 1, 1983. 
35 UST 2284; TIAS 10789. 

**Parties**
- Canada
- Denmark
- European Communities
- Finland
- Iceland
- Norway
- Sweden
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United States

**NOTES**
1. For the Faroe Islands.
2. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Memoranda of understanding concerning salmonid research and enforcement of the international convention for the high seas fisheries of the North Pacific Ocean.
Signed at Vancouver April 9, 1986. 
Entered into force April 9, 1986. 
TIAS 11100. 

**Parties**
- Canada
- Japan
- United States

Constitution for the prohibition of fishing with long driftnets in the South Pacific. 
Done at Wellington November 24, 1989. 
Entered into force May 17, 1991; 
TIAS 11465. 

**Depository:** New Zealand 

**Parties**
- Australia
- Cook Islands
- Fiji
- Kiribati
- Micronesia
- Nauru
- New Zealand
- Niue
- Palau
- Solomon Islands
- Tokelau
- United States
- Western Samoa

Convention for the conservation of anadromous stocks in the North Pacific Ocean, with annex.
Done at Moscow February 11, 1992. 
Entered into force February 16, 1993. 
TIAS 11465. 

**Depository:** Russia 
**Status:** http://www.mid.ru/ 

**Parties**
- Canada
- Japan
- Russian Federation
- United States

Agreement to promote compliance with international conservation and management measures by fishing vessels on the high seas.
Done at Rome November 24, 1993. 
Entered into force April 24, 2003. 
TIAS 11465. 

**Depository:** Food and Agriculture Organization 
**Status:** http://www.fao.org/legal/treaties/012s-e.htm 

**Parties**
- Albania
- Angola
- Argentina
- Australia
- Barbados
- Belize
- Benin
- Burma
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Chile
- Cook Islands
- Cyprus
- Egypt
- European Community
- Georgia
- Ghana
- Japan
- Korea
- Madagascar

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_Philippines_ 
_Russian Federation_ 
_St. Vincent and the Grenadines_ 
_Sao Tome and Principe_ 
_Senegal_ 
_South Africa_ 
_Syria_ 
_Trinidad and Tobago_ 
_Tunisia_ 
_Turkey_ 
_Union of Soviet Socialist Republics_ 
_United States_ 
_Vanuatu_ 
_Venezuela_ 

**Amendments**

**NOTES**
1. With statement. 
2. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1. 

Convention on future multilateral cooperation in the northwest Atlantic fisheries. 
Done at Ottawa October 24, 1978. 
Entered into force January 1, 1979; 
TIAS 

**Depository:** Canada 
**Status:** http://www.dfait-maeci.gc.ca/ 

**Parties**
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Cuba
- Denmark
- European Union
- France
- Iceland
- Japan
- Korea
- Norway
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- Ukraine
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United States

**NOTES**
1. Applicable to Faroe Islands. 
3. With declaration(s). 
4. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1. 

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**NOTE**
1. With reservation(s).

Constitution on the conservation and management of pollock resources in the central Bering Sea, with annex.

*Done at Washington June 16, 1994.*

*Entered into force December 8, 1995.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** United States

**Status:** [http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm)

**Parties**

- China
- Japan
- Korea
- Poland
- Russian Federation
- United States


*Done at New York August 4, 1995.*

*Entered into force December 11, 2001.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** United Nations


**Parties**

- Australia
- Austria
- Belgium
- Canada
- Denmark
- European Community
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Greece
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Papua New Guinea
- Poland
- Portugal
- Russian Federation
- St. Lucia
- Samoa
- Senegal
- Seychelles
- Slovenia
- Solomon Islands
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sweden
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Ukraine
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay

**NOTES**
1. With declaration(s).
2. Applicable to Tokelau.

Agreement on the international dolphin conservation program, with annexes.

*Done at Washington May 21, 1998.*

*Entered into force February 15, 1999.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** United States

**Status:** [http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm)

**Parties**

- Costa Rica
- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- European Union
- Guatemala
- Honduras
- Mexico
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Peru
- United States
- Vanuatu
- Venezuela

## FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION

### FOOD AID

Food aid convention, 1999.

*Done at London April 13, 1999.*

*Entered into force July 1, 1999; for the United States January 5, 2001.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** United Nations


**Parties**

- Australia
- Austria
- Belgium
- Canada
- Denmark
- European Community
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Greece
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
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- Switzerland
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**
1. For the Kingdom in Europe.

### FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION

Constitution of the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization.

*Signed at Quebec October 16, 1945.*

*Entered into force October 16, 1945.*

**Composite Text,** as amended to 1957:

12 UST 980; TIAS 4803.

**Depositary:** Food and Agriculture Organization


**Parties**

- Afghanistan
- Albania
- Algeria
- Angola
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Bahamas, The
- Bahrain
- Bangladesh
- Barbados
- Belgium
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Cameroon
- Cape Verde
- Central African Republic
- Chad
- Colombia
- Comoros
- Congo, Democratic Republic of the
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- Côte d'Ivoire
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Djibouti
- Dominica
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- Egypt
- El Salvador
- Equatorial Guinea
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- Ethiopia
- Falkland Islands
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- Fiji
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2 See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5 Associate member.
6 Including all colonies and overseas territories.
7 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
8 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
### FORESTRY

Establishment agreement for the Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR), with constitution.  
**Done at Canberra March 5, 1993.**  
**Entered into force March 5, 1993;** for the United States May 3, 1993.  
**TIAS 11960.**  
**Depositary:** Australia  
**Parties**  
Australia  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United States

### GAS WARFARE

Protocol for the prohibition of the use in war of asphyxiating, poisonous or other gases, and of bacteriological methods of warfare.  
**Done at Geneva June 17, 1925.**  
**Entered into force February 8, 1928;** for the United States April 10, 1975.  
**26 UST 571; TIAS 8061; 94 LNTS 65.**  
**Depositary:** France  
**Status:** [http://www.diplomatie.gouv.fr/mae/index.html](http://www.diplomatie.gouv.fr/mae/index.html)  
**Parties**  
Afghanistan  
Angola  
Antigua and Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Bahamas, The  
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Bangladesh  
Barbados  
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Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
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Solomon Islands  
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Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Republic  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad and Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Republic of  
Yemen (Aden)  
Yemen (Sanaa)  
Yugoslavia  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

**NOTES**  
1 With reservation(s).  
2 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
3 The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this protocol. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.  
4 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.  
5 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.  
6 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.  
7 Applicable to all French territories.  
8 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.  
9 With declaration(s).  
10 Extended to Curaçao.  
11 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.  
12 It does not bind India or any British Dominion which is a separate member of the League of Nations and does not separately sign or adhere to the protocol. It is applicable to colonies. See footnote 2 above.  
13 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.  
14 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
GENEVA
CONVENTIONS

(See RED CROSS CONVENTIONS; RULES OF WARFARE)

GENOCIDE

Convention on the prevention and punishment of the crime of genocide.
Done at Paris December 9, 1948.

TIAS Depositary: United Nations

Parties
Afghanistan 1
Albania 1 2
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Andorra
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina 1 2
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Zimbabwe

NOTES
1 With reservation(s).
2 With declaration(s).
3 The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
4 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
5 Considers itself bound by application extended to its territory before attainment of independence.
6 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
7 With understandings(s).
8 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
9 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
10 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
11 Applicable to Bermuda; British Virgin Islands; Channel Islands; Dominica; Falkland Islands; Gibraltar; Grenada; Isle of Man; Pitcairn; Seychelles; St. Helena and Dependencies; St. Lucia; and Turks and Caicos Islands.
12 See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).
13 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
14 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
Agreements relating to basic principles for merger of the three western German zones of occupation and other matters.
Signed at Washington April 8, 1949.
Entered into force April 8, 1949.
63 Stat. 2817; TIAS 2066; 4 Bevans 832; 140 UNTS 196.

Parties
France
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement relating to the lifting of restrictions imposed since March 1, 1948 on communications, transportation, and trade with Berlin.
Done at New York May 4, 1949.
 Entered into force May 4, 1949.
63 Stat. 2410; TIAS 1915; 4 Bevans 843; 138 UNTS 123.

Parties
France
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics  
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Protocol of agreements reached between the Allied High Commissioners and the Chancellor of the German Federal Republic.
Signed at Bonn November 22, 1949.
Entered into force November 22, 1949.
3 UST 2714; TIAS 2439; 185 UNTS 307.
Depositary: Germany

Parties
France
Germany, Federal Republic of  
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement concerning storage of, access to, and release of information from the archives of the Allied High Commission and connected tripartite agencies, with exchanges of notes relating to the Bipartite Coal Control Group.
Signed at Bonn June 30, 1954.
Entered into force June 30, 1954.
5 UST 1598; TIAS 3036; 204 UNTS 99.

Parties
France
Germany, Federal Republic of  
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Constitutional Act of the Federal Republic of Germany, with five schedules and related letters.
Signed at Paris October 14 and December 20, 1955, and notes of the German Chancellor dated October 14 and November 7, 1953.
Done at Bonn September 29, 1955.
7 UST 663; TIAS 3549.

Parties
France
Germany, Federal Republic of  
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement to prevent the duplication of postal services and to control their development.
Signed at Bonn October 14, 1955.
Entered into force May 1, 1956.

Parties
France
Germany, Federal Republic of  
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement relating to the return of captured files and archives of the former German Foreign Office at present in the territory of the United Kingdom.
Exchange of notes between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany at Bonn March 14 and April 18, 1956.
Entered into force April 18, 1956.
7 UST 2119; TIAS 3613; 271 UNTS 319.

NOTE
1 Notes were exchanged mutatis mutandis between the Federal Republic of Germany and France and the United Kingdom.
Memorandum of understanding regarding German trademarks in Italy.
Signed at Rome July 5, 1956.
Entered into force July 5, 1956.
7 UST 1989; TIAS 3601; 258 UNTS 371.

Parties
France
Italy
United Kingdom
United States

Administrative agreement concerning the Arbitration Tribunal and the Arbitral Commission on property, rights, and interests in Germany.
Signed at Bonn July 13, 1956.
Entered into force July 13, 1956; operative from May 5, 1955.
7 UST 2129; TIAS 3615; 281 UNTS 3.

Parties
France
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement relating to the waiver of immunity from legal process of members of the Arbitration Tribunal and the Arbitral Commission on property, rights and interests in Germany under the administrative agreement of July 13, 1956.
Entered into force July 27, 1956.1
7 UST 2773; TIAS 3657; 278 UNTS 3.

NOTE
1 Notes were exchanged mutatis mutandis between the Federal Republic of Germany and France and the United Kingdom.

Protocol modifying the agreement concerning storage of, access to, and release of information from the archives of the Allied High Commission and connected tripartite agencies of June 30, 1954.
Signed at Bonn March 5, 1959.
Entered into force March 5, 1959.
10 UST 341; TIAS 4195; 341 UNTS 386.

Parties
France
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement on the abrogation of the convention on rights and obligations of foreign forces and their members in the Federal Republic of Germany, the agreement on the tax treatment of the forces and their members, and the finance convention, all signed May 26, 1952, as amended by the protocol of October 23, 1954 on the termination of the occupation regime in Germany.
Signed at Bonn August 3, 1959.
Entered into force July 1, 1963.
14 UST 686; TIAS 5351; 481 UNTS 591.

Parties
France
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement concerning the administration of the archives of the Arbitral Commission on property, rights and interests in Germany.
Exchange of notes at Bonn and Bad Godesberg August 12 and 26, 1971.
23 UST 590; TIAS 7317.

Parties
France
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Treaty on the final settlement with respect to Germany, with agreed minute and related letters.
Done at Moscow September 12, 1990.
TIAS; 1696 UNTS 115.

Parties
Argentina
Australia
Canada
Cote d’Ivoire
Cuba
Ecuador
Egypt
European Community
Holy See
Hungary
India
Iran
Japan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea
Malta
Mauritius
Morocco
Norway
Pakistan
South Africa
Switzerland
Tunisia
Turkey
United States

Agreement concerning the convention of May 26, 1952, as amended, on relations between the Three Powers and the Federal Republic of Germany and the convention of May 26, 1952, as amended, on settlement of matters arising out of the war and the occupation.
Exchange of notes at Bonn September 27 and 28, 1990.
TIAS; 1656 UNTS 29.

Declaration suspending the operation of quadrupartite rights and responsibilities.
Signed at New York October 1, 1990.

TIAS

Agreement terminating the agreement of September 25, 1990, concerning the presence and status of Allied Forces in Berlin.

TIAS

GRAINS

Grains trade convention (part of international grains agreement), 1995.
Entered into force July 1, 1995; for the United States May 21, 1999.

TIAS

Depositary: United Nations

Parties
Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Canada
Cote d’Ivoire
Cuba
Egypt
European Community
Holy See
Hungary
India
Ireland
Japan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea
Malta
Mauritius
Morocco
Norway
Pakistan
South Africa
Switzerland
Tunisia
Turkey
United States

Agreement regarding the status of foreign forces in the former territory of the German Democratic Republic.
Exchange of notes at Bonn September 25, 1990.

TIAS

Amendment
September 12, 1994.

Agreement concerning the convention of May 26, 1952, as amended, on relations between the Three Powers and the Federal Republic of Germany and the convention of May 26, 1952, as amended, on settlement of matters arising out of the war and the occupation.
Exchange of notes at Bonn September 27 and 28, 1990.

TIAS
NOTE  
1 With declaration(s).

HAGUE CONVENTIONS  
(See under JUDICIAL PROCEDURE; PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES; RULES OF WARFARE)

HEALTH

The Pan American sanitary code.1
Signed at Habana November 14, 1924.  
Entered into force June 26, 1925.  
44 Stat. 2031; TS 714; 2 Bevans 483; 86 LNTS 43.  
Depositary: Cuba  
Status: http://america.cubaminrex.cu/index.htm

Additional protocol amending the Pan American sanitary code of November 14, 1924.  
Signed at Lima October 19, 1927.  
Entered into force July 3, 1928.  
45 Stat. 2613; TS 763; 2 Bevans 648; 87 LNTS 453.  
Depositary: Cuba  
Status: http://america.cubaminrex.cu/index.htm

Constitution of the World Health Organization.  
Done at New York July 22, 1946.  
Entered into force April 7, 1948; for the United States June 21, 1948.  
62 Stat. 2679; TIAS 1808; 4 Bevans 119; 14 UNTS 185.  
Depositary: United Nations  
Status: 

NOTES
1 Articles 2, 9, 10, 11, 16 to 53 inclusive, 61, and 62 replaced by the international health regulations, adopted at Boston July 25, 1969 (TIAS 7026).
2 Not a party to additional protocol.
3 With memorandum of interpretation.
4 With reservation.
Health

United States

Protocol for the termination of the Brussels agreement for the unification of pharmacopoeial formulas for potent drugs.

Done at Geneva May 20, 1952.

Entered into force May 20, 1952.

3 UST 5067; TIAS 2692; 219 UNTS 55.

depositary: Belgium

status: http://www.who.int/en/

parties

Australia

Austria

Bahamas, The

Barbados

Belgium

Belize

Botswana

Brunei

Cyprus

Denmark

Dominica

Egypt

Fiji

Finland

France

Gambia, the

Germany, Federal Republic of

Greece

Grenada

Guyana

Iceland

Italy

Jamaica

Kenya

Kiribati

Lesotho

Luxembourg

Malaysia

Malta

Mauritius

Netherlands

Nigeria

Norway

St. Kitts and Nevis

St. Lucia

St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Seychelles

Sierra Leone

Singapore

Solomon Islands

South Africa

Spain

Swaziland

Sweden

Switzerland

Tanzania

Thailand

Togo

Tonga

Trinidad and Tobago

Tunisia

Turkey

Turkmenistan

Tuvalu

Uganda

Ukraine

United Arab Emirates

United Kingdom

United States

Uruguay

Uzbekistan

Vanuatu

Venezuela

Vietnam, Socialist Republic of

Western Samoa

Yemen (Aden)

Yemen (Sanaa)

Yugoslavia

Zambia

Zimbabwe

Amendments

May 23, 1967 (26 UST 990; TIAS 8086).

May 22, 1973 (28 UST 2088; TIAS 8534).

May 17, 1976 (35 UST 4280; TIAS 10930).

May 12, 1986 (TIAS 12049).


Notes

1 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

2 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.

3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

4 Associate member.

5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

6 With statement.

7 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.

8 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.


Entered into force January 1, 1968.

18 UST 3003; TIAS 6393.

Notes

1 In force for all members of the World Health Organization with the exception of the Federal Republic of Germany which has made a reservation that the nomenclature regulations, 1967, will not enter into force in the Federal Republic until the Director-General of the World Health Organization has been notified that the domestic prerequisites have been fulfilled. The World Health Organization Regulations No. 1 of July 24, 1948 (7 UST 79; TIAS 3482) regarding nomenclature remain in force as regards parties to which they are not yet parties to the 1967 regulations.

International health regulations, with appendices.


21 UST 3003; TIAS 7026; 764 UNTS 3.

Depositary: World Health Organization

Status: http://www.who.int/en/

Additional regulations amending articles 1, 21, 63 to 71, 92, and appendix 2 of the international health regulations.


Entered into force January 1, 1974.

25 UST 197; TIAS 7786.

Additional amendments to the international health regulations.


Entered into force January 1, 1982.

33 UST 4436; TIAS 10314.

Depositary: World Health Organization

Status: http://www.who.int/en/

Notes

1 Replaces as between States bound by these regulations the international sanitary conventions and regulations listed in article 99 of the regulations.

2 In force for all members of the World Health Organization except as follows:

Bound with reservations — Egypt, India, Pakistan, and Suriname.

Position not defined — Holy See and Nauru.

3 In force for all members of the World Health Organization except as follows:

Not bound — Australia, Singapore, and South Africa.

Bound with reservations — Egypt, India, Pakistan, and Suriname.

Position not defined — Holy See and Nauru.

4 In force for all members of the World Health Organization except as provided in article 22 of the Constitution of the Organization.
HEALTH

3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, Montserrat, and St. Helena.
5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Statute of International Agency for Research on Cancer.
Done at Geneva May 20, 1965.
Entered into force September 15, 1965.
16 UST 1239; TIAS 5873.
Depositary: World Health Organization
Status: http://www.who.int/en/

Parties
Australia
Belgium
Canada
Denmark
Finland
France
Germany, Federal Republic of 1
India
Italy
Japan
Korea
Netherlands
Norway
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics 2
United Kingdom
United States

Amendment
May 19, 1970 (21 UST 1567; TIAS 6919).

NOTES
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
2 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Agreement for phase I of the project for the strengthening of public health delivery system in Central and West Africa
Dated March 26, 1975.
Entered into force April 17, 1975, effective April 19, 1975.
28 UST 3743; TIAS 8597.

Parties
Agency for International Development
Benin
Burkina Faso
Cameroon
Central African Republic
Chad
Congo
Cote d’Ivoire
Gabon
Gambia, The
Ghana
Guinea
Liberia
Mali
Mauritania
Niger
Senegal
Sierra Leone
Togo

World Health Organization

Amendment
June 22, 1976 (28 UST 3772; TIAS 8597).

HUMAN RIGHTS

International covenant on civil and political rights.
TIAS
Depositary: United Nations

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Angola
Argentina
Armenia
Australia 1
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Bahrain
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Dominica

HUMAN RIGHTS

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
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## HYDROGRAPHY

**Convention on the International Hydrographic Organization, with annexes.**

*Done at Monaco May 3, 1967.*  
*Entered into force September 22, 1970.*  
*21 UST 1857; TIAS 6933; 751 UNTS 41.*  
**Depositary:** Monaco  
**Status:** [http://www.iho.shom.fr/](http://www.iho.shom.fr/)

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### NOTES
1. Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
2. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3. With reservation.
4. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
5. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

## INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY

**Convention for the protection of inventions, patents, designs and industrial models.**

*Signed at Buenos Aires August 20, 1910.*  
*Entered into force July 31, 1912.*  
*38 Stat. 1811; TS 595; 1 Bevans 767; 155 LNTS 179.*  
**Depositary:** Argentina  
**Status:** [http://www.mrecic.gov.ar/](http://www.mrecic.gov.ar/)

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### General inter-American convention for trade-mark and commercial protection.

*Signed at Washington February 20, 1929.*  
*Entered into force April 2, 1930; for the United States February 17, 1931.*  
*46 Stat. 2907; TS 833; 2 Bevans 751; 124 LNTS 357.*  
**Depositary:** Organization of American States  
**Status:** [http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm](http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm)

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- Colombia
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- Congo
- Congo, Democratic Republic of the

**NOTE**

1. Replaces as between contracting parties the convention of August 20, 1910 (39 Stat. 1675; TS 626; 1 Bevans 772) and the convention of April 28, 1923 (44 Stat. 2494; TS 751; 2 Bevans 395).

2. Parties to the 1923 convention not party to the 1929 convention are: Brazil, Dominican Republic and Uruguay.

3. Parties to the 1910 convention not party to the subsequent conventions are: Bolivia and Ecuador.

4. Convention revising the Paris convention of March 20, 1883, as revised, for the protection of industrial property.


6. Entered into force April 26, 1970:
   - for the United States September 5, 1970 except for Articles 1 through 12 which entered into force May 19, 1970;

7. 21 UST 1583; 24 UST 2140; TIAS 6923.


10. Parties to 1911 (Washington) Convention
    - See Note 2.

11. Australia
- Austria
- Belgium
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Central African Republic
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- Chile
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### Amendment

October 2, 1979.

**NOTES**


1. Originally called the Convention of the Union of Paris.
2. Replaces as between contracting parties the (Lisbon) convention of October 31, 1958 (13 UST 1; TIAS 4931; 828 UNTS 107) and the (London) convention of June 2, 1934 (53 Stat. 1748; TS 941; 3 Bevans 223) which in turn replaced the (Hague) convention of November 6, 1925 (47 Stat. 1789; TS 834; 2 Bevans 524) and the (Washington) convention of June 2, 1911 (38 Stat. 1645; TS 579; 1 Bevans 791).
4. Not a party to Articles 1-12; bound by relevant provisions of previous conventions.
5. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
6. Extended to Faroe Islands. With declaration(s).
7. Including all Overseas Departments and Territories.
### Nice Agreement, as revised, concerning
### the international classification of goods and services for the purposes of the registration of marks.  
*Done at Geneva May 13, 1977.*
*Entered into force February 6, 1979; for the United States February 29, 1984.*

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3. Participants to the agreement of 1957 are parties to the agreement of 1977 but are not parties to the subsequent revisions.

4. Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

5. With declaration.

6. Extended to Overseas Departments and Territories.

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NOTES
1 With declaration(s).
2 Not applicable to Hong Kong or Macao.
3 Not applicable to Faroe Islands or to Greenland.
4 Includes all Overseas Departments and Territories.
5 For the Kingdom in Europe. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles.
6 Applicable to Isle of Man.

Trademark law treaty and regulations.

Entering into force August 1, 1996; for the United States August 12, 2000.

TIAS; 2037 UNTS 35.

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NOTES
1 With declaration(s).
2 Not applicable to the Faroe Islands or to Greenland.
3 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

INSULAR POSSESSIONS

Convention to adjust amicably questions between the United States, Germany, and the United Kingdom in respect of the Samoan group of islands.

Signed at Washington December 2, 1899.
Entering into force February 16, 1900.

31 Stat. 1878; TS 314; 1 Bevans 276.

Parties
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 The German Samoan islands became a mandate of New Zealand on May 7, 1919, Germany having renounced rights and titles to them, effective August 4, 1919 (articles 22, 119, and 288, Treaty of Peace with Germany signed at Versailles June 28, 1919). Subsequently these islands were administered by New Zealand, first under a League of Nations mandate, then as a United Nations Trust Territory. On January 1, 1962, Western Samoa acquired the status of an independent state.

Treaty relating to insular possessions and insular dominions in the region of the Pacific Ocean, with declaration.

Signed at Washington December 13, 1921.
Entering into force August 17, 1923.

43 Stat. 1646; TS 669; 2 Bevans 332; 25 LNTS 184.

Agreement supplementary to the treaty relating to insular possessions and insular dominions in the region of the Pacific Ocean.

Signed at Washington February 6, 1922.
Entering into force August 17, 1923.

43 Stat. 1652; TS 670; 2 Bevans 372; 25 LNTS 196.

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France
Japan
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2. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
4. Applicable to Cook Islands, Niue, and Tokelau.
5. See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
6. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

**INTER-BORDER UNIVERSITY**

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## INTER-AMERICAN (RIO) TREATY OF RECIPROCAL ASSISTANCE

(See under DEFENSE)

### INTERGOVERNMENTAL MARITIME CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION

(See INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION)

### INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

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### INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT

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### INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION

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1. [Protocol on the authentic trilingual text of the convention on international civil aviation, with annex.](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#AVIATION)
2. [Convention on international civil aviation.](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#AVIATION)
3. [Done at Buenos Aires September 24, 1968.](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#AVIATION)
4. [Entered into force October 24, 1968.](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#AVIATION)
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  - June 14, 1954 (8 UST 179; TIAS 3756; 320 UNTS 210).
  - September 15, 1962 (26 UST 2374; TIAS 8162; 1008 UNTS 213).
  - July 7, 1971 (26 UST 1061; TIAS 8092).
  - October 16, 1974 (32 UST 322; TIAS 9702).  
  - October 6, 1980.

### NOTES

1. Applicable to all territories.
2. States becoming parties to the convention after the entry into force of the protocol are deemed parties to the protocol.
3. Not a party to the 1968 protocol.
4. Not a party to the 1977 protocol.
5. With a statement.
6. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
7. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
8. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
11. Applicable to Liechtenstein as long as the customs treaty of March 29, 1923 between Switzerland and Liechtenstein remains in force.
12. See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
13. Protocols of amendment to the convention are legally binding only on those states which ratify or otherwise accept them; however, the above amendments are all of an organizational character and thus in effect for all ICAO members. The United States is not a party to the protocols of May 27, 1947 (418 UNTS 161) and June 14, 1954 (320 UNTS 209).
14. This amendment increasing the size of the ICAO council supersedes the protocols of June 21, 1961 (13 UST 2105; TIAS 5170; 514 UNTS 209) and March 12, 1971 (24 UST 1019; TIAS 7616).

### INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT LAW INSTITUTE

(See under ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT)

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(See under ENERGY)

### INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

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### INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION


Signed at Geneva March 6, 1948.

Entered into force March 17, 1958.

9 UST 621; TIAS 4044; 289 UNTS 48.

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**Status:**


**Parties**

- Albania
- Algeria
- Angola
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
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- Bahrain
- Bangladesh
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**Amendments**

- September 15, 1964 (18 UST 1299; TIAS 6285; 607 UNTS 276).
- September 28, 1965 (19 UST 4855; TIAS 6490; 649 UNTS 334).
- October 17, 1974 (28 UST 4607; TIAS 8606).
- November 14, 1975 (34 UST 497; TIAS 10374).
- November 17, 1977 (TIAS 11094).
- November 15, 1979 (TIAS 11094).

**NOTES**

- The title of the Convention was changed to the Convention on the International Maritime Organization by amendment adopted by the Organization November 14, 1975, effective May 22, 1982.
- With declaration.
- See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
- Associate Member.
- See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
- Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
- See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
- See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

**INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND**

*(See under FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS)*

**INTERNATIONAL TRACING SERVICE**

Agreement constituting an International Commission for the International Tracing Service.

Signed at Bonn June 6, 1955.


6 UST 6186; TIAS 3471, pp. 18-37; 219 UNTS 79.

Depositary: International Tracing Service

Status: [International Tracing Service](http://its-aroisen.org/)

**Parties**

- Belgium
- France
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Israel
- Italy
- Mexico
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Nicaragua
- Nigeria
- Norway
- Oman
- Pakistan
- Panama
- Papua New Guinea
- Paraguay
- Peru
- Philippines
- Poland
- Portugal
- Qatar
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- St. Kitts and Nevis
- St. Lucia
- St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Samoa
- San Marino
- Sao Tome and Principe
- Saudi Arabia
- Senegal
- Serbia
- Seychelles
- Sierra Leone
- Singapore
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Solomon Islands
- Somalia
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sudan
- Suriname
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Syrian Arab Republic
- Tanzania
- Thailand
- Togo
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Turkmenistan
- Tuvalu
- Ukraine
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Arab Emirates
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Vanuatu
- Venezuela
- Vietnam
- Yemen (Aden)
- Yemen (San'a)
- Yugoslavia
- Zimbabwe

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INVESTMENT DISPUTES

Constitution on the settlement of investment disputes between states and nationals of other states.\(^1\)

*Done at Washington March 18, 1965.*

*Entered into force October 14, 1966.*

17 UST 1270; TIAS 6090; 575 UNTS 159.

**Depositary:** World Bank


**Parties**

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Benin
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China\(^2\)
China, People’s Republic of \(^3\)
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark\(^4\)
East Timor
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Estonia
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia, The
Georgia
Germany, Federal Republic of \(^5\)
Ghana
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Guyana
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
Indonesia
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Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea
Kuwait
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia
Mali
Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Micronesia
Mongolia
Morocco
Mozambique
Nepal
Netherlands\(^6\)
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Portugal
Romania
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St. Kitts and Nevis
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Saudi Arabia
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Solomon Islands
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Sudan
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Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia

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NOTES

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
2 Notes were exchanged *mutatis mutandis* by the Federal Republic of Germany with France and the United Kingdom.
3 Notes were exchanged *mutatis mutandis* by the International Committee of the Red Cross with France, the Federal Republic of Germany, and the United Kingdom. See also agreement signed at Bonn June 6, 1955 by the Chairman of the International Commission and a representative of the International Committee of the Red Cross (6 UST 6207; TIAS 3471, pp. 39-54; 219 UNTS 96), as extended and amended September 30 and October 7, 1960 (12 UST 471; TIAS 4736, pp. 2533); December 22, 1972.
Protocol embodying a declaration on the jurisdictional personality of foreign companies.

**Done at the Pan American Union, Washington, June 25, 1936.**
**Entered into force for the United States July 10, 1941.**
55 Stat. 1201; TS 973; 3 Bevans 274; 161 UNTS 217.

**Depositary:** Organization of American States

**Status:**
[http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm](http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm)

**Parties**
- Chile 1
- Dominican Republic 1
- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- Nicaragua
- Peru
- United States 2
- Venezuela

**NOTES**
1. With a statement.
2. With understandings.

Protocol on uniformity of powers of attorney which are to be utilized abroad.

**Done at the Pan American Union, Washington, February 17, 1940.**
**Entered into force for the United States April 16, 1942.**
56 Stat. 1376; TS 982; 3 Bevans 612; 161 UNTS 229.

**Depositary:** Organization of American States

**Status:**
[http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm](http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm)

**Parties**
- Brazil 1
- Colombia 1
- El Salvador 1
- Mexico 1
- United States 1
- Venezuela 1

**NOTE**
1. With reservation.

Inter-American convention on letters rogatory.

**Done at Panama January 30, 1975.**
**Entered into force January 16, 1976; for the United States August 27, 1988.**

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** Organization of American States

**Status:**
[http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm](http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm)

Additional protocol to the Inter-American convention on letters rogatory, with annex.

**Done at Montevideo May 8, 1979.**
**Entered into force June 14, 1980; for the United States August 27, 1988.**

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** Organization of American States

**Status:**
[http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm](http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm)

**HAGUE CONVENTIONS**

**NOTE**
1. Adopted under the auspices of The Hague Conference on International Law. (See under LAW, PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL.)
Convention abolishing the requirement of legalisation for foreign public documents, with annex.

Done at The Hague October 5, 1961.
33 UST 883; TIAS 10072; 527 UNTS 189.

Depositary: Netherlands

Status: http://www.minbuza.nl/verdragen/en/depositaire_notificaties

Parties
Albania
Andorra
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botsvana
Brunei
Bulgaria
Colombia
Cook Islands
Croatia
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
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Macao
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Trinidad and Tobago
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Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States
Venezuela
Yugoslavia

NOTES
1. With designation(s).
2. Applicable to all overseas departments and territories.
3. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4. CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration.
5. Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles, and Aruba.
6. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
7. Applicable to Anguilla, Jersey, the Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, Bermuda, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, St. Helena, Turks and Caicos Islands and the British Virgin Islands.
8. Extended to those territories for the foreign relations of which the United States is responsible.
9. With statement(s).
10. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention on the taking of evidence abroad in civil or commercial matters.

Done at The Hague March 18, 1970.
Entered into force October 7, 1972.
23 UST 2555; TIAS 7444; 847 UNTS 231.

Depositary: Netherlands


Parties
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Bahamas
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Botswana
Bulgaria
Canada
China
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Egypt
Estonia
Finland
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Germany, Federal Republic of
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United Kingdom
United States
Venezuela

NOTES
1. With designation(s).
2. With declaration(s).
3. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5. Extended to Aruba.
6. Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Central and Southern Line Islands, Falkland Islands and dependencies, Gibraltar, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Montserrat, Pitcairn, St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Islands.
7. Extended to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

Convention on the service abroad of judicial and extrajudicial documents in civil or commercial matters.

Done at The Hague November 15, 1965.
23 UST 361; TIAS 6638; 658 UNTS 163.

Depositary: Netherlands

Status: http://www.minbuza.nl/verdragen/en/depositaire_notificaties

Parties
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Bahamas
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Belarus
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Botswana
Bulgaria
Canada
China
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Cyprus
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NOTES
1. With designation(s).
2. With declaration(s).
3. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5. Extended to Aruba.
6. Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Central and Southern Line Islands, Falkland Islands and dependencies, Gibraltar, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Montserrat, Pitcairn, St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Islands.
7. Extended to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.
Joint declaration of policy on Korea.
4 UST 230; TIAS 2781.

Parties
Australia
Belgium
Canada
Colombia
Ethiopia
France
Greece
Luxembourg
Netherlands
New Zealand
Philipines
South Africa
Thailand
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.

Agreement concerning a military
armistice in Korea, with annex.
Signed at Panmunjom July 27, 1953, by the
Commander-in-Chief, United Nations
Command; the Supreme Commander of the
Korean People’s Army; and the Commander
of the Chinese People’s Volunteers.
Entered into force July 27, 1953.
4 UST 234; TIAS 2782.

Temporary agreement supplementary
to the armistice agreement in Korea.
Signed at Panmunjom July 27, 1953, by the
Commander-in-Chief, United Nations
Command; the Supreme Commander of the
Korean People’s Army; and the Commander
of the Chinese People’s Volunteers.
Entered into force July 27, 1953.
4 UST 346; TIAS 2782.

Agreement regarding the status of the
United Nations forces in Japan,
with agreed official minutes.
Signed at Tokyo February 19, 1954.
Entered into force June 11, 1954.
5 UST 1123; TIAS 2995; 214 UNTS 51.

Parties
Australia
Canada
France
Italy

KOREA
Instrument for the amendment of the Constitution of the International Labor Organization

Dated at Montreal October 9, 1946.
Entered into force April 20, 1948; reentered into force for the United States February 18, 1980.1

Depositary: International Labour Organization
Status: www.ilo.org/ilolex/english/convdisp1.htm

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
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Central African Republic
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Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
East Timor
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Estonia
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Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia
Georgia
German Democratic Republic 4
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Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
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Yemen (Aden) 7
Yemen (Sanaa) 7
Yugoslavia 8
Zambia
Zimbabwe

Amendments
June 25, 1953 (7 UST 245; TIAS 3500; 191 UNTS 143).
June 22, 1962 (14 UST 1039; TIAS 5401; 466 UNTS 323).
June 22, 1972 (25 UST 3253; TIAS 7987).

NOTES
November 5, 1975 the United States informed the Director-General of the ILO of its intention to withdraw from the organization. The withdrawal became effective November 6, 1977. By letter dated February 15, 1980 the United States informed the Director-General of its decision to resume membership in the organization and accordingly accepted the obligations of the ILO Constitution, which became effective February 18, 1980.

2 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5 With statement.
6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
7 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
8 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention (ILO No. 53) concerning the minimum requirement of professional capacity for masters and officers on board merchant ships. 


Parties
Argentina
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Bulgaria
Croatia
Cuba
Denmark
Djibouti
Egypt
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Korea
Liberia
Libya
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Macedonia
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Mauritania
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Philippines
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Slovenia
Spain
Syrian Arab Republic
Turkey
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Yugoslavia

NOTES
1 Extended to all Danish territories except Greenland.
2 Extended to Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, and Reunion.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 With understandings.
5 Extended to all territories over which the United States has jurisdiction.
6 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention (ILO No. 55) concerning the liability of the shipowner in case of sickness, injury or death of seamen. 


Parties
Belgium
Belize
Bulgaria
Djibouti
Egypt
France
Greece
Italy
Liberia
Luxembourg
Mexico
Morocco
Panama
Peru
Spain
Tunisia
Turkey
United States

NOTES
1 Extended to all Danish territories except Greenland.
2 Extended to Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, and Reunion.
3 With understandings.
4 Extended to all territories over which the United States has jurisdiction.
5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention (ILO No. 58) fixing the minimum age for the admission of children to employment at sea (revised 1936). 


Parties
Argentina
Australia
Belize
Bermuda
Canada
Ghana
Guatemala
Hong Kong
Lebanon
Liberia
Mauritania
Mexico
New Zealand
Peru
Sierra Leone
Sri Lanka
Tanzania: United States
Yemen (Aden)

NOTES
1 Applied by the United Kingdom with modifications for Bermuda.
2 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.
3 With understandings.
4 Extended to all territories over which the United States has jurisdiction.
5 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.

Convention (ILO No. 74) concerning the certification of able seamen. 


Parties
Algeria
Angola
Barbados
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Canada
Croatia
Egypt
France
Ghana
Guinea-Bissau
Hong Kong
Ireland
Italy
Lebanon
Luxembourg
Macao
Macedonia
Mali
Mauritius
Netherlands
New Zealand
Panama
Poland
Portugal
Serbia and Montenegro
Sri Lanka
Spain
United Kingdom
United States
Yugoslavia

NOTES
1 Extended to Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, and Reunion.
2 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
3 Extended to Isle of Man, Jersey, and Guernsey.
4 With understandings.
5 Extended to Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, and Guam.

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Compiled from the most accurate official information available
Convention (ILO No. 80) for the partial revision of the conventions adopted by the General Conference of the International Labor Organization at its first twenty-eight sessions (Final articles revision convention, 1946).


62 Stat. 1672; TIAS 1810; 4 Bevans 183; 38 UNTS 3.

Depositary: International Labour Organization
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Algeria
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Bangladesh
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Bulgaria
Canada
Chile
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Cuba
Czech Republic
Denmark
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Slovenia
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic
Thailand
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay

NOTES
1 Extended to Norfolk Island.
2 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
3 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention (ILO No. 105) concerning the abolition of forced labor.


TIAS; 320 UNTS 291.

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Poland
Convention (ILO No. 147) concerning minimum standards in merchant ships.


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NOTES

1 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Convention (ILO No. 144) concerning tripartite consultations to promote the implementation of international labor standards.


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NOTES

1 With declaration(s).
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
4 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.

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United States

**NOTES**

1. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
2. CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

Convention (ILO No. 150) concerning labor administration: role, functions and organization.

**TIAS**

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Albania
Argentina
Antigua and Barbuda
Armenia
Australia
Belarus
Benin
Burkina Faso
Cambodia
China ¹
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
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Dominican Republic
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**NOTE**
1. Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

Convention (ILO No. 160) concerning labor statistics.

**TIAS**

**Parties**
Albania
Argentina
Australia
Belarus
Benin
Burkina Faso
Cambodia
China
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Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
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**NOTE**
1. CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

North American agreement on labor cooperation, with annexes.

**TIAS**

**Parties**
Canada
Mexico
United States

Convention (ILO No. 176) concerning safety and health in mines.

**TIAS**

**Parties**
Albania
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azarbaijan
Belarus
Benin
Bolivia
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**NOTE**
1. Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
**U.S. Department of State: Multilateral Treaties in Force for the United States as of January 1, 2007**

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Convention (ILO No. 182) concerning the prohibition and immediate action for the elimination of the worst forms of child labor.

*Adopted at the 87th session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, June 17, 1999.*

*Entered into force November 19, 2000; for the United States December 2, 2000.*

**TIAS**

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### LAOS

Declaration and protocol on the neutrality of Laos.


*Entered into force July 23, 1962.*

14 UST 1104; TIAS 5410; 456 UNTS 301.

**LAND-LOCKED STATES**

*(See under TRADE AND COMMERCE)*

**LAOS**

Declaration and protocol on the neutrality of Laos.


*Entered into force July 23, 1962.*

14 UST 1104; TIAS 5410; 456 UNTS 301.
**LAW, PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL**


**Done at the 7th session of the Conference at The Hague October 9–31, 1951.**


15 UST 2228; TIAS 5710; 220 UNTS 121.

**Depositary:** Netherlands


### Parties

- Albania
- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Chile
- China
- Colombia
- Croatia
- Cyprus
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- Denmark
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- Suriname
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Turkey
- Ukraine
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Venezuela
- Yugoslavia

**NOTES**

1. Applicable to Macao.
2. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3. Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles, Aruba and Suriname.
4. With declaration.
5. With designation(s).
6. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Statute of the International Institute for the Unification of Private Law.

**Done at Rome March 15, 1940.**


15 UST 2494; TIAS 5743.

### Parties

- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Belgium
- Bolivia
- Brazil
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- Canada
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- China
- Colombia
- Croatia
- Cuba
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**Amendments**

- June 15–16, 1965 (19 UST 7802; TIAS 6611).
- December 18, 1967 (20 UST 2529; TIAS 6716).
- February 18, 1969 for articles 5, 11 and 16 (30 UST 5663; TIAS 9519).

**NOTES**

1. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
2. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

**LAW OF SEA**

(See under FISHERIES; MARITIME MATTERS; SEABEDS)

**LOAD LINES**

(See under MARITIME MATTERS)
### MARINE POLLUTION

#### International convention for the prevention of pollution of the sea by oil, with annexes.


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- April 11, 1962 (17 UST 1523; TIAS 6109; 600 UNTS 332).
- October 21, 1969 (28 UST 1205; TIAS 8505).

#### NOTES

* Superseded by the 1978 protocol relating to the international convention for the prevention of pollution from ships as between parties to that protocol.

† Not party to the 1978 protocol.

1 With a statement.

2 With reservation(s).

3 See note under Germany, Federal Republic of in Section 1.

4 See note under Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in Section 1.

5 Extended to Bermuda.

6 Extended to American Samoa, Guam, Midway, Wake and Johnston Islands, Trust Territories of the Pacific Islands, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

7 With an understanding and a recommendation.

8 See note under Yemen in Section 1.

9 See note under Yugoslavia in Section 1.

### MARINE POLLUTION

#### International convention relating to intervention on the high seas in cases of oil pollution casualties, with annex.


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#### NOTES

1 With reservation.

2 With declaration.

3 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under China in Section 1.

4 Applicable to Faroe Islands.

5 With statements.

6 See note under Germany, Federal Republic of in Section 1.
Constitution on the prevention of marine pollution by dumping of wastes and other matter, with annexes.

Done at Washington, London, Mexico City and Moscow December 29, 1972.

Entered into force August 30, 1975.

Depositary: United Kingdom

Status: http://www.fco.gov.uk/Files/kfile/London%20Dump

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Amendment

November 12, 1993.

NOTES

1 With statement.

2 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

3 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

4 Extended to Faroe Islands

5 With reservation.

6 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

7 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

8 Not applicable to Cook Islands, Niue, and Tokelau Islands.

9 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

10 Extended to Bailiwick of Guernsey, Bermuda, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Ducie and Oeno Islands, Falkland Islands and dependencies, Henderson, Isle of Man, Bailiwicks of Jersey, Montserrat, Pitcairn, St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Islands, and high seas in cases of pollution by substances other than oil.

Protocol relating to intervention on the high seas in cases of pollution by substances other than oil.


Entered into force March 30, 1983.

Depositary: International Maritime Organization

Status: http://www.imo.org/includes/blastData.asp/doc_id=10561/status.xls

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NOTES

1 With declaration(s).

2 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

3 Applicable to Faroe Islands.
**Marine Pollution Protocol of 1978**

Done at London February 17, 1978.

Entered into force October 2, 1983.

**TIAS**

Depositary: International Maritime Organization

Status: [http://www.imo.org/](http://www.imo.org/)

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- December 5, 1985.
- December 1, 1987.
- October 17, 1989.
- March 6, 1992.
- September 14, 1995.
- July 10, 1996.
- July 10, 1996.
- July 10, 1996.
- April 1, 2004.

### Notes

1. The 1978 protocol incorporates with modifications the provisions of the international convention for the prevention of pollution from ships, including its annexes and protocol, signed at London November 2, 1973. The 1973 convention is not intended to enter into force and be applied on its own. Accordingly, as of October 2, 1983 the regime to be applied by the states parties to the 1978 protocol will be the regime contained in the 1973 convention as modified by the 1978 protocol.

2. With declaration(s).

3. With reservation(s).

4. Not a party to Annex IV.

5. Not a party to Annex III.

6. Not a party to Annex V.

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MARINE POLLUTION

7 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
8 Extended to Faroe Islands
9 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
10 With statement(s).
12 For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
13 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
14 Applicable to Bermuda, the Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, and the Isle of Man.
15 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention for the protection and development of the marine environment of the wider Caribbean region, with annex.

*Done at Cartagena March 24, 1983.*
*Entered into force October 11, 1986.*

TIAS 11085.

**Parties**

Antigua and Barbuda
Barbados
Colombia
Cuba
Dominica
France 1
Grenada
Guatemala
Jamaica
Mexico 1
Netherlands 2
Panama
St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia 3
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Trinidad and Tobago
United Kingdom 4
United States
Venezuela

**NOTES**

1 With declaration(s).
2 Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.
3 Not a party to the protocol.
4 Applicable to British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands and Turks and Caicos Islands.

International convention on oil pollution preparedness, response and co-operation, 1990.

*Done at London November 30, 1990.*
*Entered into force May 13, 1995.*

TIAS

**Depositary:** International Maritime Organization
**Status:** http://www.imo.org/

**Parties**

Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bangladesh
Brazil
Bulgaria
Canada
Cape Verde
Chile
China 1
Cocos Islands
Congo
Croatia
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Finland
France
Gambia
Georgia
Germany
Greece
Guinea
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India
Iran
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Jamaica
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Kenya
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Lebanon
Liberia
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Lithuania
Madagascar
Malaysia
Malta
Marshall Islands
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Monaco
Morocco
Mozambique
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nigeria
Norway
Pakistan
Peru
Poland
Portugal
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St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia
Samoa
Senegal
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Singapore
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Syria
Tanzania
Thailand
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Vanuatu
Venezuela

**NOTE**

1 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

MARINE SCIENCE

Convention for a North Pacific Marine Science Organization (PICES).

*Done at Ottawa December 12, 1990.*
*Entered into force March 24, 1992.*

TIAS

**Depositary:** Canada
**Status:** http://www.dfait-maeci.gc.ca/

**Parties**

Canada
China
Japan
Korea
Russian Federation
United States

MARITIME MATTERS

Convention for the unification of certain rules of law with respect to assistance and salvage at sea.

*Signed at Brussels September 23, 1910.*
*Entered into force March 1, 1913.*

37 Stat. 1658; TS 576; 1 Bevans 780.

**Depositary:** Belgium

**Parties**

Algeria
Argentina
Australia 2
Austria
Bahamas, The 1
Barbados 1
Belgium
Belize 1
Brazil
Canada
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Croatia
Cyprus 1
Dominica 1
Dominican Republic

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International convention for the unification of certain rules relating to bills of lading for the carriage of goods by sea, with protocol of signature.

Done at Brussels August 25, 1924.
Entered into force June 2, 1931; for the United States December 29, 1937.

Parties

Algeria
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentine
Bahamas, The
Barbados
Belgium
Belize
Bolivia
Congo, Democratic Republic of the Côte d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Dominica
Ecuador
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Fiji
France
Gambia, The
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
Grenada
Guyana
Hong Kong
Hungary
Iran
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Israel
Jamaica
Kiribati
Kuwait
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Yemen
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES

1 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
2 In addition, the depositary (Belgium) lists as “countries involved” the following states to which the convention was extended prior to their independence: Angola, Cape Verde, Guinea-Bissau, Ireland, Kenya, Mozambique, Sao Tome and Principe, and Somalia.
3 Extended to Norfolk Island.
4 Notification of denunciation October 8, 2001; effective October 8, 2002.
5 Convention applicable to the Federal Republic of Germany except for relations with Hungary, New Zealand, Poland, Romania, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and Uruguay.
6 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
7 Extended to all Portuguese territories.
8 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
9 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Agreement regarding financial support of the North Atlantic ice patrol

Entered into force July 5, 1956.

Parties

Belgium
Canada
Denmark
Finland
France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Italy
Japan
Netherlands
Norway
Panama
Poland

NOTES

1 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 Convention applicable to the Federal Republic of Germany except for relations with Hungary, Poland, Romania. However, the United States is unable to accept the reservation made by Kuwait and does not regard the convention as in force between the United States and Kuwait.
4 Including all territories.
5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
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Convention on the high seas.

*Done at Geneva April 29, 1958.*
*Entered into force September 30, 1962.*

13 UST 2312; TIAS 5200; 450 UNTS 82.

**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**


**Parties**

Afghanistan
Albania 1 2
Australia 3
Austria
Belarus 1 2
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Bulgaria 1 2
Burkina Faso
Cambodia
Central African Republic
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominican Republic
Fiji 3
Finland
German Democratic Republic 1 2 4
Germany, Federal Republic of 1 2 4
Guatemala
Haiti
Hungary 1 2
Indonesia 1
Israel 1
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Jamaica
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Mauritius
Mexico 1
Mongolia 2
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Netherlands 1 3 4
Nigeria
Poland 1 2
Portugal 3
Romania 1 2
Russian Federation
Senegal
Serbia
Sierra Leone
Solomon Republic 1 2
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
South Africa
Spain 2
Swaziland
Switzerland
Thailand 3
Tonga 2
Trinidad and Tobago
Uganda
Ukraine 1 2
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United States 3
Venezuela
Yugoslavia 7

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Convention on the continental shelf.

*Done at Geneva April 29, 1958.*
*Entered into force June 10, 1964.*

15 UST 471; TIAS 5578; 499 UNTS 311.

**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**


**Parties**

Albania
Australia
Belarus
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Bulgaria
Cambodia
Canada 1 2
China (Taiwan) 3 4
Colombia
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominican Republic
Fiji 1
Finland
France 1 3
German Democratic Republic 5
Greece 1
Guatemala
Haiti
Israel
Jamaica
Kenya
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Madagascar
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Mauritius
Mexico
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New Zealand
Nigeria
Norway 1
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
Senegal
Serbia
Sierra Leone
Slovak Republic
Solomon Islands
South Africa
Spain 1 2
Swaziland
Sweden
Switzerland
Thailand 2
Tonga 2
Trinidad and Tobago
Uganda
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics 7
United Kingdom 2
United States 3
Venezuela 1
Yugoslavia 2 3 8

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| 1 With declaration. | 2 With a statement. | 3 With reservation. | 4 See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1. | 5 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1. | 6 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba. | 7 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1. | 8 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1. |

Convention on the territorial sea and contiguous zone.

*Done at Geneva April 29, 1958.*
*Entered into force September 10, 1964.*

15 UST 1606; TIAS 5639; 516 UNTS 205.

**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**


**Parties**

Australia 1
Belarus
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Bulgaria 2
Cambodia
Croatia
Czech Republic 1
Denmark
Dominican Republic
Fiji 1
Finland
German Democratic Republic 1 2 4
Haiti
Hungary 1 2
Israel 1
Italy
Jamaica
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Madagascar
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Russian Federation
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Solomon Islands
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United States 3
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Lithuania
Madagascar
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Malaysia
Mali
Mauritius
Mexico
Montenegro
Netherlands
Nigeria
Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
Senegal
Serbia
Sierra Leone
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
South Africa
Spain
Swaziland
Switzerland
Thailand
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Uganda
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela
Viet-Nam, Republic of
Western Samoa
Yemen (Aden)
Yemen (Sanaa)
Yugoslavia
Zambia

NOTES
1 With a statement.
2 With reservation.
3 With a declaration.
4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
7 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

International convention for the safety of life at sea, 1960.*
Done at London June 17, 1960.
16 UST 185; TIAS 5780; 536 UNTS 27.

Parties
Algeria
Australia
Austria
Bahamas, The
Bangladesh
Belgium
Brazil
Burma
Cambodia
Canada
Chile
China
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Cote d’Ivoire
Cuba
Cyprus
Czechoslovakia
Denmark
Ecuador

EGYPT
Equatorial Guinea
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia, The
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Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
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Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

NOTES
1 With reservation(s).
2 With statement(s).

Inter-American convention on facilitation of international waterborne transportation, with annex.
Signed at Mar del Plata June 7, 1963.
Entered into force January 11, 1981.
TIAS 12064.
Depositary: Organization of American States
Status: http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm

Parties
Argentina
Chile
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Guatemala
Mexico
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
United States
Uruguay

NOTES
1 With reservation(s).
2 With statement(s).
### Convention for the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea.

*Done at Copenhagen September 12, 1964.*

*Entered into force July 22, 1968; for the United States April 18, 1973.*

**24 UST 1080; TIAS 7628; 652 UNTS 237.**

#### Parties

- Belgium
- Canada
- Denmark
- Estonia
- Finland
- France
- German Democratic Republic
  - Germany, Federal Republic of
- Iceland
- Ireland
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Portugal
- Spain
- Sweden
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
  - United Kingdom
- United States

#### Amendment

*August 13, 1970 (27 UST 1022; TIAS 8238).*

#### NOTES

1. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
2. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

### Convention on facilitation of international maritime traffic, with annex.

*Done at London April 9, 1965.*

*Entered into force March 5, 1967; for the United States May 16, 1967.*

**18 UST 411; TIAS 6251; 591 UNTS 265.**

#### Depositary:
International Maritime Organization

**Status:** [http://www.imo.org/](http://www.imo.org/)

#### Parties

- Albania
- Algeria
- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Bahamas, The
- Bangladesh
- Barbados
- Belgium
- Benin
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Burundi
- Cameroon
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Chile
- China
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- Cote d’Ivoire
- Croatia
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- Guyana
- Honduras
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- India
- Indonesia
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- Spain
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- Switzerland
- Syrian Arab Republic
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- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
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- United States
- Uruguay
- Vanuatu
- Venezuela
- Vietnam
- Yemen (Sanaa)
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia

#### Amendments

*November 19, 1973 (TIAS 11092), November 10, 1977.*

#### NOTES

1. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
2. Applicable to Faroe Islands.
3. With reservation.
4. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
7. Extended to American Samoa, Guam, Midway, Wake and Johnston Islands, Trust Territories of the Pacific Islands, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.
8. With declaration(s).
9. See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
10. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

### International convention on load lines, 1966.

*Done at London April 5, 1966.*

*Entered into force July 21, 1968.*

**18 UST 1857; TIAS 6331; 640 UNTS 133.**

#### Depositary: International Maritime Organization

**Status:** [http://www.imo.org/](http://www.imo.org/)

#### Parties

- Albania
- Algeria
- Angola
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Australia
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- Azerbaijan
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- Bahrain
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- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Bahamas
- Bahrain
- Bangladesh
- Barbados
- Belgium
- Belize
- Benin
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Burma
- Cambodia
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Chile
- China
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Done at London November 1, 1974.
32 UST 47; TIAS 9700.

**Depositary:** International Maritime Organization
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Done at London February 17, 1978.
Entered into force May 1, 1981.

32 UST 3577; TIAS 10009.

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NOTES

1 Replaces convention of 1960 as between contracting parties.
2 With reservation.
3 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
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11 Extended to Bermuda, Cayman Islands, Gibraltar, and the Isle of Man.
12 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
13 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Entered into force April 28, 1984;
for the United States October 1, 1991.

Depositary: International Maritime Organization
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November 20, 1981.

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### MARITIME MATTERS

**U.S. Department of State: Multilateral Treaties in Force for the United States as of January 1, 2007**

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- Azerbaijan
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- Bangladesh
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- Bosnia-Herzegovina
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- Cape Verde
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- Croatia
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- Cyprus
- Denmark
- Dominica
- Ecuador
- Estonia
- Finland
- France
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8. With a statement.
9. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
10. Extended to Anguilla, the Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Gibraltar, and the Isle of Man.

Convention for the suppression of unlawful acts against the safety of maritime navigation.

**Done at Rome March 10, 1988.**

**Entered into force March 1, 1992; for the United States March 6, 1995.**

**TIAS**: 11093

**Depositary**: International Maritime Organization

**Status**: [http://www.imo.org/](http://www.imo.org/)

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- Afghanistan
- Albania
- Algeria
- Argentina
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- Australia
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### Protocol for the suppression of unlawful acts against the safety of fixed platforms located on the continental shelf.

**Done at Rome March 10, 1988.**

**Entered into force March 1, 1992; for the United States March 6, 1995.**

**TIAS Depositary:** [International Maritime Organization](http://www.imo.org/)

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3. With declaration(s).
4. Extended to Isle of Man.

Protocol of 1988 relating to the international convention on load lines, 1966, with annexes.


TIAS

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NOTES
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3. Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
International convention on salvage, 1989.  
Done at London April 28, 1989.  
Entered into force July 14, 1996.  

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1 With reservation(s).  
2 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in Section 1.  
3 Applicable to Faroe Islands.  
4 With declaration(s).  
5 Extended to Anguilla, the Bailiwick of Jersey, the Antarctic Territory, the Indian Ocean  

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**METEOROLOGY**  
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**MIGRATION**  
Constitution of the Intergovernmental Committee for Migration.*  
Adopted at Venice October 19, 1953.  
Entered into force November 30, 1954.  

6 UST 603; TIAS 3197; 207 UNTS 189.  

**Depositary:** International Organization for Migration  
Status: [http://www.iom.int/jahia/jsp/index.jsp](http://www.iom.int/jahia/jsp/index.jsp)  

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* The organization’s name was changed to the International Organization for Migration (IOM) by amendment adopted May 20, 1987, effective November 14, 1989.
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

MOROCCO

Convention for the establishment of the right of protection in Morocco.1

Signed at Madrid July 3, 1880.
Entered into force May 1, 1881; for the United States March 9, 1882; effective July 3, 1880.
22 Stat. 817; TS 246; 1 Bevans 71.

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France
Italy
Morocco
Netherlands
Portugal
Spain
Sweden
United Kingdom
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NOTES
1 Extraterritorial jurisdiction in Morocco relinquished by the United States October 6, 1956.
2 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
3 With reservation and understanding.

Declaration and protocol of the conference on the status of Tangier.
Signed at Tangier October 29, 1956.
Entered into force October 29, 1956.
7 UST 3035; TIAS 3680; 263 UNTS 165.

Parties
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France
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MOSCOW AGREEMENT

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NARCOTIC DRUGS


Entered into force December 13, 1964; for the United States June 24, 1967.1
18 UST 1407; TIAS 6298; 520 UNTS 204.

Depositary: United Nations

Status:


Done at Geneva March 25, 1972.
Entered into force August 8, 1975.
26 UST 1439; TIAS 8118; 976 UNTS 3.

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### NOTES

- * Not party to the 1972 protocol.

1. The single convention on narcotic drugs replaced as between the contracting parties the following conventions to which the United States is a party:
   - Convention of July 13, 1931 for limiting the manufacture and regulating the distribution of narcotic drugs (48 Stat. 1543; TS 863; 3 Bevans 1; 139 LNTS 301), as amended by the protocol of December 11, 1946 (61 Stat. 2230, 62 Stat. 1796; TIAS 1671, 1859; 4 Bevans 267; 12 UNTS 179).
   - Protocol bringing under international control drugs outside the scope of the convention of July 13, 1931, as amended (see above) (2 UST 1629; TIAS 2308; 44 UNTS 277).
2. Parties to (or otherwise obligated under) the above conventions and protocols which are not parties to the single convention of 1961 include: Albania (1912, 1931, 1948); Central African Republic (1912, 1931, 1948, 1953); Estonia (1912, 1931); Tanzania (1931, 1948); Western Samoa (1948, 1953).
3. With reservation(s).
4. With statement.
5. With declaration(s).
6. With reservation(s) to the 1972 protocol.
7. See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
8. The Taiwan authorities have adhered to the 1961 convention. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
9. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
10. Applicable to the whole of the territory of the French Republic.
11. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
12. CHINA is not a party to these treaties but has made them applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
13. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
14. Applicable to the Cook Islands (including Niue) and Tokelau Islands.
15. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
16. Applicable to Anguilla, Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands and dependencies, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, St. Helena, Turks and Caicos Islands.
17. Applicable to all areas for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.

### Convention on psychotropic substances.

**Done at Vienna February 21, 1971.**
**Entered into force August 16, 1976:**
**for the United States July 15, 1980.**
**32 UST 543; TIAS 9725; 1019 UNTS 175.**

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**NOTES**

1. With declaration(s).
2. With reservation(s).
3. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4. Note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5. For the Kingdom in Europe.
6. For the Kingdom in Europe.
7. For the Kingdom in Europe.
8. Extended to all parts of the British Empire not separate members of League of Nations.

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation in the fight against illicit trafficking of narcotic drugs through the use of equipment and personnel based at Great Inagua and such other bases as may be established in the Turks and Caicos Islands, with annexes.


Entered into force July 12, 1990.

TIAS

**Parties**

Bahamas

Turks and Caicos Islands

United States

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**NATIONALITY**

Protocol relating to military obligations in certain cases of double nationality.

Concluded at The Hague April 12, 1930.

Entered into force May 25, 1937.

50 Stat. 1317; TS 913; 2 Bevans 1049; 178 LNTS 227.

**Parties**

Australia

Austria

Belgium

Brazil

Burma

Colombia

Cuba

Cyprus

El Salvador

Fiji

India

Kiribati

Lesotho

Malawi

Malt

Mauritania

Mauritius

Netherlands

Niger

Nigeria

South Africa

Swaziland

Sweden

United Kingdom

United States

Zimbabwe

**NOTES**

1. Extended to Norfolk Island.
2. With reservation.
3. Extended to Curacao.
4. Extended to all parts of the British Empire not separate members of League of Nations.

Convention on the nationality of women.

Signed at Montevideo December 26, 1933.

Entered into force August 29, 1934.

49 Stat. 2957; TS 875; 3 Bevans 141.
### NORTH ATLANTIC ICE PATROL

(See under MARITIME MATTERS)

### NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO)

**Parties**
- Argentina
- Brazil
- Chile
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Cuba
- Dominica
- Ecuador
- Guatemala
- Honduras
- Mexico
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- United States

**NOTE**
1. With reservation.

#### NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY

Agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty regarding the status of their forces.

Signed at London June 19, 1951.

Entered into force August 23, 1953.

4 UST 1792; TIAS 2846; 199 UNTS 67.

**Parties**
- Belgium
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Estonia
- France
- Germany, Federal Rep. 1
- Greece
- Hungary
- Italy
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Poland
- Portugal 1
- Romania
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Turkey
- United Kingdom
- United States

#### NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO)

Agreement on the status of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, national representatives, and international staff.

Done at Ottawa September 20, 1951.

Entered into force May 15, 1954; for the United States May 18, 1954.

5 UST 1087; TIAS 2992; 200 UNTS 3.

**Depositary:** United States

**Status:**
http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/85631.pdf

**Parties**
- Belgium
- Bulgaria
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- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Estonia
- France
- Germany, Fed.  Rep. 1
- Greece
- Hungary
- Iceland
- Italy
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Turkey
- United Kingdom
- United States

#### NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO)

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of Greece and Turkey.

Done at London October 17, 1951.

Entered into force February 15, 1952.

3 UST 43; TIAS 2390; 126 UNTS 350.

**Depositary:**
- Belgium
- Canada
- Denmark
- France
- Iceland
- Italy
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Portugal
- United Kingdom
- United States

#### NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO)


Signed at Paris August 28, 1952.

Entered into force April 10, 1954.

TIAS 2978; 5 UST 870; 200 UNTS 340.

**Depositary:** United States

**Status:**
http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/85631.pdf

**Parties**
- Belgium
- Bulgaria
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Estonia
- Germany, Fed.  Rep. 1
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127 Compiled from the most accurate official information available
Signed at Paris October 23, 1954.
6 UST 5707; TIAS 3428; 243 UNTS 308.
Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/t treaties/c9841.htm

Parties
Belgium
Canada
Denmark
France
Greece
Iceland
Italy
Luxembourg
Netherlands
Norway
Portugal
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement to supplement the agreement of June 19, 1951 between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty regarding the status of their forces with respect to foreign forces stationed in the Federal Republic of Germany, with protocol of signature.3
Signed at Bonn August 3, 1959.
Entered into force July 1, 1963.
14 UST 531; TIAS 5351; 481 UNTS 262.

Parties
Belgium
Canada
France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Netherlands
United Kingdom
United States

Amendments:
October 21, 1971 (24 UST 2355; TIAS 7759).
May 18, 1981 (34 UST 405; TIAS 10367).6
March 18, 1993.
March 18, 1993.

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of Spain.
Signed at Brussels December 10, 1981.
TIAS 10564.
Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/t treaties/c9841.htm

Parties
Belgium
Canada
Denmark
France
Germany, Federal Rep.1
Greece2

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of the Czech Republic.
TIAS
Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/t treaties/c9841.htm

Parties to the above three Protocols to the North Atlantic treaty on the accessions of the Czech Republic, Hungary and Poland
Belgium
Canada
Denmark
France
Germany
Greece
Iceland
Italy
Luxembourg
Netherlands
Norway
Portugal
Spain
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of the Slovak Republic.
Entered into force February 27, 2004; for the United States February 27, 2004.
TIAS
Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/t treaties/c9841.htm

Entered into force February 27, 2004; for the United States February 27, 2004.
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Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/t treaties/c9841.htm

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty organization (NATO)
NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO)

Parties to the above seven Protocols to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accessions of Bulgaria, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Romania, the Slovak Republic and Slovenia

Bulgaria, Bulgaria
Canada, Canada
Czech Republic, Czech Republic
Denmark, Denmark
France, France
Germany, Germany
Greece, Greece
Hungary, Hungary
Iceland, Iceland
Italy, Italy
Luxembourg, Luxembourg
Netherlands, Netherlands
Norway, Norway
Poland, Poland
Portugal, Portugal
Spain, Spain
Turkey, Turkey
United Kingdom, United Kingdom
United States, United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Agreement regarding the status of personnel of sending states attached to an International Military Headquarters of North Atlantic Treaty Organization in the Federal Republic of Germany.

Done at Bonn February 7, 1969.
Entered into force December 21, 1969.
20 UST 4055; TIAS 6792; 737 UNTS 161.

Parties
Belgium
Canada
Germany, Federal Republic of
Netherlands
United Kingdom

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS (See also PATENTS)

Agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty for cooperation regarding atomic information.

Done at Paris June 18, 1964.
Entered into force March 12, 1965.
16 UST 109; TIAS 5768; 542 UNTS 145.

Parties
Belgium
Bulgaria
Canada
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Hungary
Iceland
Italy
Latvia
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Portugal
Slovak Republic
Spain
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION HEADQUARTERS – FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

Agreement on the special conditions applicable to the establishment and operation of the International Military Headquarters in the Federal Republic of Germany, with protocol and exchange of notes.

Entered into force December 21, 1969.
29 UST 879; TIAS 8854.

Agreement regarding making available by the armed forces of the United States and the United Kingdom of accommodation to International Military Headquarters of North Atlantic Treaty Organization in the Federal Republic of Germany.

Done at Bonn February 7, 1969.
Entered into force December 21, 1969.
20 UST 4050; TIAS 6791; 737 UNTS 175.

Parties
Germany, Federal Republic of
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

North Atlantic Treaty Organization agreement on the communication of technical information for defense purposes.

Done at Brussels October 19, 1970.
22 UST 347; TIAS 7064; 800 UNTS 5.

Parties
Belgium
Bulgaria
Canada
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Hungary
Italy
Latvia
Lithuania
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Romania
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Spain
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 With statement.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

Memorandum of understanding for the international development of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization sea gnat system, with annexes

Dated December 8, 1976.
28 UST 8897; TIAS 8776.

Parties
Germany, Federal Republic of
Norway
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Memorandum of understanding for the co-operative support of the NATO seasparrow surface missile system, with exhibit.

Done May 20, 1977.
29 UST 1103; TIAS 8870.

Parties
Belgium
Denmark
Germany, Federal Republic of
Italy
Netherlands
Norway
United States

NOTE
1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
Agreement concerning helicopter pilot training in the United States under the scope of EURO/NATO training, with annexes.


Entered into force October 10, 1977.

29 UST 5555; TIAS 9128.

Parties

Denmark

Germany, Federal Republic of

Netherlands

Norway

United States

Memorandum of understanding for the cooperative support of the 76/62 OTO Melara Compact Gun (OMCG), with annexes.

Done October 24, 1978.


30 UST 1170; TIAS 9244.

Parties

France

Germany, Federal Republic of

Netherlands

United Kingdom

United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperative full-scale engineering development of an advanced surface-to-air missile system, with annexes


TIAS 12256.

Parties

Denmark

Germany, Federal Republic of

United States

NOTE

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Memorandum of understanding concerning the EURO-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training (ENJJPT) Program.

Signed at Brussels December 9, 1980.

Entered into force December 9, 1980.

32 UST 4259; TIAS 9947.

Parties

Belgium

Canada

Denmark

Germany, Federal Republic of

Greece

Italy

Netherlands

Norway

Portugal

Turkey

United Kingdom

United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning a NATO anti-air warfare system (NAAWS), with annex


TIAS

Parties

Canada

France

Germany, Federal Republic of

Italy

Spain

United Kingdom

United States

NOTE

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Memorandum of understanding for the project definition phase of a NATO frigate replacement for the 1990s (NFR 90)


TIAS

Parties

Canada

France

Germany, Federal Republic of

Italy

Netherlands

Spain

United Kingdom

United States

NOTE

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
Memorandum of understanding concerning a cooperative project for the establishment, operation, management and support of the NATOInsensitive Munitions Information Center (NIMIC), with annexes.
Signed at Brussels October 24, 1990.
Entered into force October 24, 1990.
TIAS

Amendments

October 6, 12, 17 and 25 and November 2, 1994.
March 15, 28 and 29 and April 4 and 10, 1995.
March 15, 28 and 29 and April 4 and 12, 1995.
March 29, April 2, 9, 16, 18, 22 and 30 and June 13, 1996.
April 7, 20, 21, 26 and 27 and May 6, 18 and 21, 1999.

Agreement to provide for the accession of Spain to the memorandum of understanding of May 20, 1977, for the cooperative support of the NATO seasparrow surface missile system.
Signed at Hamburg October 4, 8 and 14, 1991.
Entered into force October 14, 1991.
TIAS

Parties

Australia
Belgium
Canada
Denmark
Germany
Greece
Italy
Netherlands
Norway
Portugal
Spain
Turkey
United States

Administrative agreement to implement article 60 of the agreement of August 3, 1959, as amended, to supplement the agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty regarding the status of their forces with respect to foreign forces stationed in the Federal Republic of Germany.
Done at Bonn March 18, 1993.
TIAS

Agreement on the status of missions and representatives of third states to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.
Done at Brussels September 14, 1994.
TIAS

U.S. Department of State: Multilateral Treaties in Force for the United States as of January 1, 2007

Memorandum of understanding on the establishment and operation of the International Planning and Coordination Staff for the Multinational Reaction Forces (Air) of NATO – Reaction Force Air Staff, with annexes.
Signed at Casteau July 20, 24, 25 and 28 and August 1, 10 and 15, 1993.
TIAS

Memorandum of understanding concerning the establishment, mission, financing, administration and status of Headquarters 5 Allied Tactical Air Force (HQ 5 ATAF), with annexes.
Signed at Casteau September 25, 26, 29 and October 2, 1995.
Entered into force October 2, 1995; effective January 1, 1994.
TIAS 12694.

Memorandum of understanding concerning the manning, funding and support of NATO Southern Region Maritime Sub-Principal Subordinate Command Headquarters of Commander Gibraltar Mediterranean (HQ GIBMED), Commander Maritime Air Forces Mediterranean (HQ MARAIRMED), Commander Central Mediterranean (HQ MEDCENT), Commander Eastern Mediterranean (HQ MEDEAST), Commander Northeast Mediterranean (HQ MEDNOREAST) and Commander Submarines Mediterranean (HQ SUBMED), with annexes.
Signed at Casteau September 27 and October 2, 1995.
Entered into force October 2, 1995; effective January 1, 1994.
TIAS 12695.
Memorandum of understanding concerning a feasibility study for a NATO influence minesweeping system (NIMS), with annexes.
Entered into force June 3, 1996.

TIAS

Parties
Canada
France
Norway
United States

Memorandum of understanding covering a feasibility study for a NATO submarine rescue system (NSRS).
Entered into force June 12, 1996.

TIAS

Parties
France
Italy
Norway
United Kingdom
United States

Memorandum of understanding covering subphase two of the design and development phase of the NATO improved link eleven (NILE) project, with annex and related letter.
Entered into force July 2, 1996.

TIAS

Parties
Canada
France
Germany
Italy
Netherlands
United Kingdom
United States

Agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty for the security of information, with annexes.
Done at Brussels March 6, 1997.

TIAS

Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm

Parties
Belgium
Bulgaria
Canada
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
France
Germany
Greece

Hungary
Latvia
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
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Romania
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Turkey
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 For the Kingdom in Europe.

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation on a NATO transatlantic advanced radar project definition phase.
Signed at Washington, Belgium, Canada, Denmark and Norway September 5, October 2, 5, 10 and 11, 2000.

TIAS

Parties
Belgium
Canada
Denmark
Norway
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the in-service support phase of the NATO improved link eleven project, with annexes.
Entered into force July 2, 2002.

TIAS

Parties
Canada
France
Germany
Italy
United Kingdom
United States

Amendment and extension
February 10, 21, 22, and 25, March 8 and 9, and September 27, 2005.

NUCLEAR ACCIDENTS

Convention on early notification of a nuclear accident.
Done at Vienna September 26, 1986.

TIAS

Depositary: International Atomic Energy Agency
Status: http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/pi_status.pdf

Parties
Albania
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Bangladesh
Belarus
Belgium
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burma
Cameroun
Canada
Chile
China
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Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
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Egypt
El Salvador
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EURATOM
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Food and Agriculture Organization
France
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Guatemala
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Japan
Jordan
Korea
Kuwait
Latvia
Lebanon
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Malaysia
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
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3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.  
4. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

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### Nuclear Free Zone — Latin America

**NOTE**

1. The United States is not a party to the treaty for the prohibition of nuclear weapons in Latin America (the Treaty of Tlatelolco). For the English text of the treaty, see 22 UST 762; TIAS 7137; for the text in other languages, see 634 UNTS 281.

### Nuclear Energy

**NUCLEAR FREE ZONE — LATIN AMERICA**

**NOTE**

1. With declaration(s).  
2. Applicable to Anguilla, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Montserrat, Turks and Caicos Islands.  
3. With understanding and declarations.

Additional protocol I to the treaty of February 14, 1967 for the prohibition of nuclear weapons in Latin America.

**Done at Mexico February 14, 1967.**


33 UST 1792; TIAS 10147; 634 UNTS 362.

### Parties

- France
- Netherlands
- United Kingdom
- United States

### Notes

1. With statement(s).  
2. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.  
3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.  
4. With declaration.

Additional protocol II to the treaty of February 14, 1967 for the prohibition of nuclear weapons in Latin America.

**Done at Mexico February 14, 1967.**


22 UST 754; TIAS 7137; 634 UNTS 364.

### Parties

- China
- France
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States

### Notes

1. With statement.  
2. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.  
3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.  
4. With declaration.
**NUCLEAR MATERIALS**

Convention on the physical protection of nuclear materials, with annex.

*Done at Vienna October 26, 1979.*
*Entered into force February 8, 1987.*
*TIAS 10880.*

**Depositary:** International Atomic Energy Agency
**Status:** [http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/pi_status.pdf](http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/pi_status.pdf)

**Parties**
- Afghanistan
- Albania
- Algeria
- Andorra
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
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- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Bangladesh
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- Costa Rica
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- 1 With declaration(s).
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- 3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
- 4 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
- 5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

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**NUCLEAR SAFETY**

Convention on nuclear safety.

*Done at Vienna September 20, 1994.*
*Entered into force October 24, 1996; for the United States July 10, 1999.*
*TIAS 11080.*

**Depositary:** International Atomic Energy Agency
**Status:** [http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/pi_status.pdf](http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/pi_status.pdf)

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- Argentina
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**NUCLEAR TEST BAN**

Treaty banning nuclear weapon tests in the atmosphere, in outer space and under water.

*Done at Moscow August 5, 1963.*

*Entered into force October 10, 1963.*

14 UST 1313; TIAS 5433; 480 UNTS 43.

**Parties**

- Afghanistan
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Bahamas, The
- Bangladesh
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Benin
- Bhutan
- Bolivia
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Botswana
- Brazil
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- Chad
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- China (Taiwan) ¹
- Colombia
- Congo, Democratic Republic of the
- Costa Rica
- Cote d’Ivoire
- Croatia
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- Rwanda
- San Marino
- Senegal
- Seychelles
- Sierra Leone
- Singapore
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sudan
- Suriname
- Swaziland
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Syrian Arab Republic
- Tanzania
- Thailand
- Togo
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics ⁴ ⁵

**United Kingdom ⁴**
- United States ⁴
- Uruguay
- Venezuela
- Western Samoa
- Yemen (Aden) ⁴
- Yugoslavia ¹
- Zambia

**NOTES**

1. With reservation(s)/declaration(s).
2. For the Kingdom in Europe.
3. For the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the Bailiwick of Jersey and the Isle of Man.

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**NUCLEAR WASTE**

Joint convention on the safety of spent fuel management and on the safety of radioactive waste management.

*Done at Vienna September 5, 1997.*

*Entered into force June 18, 2001; for the United States July 14, 2003.*

**Parties**

- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- China
- Croatia
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- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia

**Depositary:** International Atomic Energy Agency

**Status:** [http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/](http://www.iaea.org/Publications/Documents/Conventions/)

**NOTE**

1. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
2. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
4. Original Party.
5. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
6. See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
7. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
NUCLEAR WEAPONS — NON–PROLIFERATION

South Africa*  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  

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NUCLEAR WEAPONS — NON–PROLIFERATION

Treaty on the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons.  
Done at Washington, London and Moscow July 1, 1968.  
Entered into force March 5, 1970.  
21 UST 483; TIAS 6839; 729 UNTS 161.

Parties  
Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua and Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
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**NOTES**

1. The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this treaty. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
2. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3. With statement.
4. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
5. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
6. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
7. Extended to Anguilla and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.
8. See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
9. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

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**OCEAN DUMPING**

(See MARINE POLLUTION)

**OIL POLLUTION**

(See MARINE POLLUTION)

**OPEN SKIES**

Treaty on open skies, with annexes.

*Done at Helsinki March 24, 1992.*

*Enter into force January 1, 2002.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** Canada

**Status:** [http://www.treaty-accord.gc.ca/](http://www.treaty-accord.gc.ca/)

**Parties**

Belarus
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Bulgaria
Canada
Croatia
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
Finland
France
Georgia
Germany
Greece
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Norway
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
Turkey

Ukraine
United Kingdom
United States

**NOTES**

1. With declaration(s) and/or reservation(s)
2. Applicable to Bailiwick of Guernsey; Bailiwick of Jersey; Isle of Man; Anguilla; Bermuda; British Indian Ocean Territory; British Virgin Islands; Cayman Islands; Falkland Islands; Gibraltar; Montserrat; Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Islands; St. Helena; St. Helenas Dependencies; South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands; Turks and Caicos Islands; United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia on the island of Cyprus.

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**OPIUM**

*(See NARCOTIC DRUGS)*

**ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT**

*(See under ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT)*

**ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES**

Charter of the Organization of American States.

*Signed at Bogota April 30, 1948.*

*Enter into force December 13, 1951.*

2 UST 2394; TIAS 2361; 119 UNTS 3.

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** Organization of American States


**Parties**

Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Bahamas, The
Barbados
Belize
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Brazil
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**ORGANIZED CRIME**

United Nations convention against transnational organized crime.

*Done at New York November 15, 2000.*

*Entered into force September 29, 2003; for the United States December 3, 2005.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** United Nations


**Parties**

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Argentina
Armenia
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### PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

**CONVENTION FOR THE PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES**

**HAGUE CONVENTIONS**


32 Stat. 1779; TS 392; 1 Bevans 230.

**Parties**

- Argentina ²
- Australia
- Austria
- Belarus ²
- Belgium
- Belize ⁴
- Benin ⁴
- Bolivia
- Brazil ⁷
- Bulgaria
- Burkina Faso
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Canada
- Chile ³
- China ⁹
- Colombia
- Congo, Democratic Republic of the
- Costa Rica ⁴
- Croatia ⁷
- Cuba
- Cyprus ⁴
- Czech Republic ⁴
- Denmark
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador ²
- Egypt ⁴
- El Salvador
- Eritrea ⁴
- Estonia ⁴
- Ethiopia ²
- Fiji ⁴
- Finland ⁴
- France
- German Democratic Republic ⁵
- Germany, Federal Republic of ⁸
- Greece ⁴
- Guatemala
- Guyana ⁴
- Haiti
- Honduras
- Hungary
- Iceland
- India ²
- Iran ²
- Iraq
- Ireland ¹
- Israel ⁸
- Italy ²
- Japan ⁴
- Jordan ⁴
- Kenya ⁴
- Korea ⁴
- Kuwait ⁴
- Kyrgyz Republic
- Laos
- Latvia ⁴
- Lebanon
- Libya ⁴
- Liechtenstein ⁴
- Lithuania ⁴
- Luxembourg
- Macedonia
- Malaysia ⁶
- Malta ⁴
- Mauritius ²
- Mexico
- Morocco ⁴
- Netherlands
- New Zealand ²
- Nicaragua
- Nigeria ⁴
- Norway
- Pakistan ²
- Panama
- Paraguay
**NOTES**

1. Replaced by convention of October 18, 1907 as between contracting parties to the inter-American convention. The parties to the 1899 and/or 1907 conventions comprise the members of the Permanent Court of Arbitration.

2. Part to the 1899 convention only.

3. With statement.

4. Party to the 1907 convention only.

5. With reservation(s).

6. The Administrative Council of the Permanent Court of Arbitration decided on April 6, 1972 that the designation of the “Republic of China,” as well as the names of the arbitrators previously listed under that designation, should be omitted from the Annual Report pending consultation of the contracting parties by the Government of the Netherlands, which is the depositary for the conventions of 1899 and 1907.

7. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

8. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

9. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

10. Extended to Angola and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

11. With understanding.

12. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

**INTER-AMERICAN CONVENTIONS**

(See also ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES)

Convention for the establishment of International Commissions of Inquiry.


44 Stat. 2070; TS 717; 2 Bevans 387.

**Parties**

Costa Rica

Guatemala

Honduras

Nicaragua

United States

Treaty to avoid or prevent conflicts between the American States.

Signed at Santiago May 3, 1923. Entered into force October 8, 1924.

44 Stat. 2527; TS 752; 2 Bevans 413; 33 LNTS 25.

**Parties**

Brazil

Chile

Colombia

Peru
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1 The treaty was “open to the adherence of all states.”
2 With reservation.
3 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
4 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

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2 With declaration.
PAN AMERICAN UNION

(See ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES)

PANAMA CANAL

(See PANAMA: CANALS in Section 1)

PATENTS

Accord relating to the treatment of German-owned patents.

Done at London July 27, 1946.

Entered into force November 30, 1946.

3 UST 552; TIAS 2415; 90 UNTS 229.

Depositary

Protocol amending the accord relating to the treatment of German-owned patents of July 27, 1946.

Done at London July 17, 1947.

Entered into force July 17, 1947.

3 UST 560; TIAS 2415; 90 UNTS 246.

Depositary

Parties

Belgium

Canada

Czechoslovakia

Denmark

Dominican Republic

Dominica

Ecuador

Egypt

El Salvador

Ethiopia

France

Ghana

Grenada

Guatemala

Guyana

Haiti

Honduras

India

Iran

Iraq

Jamaica

Lebanon

Luxembourg

Malaysia (Sarawak)

Malta

Netherlands

New Zealand

Nicaragua

Nigeria

Norway

Panama

Paraguay

Poland

St. Lucia

St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Saudi Arabia

Singapore

Slovak Republic

South Africa

Sri Lanka

Syrian Arab Republic

Tanzania

Trinidad and Tobago

Turkey

United Kingdom

United States

Venezuela

Western Samoa

Yugoslavia

Zambia

Zimbabwe

NOTES

1. See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

2. Party pursuant to provisions of article 2 of the protocol of July 17, 1947 (TIAS 2415).

3. See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.

4. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.

5. Extended to Falkland Islands.

6. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Agreement relating to German-owned patents in Italy.

Signed at Rome November 29, 1950.

Entered into force November 29, 1950.

2 UST 553; TIAS 2204; 88 UNTS 221.

Depositary

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Czech Republic

Denmark

France

Germany, Federal Republic of

Greece

Hungary

Italy

Luxembourg

Netherlands

Norway

Poland

Portugal

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Turkey

United Kingdom

United States

NOTES

1. Not parties to implementing procedures.

2. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

3. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

Patent cooperation treaty, with regulations.

Done at Washington June 19, 1970.


28 UST 7645; TIAS 8733.

Depositary: World Intellectual Property Organization

Status: http://www.wipo.int/treaties/en/

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Algeria

Antigua and Barbuda

Armenia

Australia

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Barbados

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Bulgaria

Burkina Faso

Cameroon

Canada

Central African Republic

Chad

China

Colombia

Comoros

Congo

Costa Rica

Cote d'Ivoire

Croatia

Cuba

Second revision of implementing procedures.


25 UST 1203; TIAS 7853.

Depositary: North Atlantic Treaty Organization

Status: http://www.nato.int

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Canada

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Budapest treaty on the international recognition of the deposit of microorganisms for the purposes of patent procedure, with regulations.

*Done at Budapest* April 28, 1977.
Entered into force August 19, 1980.
32 UST 1241; TIAS 9768.

**Depository:** World Intellectual Property Organization

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**Amendments**

September 26, 1980.  
January 20, 1981 (33 UST 955; TIAS 10078).

**NOTES**

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.  
2 Extended to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
3 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

International convention for the protection of new varieties of plants of December 2, 1961, as revised.


**Enter into force:** April 24, 1998; for the United States February 22, 1999.

**Depositary:** International Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants

[http://www.upov.int/index.html](http://www.upov.int/index.html)

**Parties**

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Argentina  
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*NOTES*  
1 Not Applicable to Hong Kong.  
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3 Applicable to the territory of the French Republic, including the Oversea Departments and Territories.  
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5 With declaration.  
6 With reservation(s).

**PEACE TREATIES**

Treaty of peace with Italy.  


**Enter into force:** September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 1245; TIAS 1648; 4 Bevans 311; 49 and 50 UNTS.

**Parties**

Albania  
Australia  
Belgium  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile  
China  
Czechoslovakia  
Ethiopia  
France  
Greece  
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3. See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
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5. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
6. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Protocol on the establishment of a four power naval commission, the disposal of excess units of the Italian fleet, and the return by the Soviet Union of warships on loan.


**Entered into force February 10, 1947.**

61 Stat. 3846; TIAS 1733; 4 Bevans 403; 140 UNTS 111.

**Parties**
- France
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTE**
- See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Memorandum of understanding regarding the free territory of Trieste, with two annexes.

Initialed at London October 5, 1954.

**Entered into force October 5, 1954.**

5 UST 2386; TIAS 3099; 235 UNTS 99.

**Parties**
- Italy
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Yugoslavia

**NOTE**
- See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Treaty of peace with Romania.


**Entered into force September 15, 1947.**

61 Stat. 1915; TIAS 1650; 4 Bevans 429; 41 UNTS 21.

**Parties**
- Austria
- Bulgaria
- Czechoslovakia
- Greece
- India
- New Zealand
- Slovak Republic
- South Africa
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Yugoslavia

**NOTE**
- See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Treaty of peace with Hungary.


**Entered into force September 15, 1947.**

61 Stat. 2065; TIAS 1651; 4 Bevans 453; 41 UNTS 135.

**Parties**
- Australia
- Canada
- Czechoslovakia
- Hungary
- India
- New Zealand
- Slovak Republic
- South Africa
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Yugoslavia

**NOTE**
- See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Treaty of peace with Japan.

Signed at San Francisco September 8, 1951.

**Entered into force April 28, 1952.**

3 UST 3169; TIAS 2490; 136 UNTS 45.

**Status:**
- United States

**Depositary:**
- United States

**Parties**
- Argentina
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- Belgium
- Bolivia
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**NOTE**
- With declaration.
- See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
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Declaration by Japan with respect to the treaty of peace.

Signed at San Francisco September 8, 1951.

3 UST 3306; TIAS 2490; 136 UNTS 146, 160.

Agreement for the settlement of disputes arising under article 15(a) of the treaty of peace with Japan.

Done at Washington June 12, 1952.

**Entered into force June 12, 1952; for the United States June 19, 1952.**

3 UST 4054; TIAS 2550; 138 UNTS 160.

**Parties**
- Argentina
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NOTE
1 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

PEACEKEEPING


Entered into force August 3, 1981.
TIAS 10556.

Parties
Egypt
Israel
United States

PHONOGRAMS

Convention for the protection of producers of phonograms against unauthorized duplication of their phonograms.

Done at Geneva October 29, 1971.
Entered into force April 18, 1973; for the United States March 10, 1974.
25 UST 309; TIAS 7808; 866 UNTS 67.

Depositary: UNESCO

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NOTES
1 Applicable to Hong Kong.
2 With statement.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe.
5 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

POLLUTION

Convention on long-range transboundary air pollution.

TIAS 10541

Depositary: United Nations

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Latvia
Liechtenstein

NOTE
1 Extended to Bermuda; British Virgin Islands; Cayman Islands; Gibraltar; Isle of Man; and Montserrat.

POLLUTION

Agreement on the conservation of polar bears.

Done at Oslo November 15, 1973.
27 UST 3918; TIAS 8409.

Depositary: Norway
Status: http://www.regjeringen.no/dep/ud.html?id=833

Parties
Canada
Denmark
Norway
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United States

NOTES
1 With statement.
2 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

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Protocol to the 1979 convention on long-range transboundary air pollution concerning the control of emissions of nitrogen oxides or their transboundary fluxes, with annex.

**Done at Sofia October 31, 1988.**
**Entered into force February 14, 1991.**

**TIAS 12086**

**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**


**PARTIES**

Austria
Belarus
Belgium
Bulgaria
Canada
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
European Economic Community
Finland
France
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Hungary
Ireland
Italy
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Netherlands
Norway
Russian Federation
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States
Yugoslavia

NOTES

1. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
2. For the Kingdom in Europe.
3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
4. Applicable to the Bailiwicks of Jersey and Guernsey, Isle of Man, Gibraltar and the...
### Pollutant Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer, with Annexes

**Done at Vienna** March 22, 1985.
**Entered into force** September 22, 1988.

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**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**

**Parties**
- Afghanistan
- Albania
- Algeria
- Angola
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Bahamas
- Bahrain
- Bangladesh
- Barbados
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Belize
- Benin
- Bhutan
- Bolivia
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Botswana
- Brazil
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Burkina Faso
- Burma
- Burundi
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Central African Republic
- Chad
- Chile
- China
- Colombia
- Comoros
- Congo
- Congo, Democratic Republic of the
- Cook Islands
- Costa Rica
- Cote d’Ivoire
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Djibouti
- Dominica
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- Egypt
- El Salvador
- Equatorial Guinea
- Eritrea
- Estonia
- Ethiopia
- European Economic Community
- Fiji
- Finland
- France
- Gabon
- Gambia, The
- Georgia
- German Democratic Republic
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Ghana
- Greece
- Grenada
- Guatemala
- Guinea
- Guinea-Bissau
- Guyana
- Haiti
- Honduras
- Hungary
- Iceland
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran
- Ireland
- Israel
- Italy
- Jamaica
- Japan
- Jordan
- Kazakhstan
- Kenya
- Kiribati
- Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of
- Korea, Republic of
- Kuwait
- Kyrgyz Republic
- Laos
- Latvia
- Liechtenstein
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Macedonia
- Madagascar
- Malawi
- Malaysia
- Maldives
- Mali
- Malta
- Marshall Islands
- Mauritania
- Mauritius
- Mexico
- Micronesia
- Moldova
- Monaco
- Mongolia
- Montenegro
- Morocco
- Mozambique
- Namibia
- Nauru
- Nepal
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Nicaragua
- Niger
- Nigeria
- Niue
- Norway
- Oman
- Pakistan
- Palau
- Panama
- Papua New Guinea
- Paraguay
- Peru
- Philippines
- Poland
- Portugal
- Qatar
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- Rwanda
- St. Kitts and Nevis
- St. Lucia
- St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Samoa
- Sao Tome and Principe
- Saudi Arabia
- Senegal
- Serbia
- Seychelles
- Sierra Leone
- Singapore
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Solomon Islands
- Somalia
- South Africa
- Spanish Sahara
- Sri Lanka
- Sudan
- Suriname
- Swaziland
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Syria
- Tajikistan
- Tanzania
- Thailand
- Togo
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Turkmenistan
- Tuvalu
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- United Arab Emirates
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Uzbekistan
- Vanuatu
- Venezuela
- Vietnam
- Yemen
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe

**NOTES**

1. With declaration(s).
2. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
3. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

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Montreal protocol on substances that deplete the ozone layer, with annexes.


Parties

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Cook Islands
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Estonia
Ethiopia
European Economic Community
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia, The
Georgia
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iran
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Kiribati
Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of
Korea, Republic of
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Republic
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia
Libya
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Madagascar
Malawi
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Mali
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Marshall Islands
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Mauritius
Mexico
Micronesia
Moldova
Monaco
Mongolia
Montenegro
Morocco
Mozambique
Namibia
Nauru
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Niue
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Palau
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Qatar
Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Samoa
Sao Tome and Principe
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Serbia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
Somalia
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland
Sweden
Switzerland
Syria
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Tanzania
Thailand
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Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
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Turkmenistan
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Ukraine
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Uzbekistan
Vanuatu
Venezuela
Vietnam
Yemen
Yugoslavia
Zambia
POPLAR COMMISSION

Convention placing the International Poplar Commission within the framework of the Food and Agricultural Organization.


UST 2060; TIAS 6952; 410 UNTS 155.

Depositary: Food and Agriculture Organization

Status: http://www.fao.org/legal/treaties/treaty.e.htm

Parties
Argentina
Austria
Belgium
Bulgaria
Canada
Chile
China
Croatia
Egypt
Finland
France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Hungary
India
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Italy
Japan
Korea
Lebanon
Morocco
Netherlands
New Zealand
Pakistan
Portugal
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South Africa
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic
Tunisia
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States
Yugoslavia

Amendments
October 30, 1967 (21 UST 2060; TIAS 6952; 634 UNTS 433).
November 15, 1977 (29 UST 5579; TIAS 9130).

NOTES
1 With reservation.
2 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
3 Not extended to territories.
4 Extended to Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.
5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS

Constitution of the Universal Postal Union, with Final Protocol.

Done at Vienna July 10, 1964.
Entered into force January 1, 1966.

16 UST 1291; TIAS 5881; 611 UNTS 7.

Depositary: Switzerland


Additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964.

Done at Tokyo November 14, 1969.

22 UST 1056; TIAS 7150; 810 UNTS 7.

Second additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964.

Done at Lausanne July 5, 1974.

27 UST 345; TIAS 8231; 1005 UNTS 9.

Third additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964, general regulations with annex, and the universal postal convention with final protocol and detailed regulations.


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Fourth additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964, general regulations and the universal postal convention with final protocol.

Done at Washington December 14, 1989.

TIAS

Fifth additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964, with general regulations and the universal postal convention with final protocol.

Done at Seoul September 14, 1994.

TIAS
### Sixth additional protocol to the
### constitution of the Universal Postal Union
### of July 10, 1964, with general regulations
### and the universal postal convention with
### final protocol.

*Done at Beijing September 15, 1999.*  
*Entered into force January 1, 2001; definitively for the United States April 10, 2001.*

**PARTIES**

- Afghanistan
- Albania
- Algeria
- Angola
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Bahamas, The
- Bahrain
- Bangladesh
- Barbados
- Belarus
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- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Uzbekistan
- Vanuatu
- Vatican City
- Venezuela
- Vietnam, Socialist Republic of
- Western Samoa
- Yemen (Aden)
- Yemen (San'a)
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe

**NOTES**

- * Unless otherwise indicated all states parties to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union signed the Final Acts of the Universal Postal Congress, Bucharest, 2004; those marked with a dagger (†) have also deposited instruments of ratification/approval. The general regulations and universal postal convention adopted at Bucharest replaced those adopted at Beijing September 15, 1999 which in turn
U.S. Department of State: Multilateral Treaties in Force for the United States as of January 1, 2007

POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS

replaced those adopted at previous postal congresses.

1 Not a signatory to the Acts of the 2004 Bucharest Congress.

2 Applicable to all territories.

3 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.

4 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.

5 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

6 Applicable to Aruba as a separate entity as of January 1, 1986.

7 Extended to Cook Islands, including Niue and the Tokelau Islands.

8 Extended to Channel Islands, Isle of Man, Anguilla, Bermuda, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, Duxie and Oeno Islands, St. Helena, St. Helena Dependencies, South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands, Turks and Caicos Islands.

9 Extended to the territories of the United States, and all areas for the international relations of which it is responsible.

10 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.

11 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Postal payment services agreement.

Done at Bucharest October 5, 2004.

Entered into force January 1, 2006; definitively for the United States June 20, 2006.*

TIAS

Parties

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Armenia
Austria
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus†
Belgium
Benin
Bhutan
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada †
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
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Colombia
Comoros
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Ghana
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Hungary
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Korea, Republic of
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Republic
Latvia
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Luxembourg
Macedonia
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Malta
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Mongolia
Montenegro†
Morocco
Mozambique
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Netherlands
Netherlands Antilles †
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Poland
Portugal
Romania †
Russian Federation
Rwanda
St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
San Marino
Senegal
Serbia
Sierra Leone
Slovak Republic †
Slovenia
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka

Sudan
Switzerland †
Syria
Tajikistan
Tanzania
Thailand
Togo
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Ukraine
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom†
United States †
Vatican City
Venezuela
Viet Nam †
Yemen (Aden) †
Yemen (Sanaa) †

NOTES

* All of the above-listed countries signed the postal payment services agreement; those marked with a dagger (†) have also deposited instruments of ratification/approval.

1 Applicable to Aruba as a separate entity as of January 1, 1986.

2 Applicable to Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

3 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.

Constitution of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain, with final protocol.

Done at Santiago November 26, 1971.

Entered into force for the United States July 1, 1972.

23 UST 2924; TIAS 7480.

Additional protocol to the constitution of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain.

Done at Lima March 18, 1976.

Entered into force October 1, 1976.

30 UST 337; TIAS 9206.

Second additional protocol to the constitution of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain, with general regulations.

Done at Managua August 28, 1981.

Entered into force January 1, 1982.*

TIAS

Parties

Argentina 1
Bolivia
Brazil 2
Canada
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica 2
Cuba 2 3
Dominican Republic 2
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala 1
Haiti 4
Honduras 2
Mexico
Nicaragua 2
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POTSDAM AGREEMENT

(See under WORLD WAR II)

PRISONER TRANSFER

Convention on the transfer of sentenced persons.

Done at Strasbourg March 21, 1983.

Entered into force July 1, 1985.

35 UST 2867; TIAS 10824.

Depositary: Council of Europe


Parties

Albania 1
Andorra
Armenia
Australia
Austria 1
Azerbaijan
Bahamas 1
Belgium 1
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Bulgaria 1
Canada
Chile
Costa Rica
Croatia 1
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark 1
Ecuador
Estonia 1
Finland 1
France 1
Georgia 1
Germany 1
Greece 1
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Israel 1

Japan
Korea
Latvia 1
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Lithuania 1
Luxembourg 1
Macedonia
Malta 1
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Moldova
Montenegro
Netherlands 1
Norway 1
Panama 1
Peru 2
Poland 1
Portugal 1
Romania 1
San Marino
Serbia
Slovak Republic 1
Slovenia
Spain 1
Sweden 1
Switzerland 1
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Turkey 1
Ukraine
United Kingdom 1
United States 1
Venezuela
Yugoslavia 1

NOTES

1 With declaration(s).
2 Applicable to Faroe Islands and entire Kingdom of Denmark with exception of Greenland.
3 With reservation(s).
4 For the Kingdom in Europe, Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
5 Extended to Bouvet Island, Peter I’s Island, and Queen Maud Land.
6 Extended to Anguilla, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Islands, St. Helena and dependencies, and the Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in Cyprus.
7 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Inter-American convention on serving criminal sentences abroad.

Done at Managua June 9, 1993.

Entered into force April 12, 1996.


TIAS

Parties

Argentina
Belgium
Brazil
China 1
Czechoslovakia 1
Dominican Republic
Egypt
Hungary
Italy
Latvia
Paraguay 1
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Slovak Republic
Spain
Switzerland 1
Taiwan

NOTES

1 A party to the convention.
2 Pre-1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.
3 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
4 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
Convention relating to the exchange of official, scientific, literary and industrial publications.
Signed at Mexico January 27, 1902.
Entered into force July 16, 1902.
TS 491-A; 1 Bevans 335.
Depositary: Mexico
Status: http://www.sre.gob.mx/

Parties
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
El Salvador
Guatemala
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
United States

Agreement for the repression of the circulation of obscene publications.
Signed at Paris May 4, 1910.
Entered into force September 15, 1911.
37 Stat. 1551; TS 559; 1 Bevans 748.
Depositary: France
Status: http://www.doc.diplomatie.gouv.fr/BASIS/pactes/we
http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratific
ations_subject.htm

Parties
Afghanistan 1
Albania 2
Antigua and Barbuda 3
Australia 1
Austria
Bahamas, The 3
Barbados 1
Belgium
Belize 3
Botswana 3
Brazil 2
Brunei 3
Bulgaria 2
Burma 1
Cambodia
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China 5
Colombia 1
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominica 3
Egypt
El Salvador 1
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Turkey
Tuvalu 3
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics 10
United Kingdom 11
United States
Western Samoa 3
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Zambia
Zimbabwe 1

NOTES
1 Bound by virtue of ratification or adherence to, or application of, the convention for the suppression of the circulation of and the traffic in obscene publications signed at Geneva September 12, 1923 (27 LNTS 213) and amended by the protocol signed at Lake Success, New York November 12, 1947 (46 UNTS 201).
2 Not a party to the protocol.
3 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
4 Applicable to Norfolk Island.
5 Pre-1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.
6 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
7 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.
8 Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.
9 Applicable to Namibia.
10 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
11 Applicable to Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, St. Helena, and Turks and Caicos Islands.
12 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention on interchange of publications.
Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936.
Entered into force April 1, 1938;
for the United States October 23, 1939.
54 Stat. 1715; TS 954; 3 Bevans 378;
201 LNTS 295.
Depositary: Organization of American States
Status: http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratific
ations_subject.htm

Parties
Brazil
Colombia
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
El Salvador
Guatemala
Haiti
Honduras
Nicaragua
Panama
Peru
United States 1
Venezuela

NOTE
1 With an understanding.

Convention concerning the international exchange of publications.
Entered into force November 23, 1961;
for the United States June 9, 1968.
19 UST 4449; TIAS 6438; 416 UNTS 51.
Depositary: UNESCO
Status: http://portal.unesco.org/en/ev.php-
URL_DTL=50354&URL_DO=DO_TOPIC&URL_SECTION=4-71.html
**Convention concerning the exchange of official publications and government documents between States.**

*Adopted at Paris December 3, 1958.*


19 UST 4447; TIAS 6439; 398 UNTS 9.

**Depositary:** UNESCO

**Status:**


**Parties:***

- Antigua and Barbuda
- Australia
- Bahamas, The
- Barbados
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Brazil
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Central African Republic
- China (Taiwan)
- Cuba
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Dominica
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- Egypt
- Estonia
- Finland
- France
- Georgia
- German Democratic Republic
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Ghana
- Grenada
- Guatemala
- Guyana
- Hungary
- Indonesia
- Iraq
- Israel
- Italy
- Jamaica
- Japan
- Kiribati
- Libya
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Malawi
- Malta
- Morocco
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Nigeria
- Norway
- Panama
- Poland
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- St. Kitts and Nevis
- St. Lucia
- St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Saudi Arabia
- Seychelles
- Singapore
- Slovak Republic
- Solomon Islands
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Suriname
- Sweden
- Tajikistan
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tuvalu
- Ukraine
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe

**Proces-verbal relating to the convention concerning the exchange of official publications and government documents between States.**

*Signed at Paris October 18, 1960.*

19 UST 4485; TIAS 6439.

**Statutes of the International Center for the Registration of Serial Publications.**

*Done at Paris November 14, 1974, and amended October 11 and 12, 1976.*


**TIAS**

**Depositary:** UNESCO

**Status:**


**Parties:**

- Algeria
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Bahrain
- Belgium
- Benin
- Bolivia
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Burkina Faso
- Canada
- Chile
- China
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Croatia
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Ecuador
- Egypt
- Estonia
- Finland
- France
- Georgia
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Ghana
- Greece
- Hungary
- Iceland
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran
- Ireland
- Israel
- Italy
- Jamaica
- Japan
- Korea
- Kyrgyz Republic
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Macedonia
- Malaysia
- Mauritius
- Mexico
- Moldova
- Morocco
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Niger
- Nigeria
- Norway
- Philippines
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Saudi Arabia
- Senegal
- Serbia
- Seychelles
- Singapore
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Tanzania
- Thailand
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Venezuela
- Vietnam

**NOTE**

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

International convention on the elimination of all forms of racial discrimination.


TIAS; 660 UNTS 195.
Depositary: United Nations

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
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Central African Republic
Chad
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Colombia
Comoros
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Congo, Democratic Republic of the
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Croatia
Cuba
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Fiji
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Kuwait
Kyrgyz Republic
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Latvia
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Malawi
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United Kingdom
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Vietnam
Yemen
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES
1 With declaration(s).
2 With statement(s).
3 With reservation(s).
4 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
5 With declarations.
6 See note under CHINA in Section 1.
7 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
8 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

RADIO

(See TELECOMMUNICATION)
RECI PROCAL ASSISTANCE, INTER-AMERICAN

(See under DEFENSE)

RED CROSS CONVENTIONS

Convention for the amelioration of the condition of the wounded and sick in armed forces in the field.¹

*Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949.*
*Entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.*
*6 UST 3114; TIAS 3362; 75 UNTS 31.*
*Depositary: Switzerland*

Convention for the amelioration of the condition of the wounded, sick, and shipwrecked members of armed forces at sea.

*Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949.*
*Entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.*
*6 UST 3217; TIAS 3363; 75 UNTS 85.*
*Depositary: Switzerland*

Convention relative to the treatment of prisoners of war.²

*Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949.*
*Entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.*
*6 UST 3316; TIAS 3364; 75 UNTS 135.*
*Depositary: Switzerland*

Convention relative to the protection of civilian persons in time of war

*Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949.*
*Entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.*
*6 UST 3516; TIAS 3365; 75 UNTS 287.*
*Depositary: Switzerland*

*Parties*

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Cook Islands
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
East Timor
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El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Estonia
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Gambia, The
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Ghana
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Russian Federation
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St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
San Marino
Sao Tome and Principe
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Serbia
Protocol relating to the status of refugees.

Entered into force October 4, 1967; for the United States November 1, 1968.
19 UST 6223; TIAS 6577; 606 UNTS 267.
Depository: United Nations

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
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NOTES
1 The 1949 conventions on the amelioration of the condition of the armed forces in the field and on prisoners of war replaced the conventions of July 27, 1929 (47 Stat. 2021 and 2074; TS 846 and 847) as between contracting parties.
2 With reservations to all four conventions.
3 With statement.
4 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
5 See note under CHINA in Section 1.
6 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
7 With reservation to “field” convention.
8 With reservation to “sea” convention.
9 With reservation to “civilians” convention.
10 With reservation to “prisoners-of-war” convention.
11 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
12 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
13 Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United Kingdom is responsible.
14 With reference to the notification by the Federal Political Department of the Swiss Confederation dated November 8, 1976, that the Socialist Republic of Vietnam continues
15 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
16 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
Sierra Leone
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
Somalia
Spain
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland
Sweden
Switzerland
Tajikistan
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Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Tuvalu
Uganda
Ukraine
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela
Yemen (Sanaa)
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES
1 Protocol incorporates articles 2 through 34 of the convention relating to the status of refugees of July 28, 1951 (189 UNTS 150). States parties to the convention not parties to the protocol are: Madagascar and Monaco. The United Kingdom also extended application of the convention to various territories for the international relations of which it was responsible.
2 With reservation(s).
3 With reservations and declarations to the convention.
4 Applicable to Macao.
5 See note under CHINA in Section 1.
6 Without geographical limitations.
7 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
8 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
9 With declaration(s).
10 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
11 Extended to Jersey and Montserrat.
12 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
13 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

RENUNCIATION OF WAR

Treaty providing for the renunciation of war as an instrument of national policy.

Signed at Paris August 27, 1928.

Entered into force July 24, 1929.

46 Stat. 2343; TS 796; 2 Bevans 732; 94 LNTS 57.

REPARATIONS

Protocol on the talks between the Heads of the three governments at the Crimea Conference on the question of the German reparation in kind.

Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945.

Entered into force February 11, 1945.


Parties
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Agreement on reparation from Germany, on the establishment of an inter-Allied reparation agency and on the restitution of monetary gold.

Concluded at Paris January 14, 1946.

Entered into force January 24, 1946.

61 Stat. 3157; TIAS 1655; 4 Bevans 5; 555 UNTS 69.

Depositary: France

Status: http://www.doc.diplomatie.gouv.fr/BASIS/pacte/webext/multidep/sdw?W=+ORDER+BY+DATOP/Ascending

Parties
Albania
Australia
Belgium
Canada
Czechoslovakia
Denmark
Egypt
France
Greece
India
Luxembourg
Netherlands
New Zealand
Norway
Pakistan
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Saudi Arabia
Slovenia
South Africa
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Thailand
Turkey
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States
Venezuela
Yugoslavia

NOTES
1 Pre-1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.
2 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
3 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
4 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

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Compiled from the most accurate official information available
Protocol relating to participation by Poland in the restitution of monetary gold looted by Germany, as provided in the reparation agreement signed at Paris January 14, 1946.

Entered into force July 6, 1949.
63 Stat. 2677; TIAS 1970; 4 Bevans 850.

**Parties**
- France
- Poland
- United Kingdom
- United States

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**RICE COMMISSION, INTERNATIONAL**

*(See under AGRICULTURE)*

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**RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF STATES**

*(See STATES, RIGHTS AND DUTIES)*

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**RIO TREATY**

*(See under DEFENSE)*

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**ROAD TRAFFIC**

*(See under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC)*

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**RULES OF WARFARE**

Convention regarding the rights of neutrals at sea.

Signed at Washington July 22, 1854.
Entered into force October 31, 1854.
10 Stat. 1105; TS 300; 11 Bevans 1214.

**Parties**
- Nicaragua
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United States

**NOTES**
1 Declaration of accession by Nicaragua signed at Granada June 9, 1855 (7 Miller 139).
2 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Convention with respect to the laws and customs of war on land, with annex of regulations.

Signed at The Hague July 29, 1899.
Entered into force September 4, 1900; for the United States April 9, 1902.
32 Stat. 1803; TS 403; 1 Bevans 247.

**Parties**
- France
- Italy
- United Kingdom
- United States

**NOTES**
1 Replaced by convention of October 18, 1907 (36 Stat. 2277; TS 539), as between contracting parties to the later convention. Sections II and III of the regulations are supplemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3516; TIAS 3365), relative to protection of civilians in time of war, as
### RULES OF WARFARE

between contracting parties to both conventions; chapter II of the regulations is complemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3316; TIAS 3364), relative to treatment of prisoners of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions.

2 Party to convention of October 18, 1907.

3 Pre-1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

4 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention for the exemption of hospital ships, in time of war, from the payment of all dues and taxes imposed for the benefit of the state.

*Done at The Hague December 21, 1904.*
*Entered into force March 26, 1907.*

35 Stat. 1854; TS 459; 1 Bevans 430.

**Depositary:** Netherlands

**Status:**


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**NOTES**

1 Pre-1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

2 With reservation.

3 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Convention respecting the rights and duties of neutral powers and persons in case of war on land.

*Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907.*
*Entered into force January 26, 1910.*

36 Stat. 2277; TS 539; 1 Bevans 631.

**Depositary:** Netherlands

**Status:**


#### Parties

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Constitution respecting the laws and customs of war on land, with annex of regulations.

**Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907.**
**Entered into force January 26, 1910.**

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### NOTES
1. Pre-1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.
2. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Convention relative to certain restrictions with regard to the exercise of the right of capture in naval war.

Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907. Entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2396; TS 544; 1 Bevans 711

**Depositary:** Netherlands

**Status:**

http://www.minbuza.nl/verdragen/en/treaties_information

### Parties

- Australia
- Austria
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Canada
- China
- Cuba
- Denmark
- El Salvador
- Ethiopia
- Fiji
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Guatemala
- Haiti
- Hungary
- India
- Ireland
- Japan
- Laos
- Liberia
- Luxembourg
- Mexico
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Nicaragua
- Norway
- Pakistan
- Panama
- Philippines
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Thailand
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States

### NOTES
1. Pre-1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.
2. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
Convention concerning the rights and duties of neutral powers in naval war.
_Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907._
Entered into force January 26, 1910; for the United States February 1, 1910.
36 Stat. 2415; TS 545; 1 Bevans 723.
_Depository: Netherlands_
_Status: http://www.minbuza.nl/verdragen/en/treaties_information_

**Parties**
Austria
Belarus
Belgium
Brazil
China 1 2
Denmark
El Salvador
Ethiopia 2
Finland
France
Germany 1
Guatemala
Haiti
Hungary
Japan 1
Laos
Liberia
Luxembourg
Mexico
Netherlands
Nicaragua
Norway
Panama
Philippines 4
Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
Sweden
Switzerland
Thailand 1
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics 5
United States 6

**NOTES**
1 Pre-1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.
2 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.

Convention on maritime neutrality.
_Signed at Havana February 20, 1928._
Entered into force January 12, 1931; for the United States March 22, 1932.
_Depository: Organization of American States_
 See http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm

**Parties**
Bolivia
Colombia
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Haiti
Nicaragua
Panama
United States 1

**NOTE**
1 With reservation.

Treaty for the limitation and reduction of naval armament. *
_Signed at London April 22, 1930._
Entered into force December 31, 1930.
46 Stat. 2858; TS 830; 2 Bevans 1055; 112 LNTS 65.

**Parties**
Afghanistan
Albania
Australia
Austria
Belgium
Bulgaria
Canada
Costa Rica
Czechoslovakia 1
Denmark
Egypt
El Salvador
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany
Greece
Guatemala
Haiti
Holy See
Hungary
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Italy
Japan
Latvia
Lithuania
Mexico
Nepal
Netherlands, including Curacao
New Zealand
Norway
Panama
Peru
Poland
Saudi Arabia
Slovak Republic
South Africa
Sweden
Switzerland
Thailand
Turkey
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics 2
United Kingdom
Yugoslavia 3

**NOTES**
* All provisions of this treaty with the exception of Part IV, which relates to rules of international law in regard to the operations of submarines or other war vessels with respect to merchant vessels, expired on December 31, 1936. Under the terms of article 23, Part IV “shall remain in force without limit of time”.
1 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
2 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
3 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

**SAFETY AT SEA**
(See under MARITIME MATTERS)

**SALE OF GOODS**
(See under TRADE AND COMMERCE)
SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS


Entered into force September 14, 1963.

14 UST 1278; TIAS 5431; 488 UNTS 121.

Parties
Denmark
Norway
Sweden
United States

Agreement relating to the International Telecommunications Satellite Organization, with annexes.

Done at Washington August 20, 1971.


23 UST 3813; TIAS 7532.

Depositary: United States

Status:
http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#SATELLIT

Parties
Afghanistan
Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belgium
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba

Cyprus
Czechoslovakia
Denmark
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Ethiopia
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia
Georgia
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
Greece
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Haiti
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of
Korea, Republic of
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Republic
Lebanon
Libya
Liechtenstein
Luxembourg
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia
Mali
Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Micronesia
Monaco
Mongolia
Morocco
Mozambique
Namibia
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru

Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Qatar
Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Singapore
Slovak Republic
Somalia
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Swaziland
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic
Tajikistan
Tanzania
Thailand
Togo
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Uganda
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Uzbekistan
Vatican City
Venezuela
Vietnam, Socialist Republic of
Yemen (Sanaa)
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

Amendments
November 17, 2000.

NOTES
1 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
2 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
3 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
6 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
7 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Convention relating to the distribution of programme-carrying signals transmitted by satellite.

Done at Brussels May 21, 1974.

TIAS 11078.

Depositary: United Nations

Status:
U.S. Department of State: Multilateral Treaties in Force for the United States as of January 1, 2007

SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

Parties
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Costa Rica
Croatia
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Italy
Jamaica
Kenya
Macedonia
Mexico
Montenegro
Morocco
Nicaragua
Panama
Peru
Portugal
Russian Federation
Rwanda
Serbia
Singapore
Slovenia
Switzerland
Togo
Trinidad and Tobago
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United States
Vietnam
Yugoslavia

NOTES
1 With declaration(s).
2 Applicable to Faroe Islands.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
5 Extended to Bermuda.
6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.


Done at London September 3, 1976.
31 UST 1; TIAS 9605.

Status: International Maritime Organization
Depository: http://www.imo.org/

Parties
Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Belarus
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Cameroon
Canada
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoros
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus

Amendments
April 24, 1998.

NOTES
1 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
2 See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3 With statement.
4 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
5 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
6 Extended to Bermuda.
7 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Understanding concerning participation by Norway in an investigation of the demonstration and evaluation of an experimental satellite-aided search and rescue system.

Entered into force November 13, 1981.
TIAS 12378.

Parties
Canada
France
Norway
United States

International COPSES–SARSAT program agreement.

Done at Paris July 1, 1988.
TIAS

Parties
Canada
France
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United States

NOTE
1 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

Memorandum of agreement concerning the SARSAT Space Segment.

Done at Washington September 11, 1995.
TIAS 12690; 2026 UNTS 187.

Parties
Canada
France
United States
### SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION

**Agreement to establish a science and technology center in Ukraine.**

*Done at Kiev October 25, 1993.*
*Entered into force July 16, 1994.*

**Parties**
- Canada
- Ukraine
- United States

*Agreement establishing the Middle East Desalination Research Center.*

*Signed at Muscat December 22, 1996.*
*Entered into force December 22, 1996.*

**Parties**
- Israel
- Japan
- Korea
- Oman
- United States

### SEA, LAW OF

**SEA, LAW OF**

*(See under FISHERIES; MARITIME MATTERS)*

### SEABEDS

**Treaty on the prohibition of the emplacement of nuclear weapons and other weapons of mass destruction on the seabed and the ocean floor and in the subsoil thereof.**


23 UST 701; TIAS 7337; 955 UNTS 115.

**Parties**
- Afghanistan
- Algeria
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Austria
- Bahamas, The
- Belarus
- Benin
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Botswana
- Brazil
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Central African Republic
- China
- China (Taiwan)
- Congo
- Cote d’Ivoire
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Dominica
- Dominican Republic
- Ethiopia
- Finland
- German Democratic Republic
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Ghana
- Greece
- Grenada
- Guatemala
- Guinea-Bissau
- Hungary
- Iceland
- India
- Iran
- Ireland
- Italy
- Jamaica
- Japan
- Jordan
- Korea
- Laos
- Latvia
- Lesotho
- Liechtenstein
- Luxembourg
- Malaysia
- Malta
- Mauritius
- Mexico
- Mongolia
- Morocco
- Nepal
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Nicaragua
- Niger
- Norway
- Panama
- Philippines
- Poland
- Portugal
- Qatar
- Romania
- Rwanda
- St. Kitts and Nevis
- St. Lucia
- St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Sao Tome and Principe
- Saudi Arabia
- Serbia
- Seychelles
- Singapore
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Solomon Islands
- South Africa
- Spain
- Swaziland
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Togo
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Ukraine
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Vietnam, Socialist Republic of
- Yemen (Aden)
- Yugoslavia

**NOTES**
1. With understanding(s).
2. With declaration.
3. See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
4. Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
5. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
6. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
7. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
8. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
9. Extended to Angola, and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.
10. See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
11. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
12. For the Kingdom in Europe only.
Memorandum of understanding on the avoidance of overlaps and conflicts relating to deep seabed areas, with annexes.
TIAS 11825.

Parties
Canada
Czech Republic
Germany
Italy
Poland
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics 1
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
1 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

SHIPPING
(See under MARITIME MATTERS; RULES OF WARFARE)

SLAVERY

Convention to suppress the slave trade and slavery
Concluded at Geneva September 25, 1926.
Entered into force March 9, 1927;
for the United States March 21, 1929.
46 Stat. 2153; TS 778; 2 Bevans 607; 60 LNTS 253.
Depositary: United Nations
Status: http://untreaty.un.org/ENGLISH/bible/englishintern
tebook/part/chapterXVIII/treaty1.asp

Protocol amending the slavery convention signed at Geneva on September 25, 1926, with annex.

Done at New York December 7, 1953.
Entered into force December 7, 1953;
for the United States December 7, 1956.
7 UST 479; TIAS 3532; 182 UNTS 51.
Depositary: United Nations
Status: http://untreaty.un.org/ENGLISH/bible/englishintern
tebook/part/chapterXVIII/treaty1.asp

Supplementary convention on the abolition of slavery, the slave trade and institutions and practices similar to slavery.

Done at Geneva September 7, 1956.
Entered into force April 30, 1957;
for the United States December 6, 1967.
18 UST 3201; TIAS 6418; 266 UNTS 3.
Depositary: United Nations
Status: http://untreaty.un.org/ENGLISH/bible/englishintern
tebook/part/chapterXVIII/treaty4.asp

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Argentina 2
Australia 2
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize 3
Benin 4
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana 3
Brazil
Brunei 3
Bulgaria
Burma 5
Cambodia 3
Cameroun
Canada
Central African Republic
Chile
China (Taiwan) 6
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Congo, Democratic Republic of the 1
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Djibouti 3
Dominica
Dominican Republic 1
Ecuador
Egypt
Estonia 4
Ethiopia 7
Fiji
Finland
France 8
Gambia, The 3
German Democratic Republic 8
Germany, Federal Republic of 7
Ghana
Greece
Grenada 5
Guatemala
Guinea
Guyana 4
Haiti
Hong Kong 10
Hungary
Iceland 1
India 3
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Jordan
Kazakhstan 1
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Republic
Laos 5
Latvia
Lebanon 4
Lesotho
Liberia 4
Libya
Luxembourg 1
Macao 10
Macedonia
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia 1
Mali
Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Monaco
Mongolia
Montenegro
Morocco
Nauru 3
Nepal
Netherlands 11
New Zealand 11
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea 4
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
St. Kitts and Nevis 3
St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
San Marino
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Serbia
Seychelles 1
Sierra Leone
Singapore 1
Slovak Republic
Slovenia 1
Solomon Islands
South Africa 4 13
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland 3
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic

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SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION

Agreement establishing the South Pacific Commission.

Signed at Canberra February 6, 1947.
Entered into force July 29, 1948.
2 UST 1787; TIAS 2317; 97 UNTS 227.

Depository: Australia
Status:


SOUTHEAST ASIA TREATY ORGANIZATION (SEATO)
(See under DEFENSE)

SPACE

Treaty on principles governing the activities of states in the exploration and use of outer space, including the moon and other celestial bodies.


Entered into force October 10, 1967.
18 UST 2410; TIAS 6347; 610 UNTS 205.

Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/81123.pdf

SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION

Agreement establishing the South Pacific Commission.

Signed at Canberra February 6, 1947.
Entered into force July 29, 1948.
2 UST 1787; TIAS 2317; 97 UNTS 227.

Depository: Australia

NOTES
1 Party to Supplementary Convention only.
2 Extended to all non-self-governing territories and other non-metropolitan territories for the international relations of which Australia is responsible.
3 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
4 Party only to the Convention.
5 With reservation to the Convention.
6 Convention and Protocol are pre 1949 agreements applicable only to Taiwan. See also note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
7 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
8 Extended to all overseas departments and territories.
9 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
10 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
11 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
12 Extended to Cook Islands (including Niue) and the Tokelau Islands.
13 Extended to Namibia.
14 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
15 Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Channel Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, and St. Helena.
16 Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.
17 See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).
18 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
19 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Tanzania
Togo
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Tuvalu
Uganda
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Viet-Nam
Yemen (Aden)
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

PARTIES

Australia
Cook Islands
Fiji
France
Nauru
New Zealand
Niue
Papua New Guinea
Solomon Islands
Tuvalu
United Kingdom
United States
Western Samoa

AMENDMENTS

November 7, 1951 (3 UST 2851; TIAS 320; 97 UNTS 374).
April 5, 1954 (5 UST 639; TIAS 2952; 201 UNTS 374).
October 6, 1964 (16 UST 1055; TIAS 542; 201 UNTS 374).
October 2, 1974 (26 UST 1606; TIAS 585; 542 UNTS 374).
October 7-12, 1978 (33 UST 590; TIAS 10052).

SOUTHEAST ASIA TREATY ORGANIZATION (SEATO)

Agreement establishing the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization.


Entered into force October 10, 1967.
18 UST 2410; TIAS 6347; 610 UNTS 205.

Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/81123.pdf

PARTIES

Afghanistan
Algeria
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Bahamas, The
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Benin
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Canada
Chile
China
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Fiji
Finland
France
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Grenada
Guinea-Bissau
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Kenya
Korea
Kuwait
Laos
Lebanon
Libya
Madagascar
Mali
Mauritius
Mexico
Mongolia
Morocco
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
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Norway
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea
Peru
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
San Marino
Saudi Arabia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovak Republic
Solomon Islands
South Africa
Spain

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Entered into force July 29, 1948.
2 UST 1787; TIAS 2317; 97 UNTS 227.

Depositary: Australia
Status:


PARTIES

Australia
Cook Islands
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Nauru
New Zealand
Niue
Papua New Guinea
Solomon Islands
Tuvalu
United Kingdom
United States
Western Samoa

AMENDMENTS

November 7, 1951 (3 UST 2851; TIAS 320; 97 UNTS 374).
April 5, 1954 (5 UST 639; TIAS 2952; 201 UNTS 374).
October 6, 1964 (16 UST 1055; TIAS 542; 201 UNTS 374).
October 2, 1974 (26 UST 1606; TIAS 585; 542 UNTS 374).
October 7-12, 1978 (33 UST 590; TIAS 10052).

SOUTHEAST ASIA TREATY ORGANIZATION (SEATO)

Agreement establishing the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization.


Entered into force October 10, 1967.
18 UST 2410; TIAS 6347; 610 UNTS 205.

Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/documents/organization/81123.pdf

PARTIES

Afghanistan
Algeria
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Bahamas, The
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Benin
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Canada
Chile
China
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Fiji
Finland
France
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Grenada
Guinea-Bissau
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Kenya
Korea
Kuwait
Laos
Lebanon
Libya
Madagascar
Mali
Mauritius
Mexico
Mongolia
Morocco
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
Niger
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Pakistan
Papua New Guinea
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Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
San Marino
Saudi Arabia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovak Republic
Solomon Islands
South Africa
Spain
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Convention on international liability for damage caused by space objects.

**Done at Washington, London, and Moscow**

**March 29, 1972.**

**Entered into force September 1, 1972:**


24 UST 2389; TIAS 7762; 961 UNTS 187.

**Depository:** United States

**Status:**


**Parties**

Antigua and Barbuda

Argentina

Australia

Austria

Belgium

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Botsswana

Brazil

Bulgaria

Canada

Chile

China

Cuba

Cyprus

Czech Republic

Denmark

Dominica

Dominican Republic

Ecuador

European Space Agency

European Telecommunications Satellite Org.

Fiji

Finland

France

Gabon

German Democratic Republic

Germany, Federal Republic of

Greece

Grenada

Hungary

India

Indonesia

Iran

Ireland

Israel

Japan

Kenya

Korea, Republic of

Kuwait

Laos

Liechtenstein

Luxembourg

Mali

Malta

Mexico

Mongolia

Morocco

Netherlands

New Zealand

Niger

Nigeria

Norway

Pakistan

Panama

Papua New Guinea

Peru

Poland

Qatar

Romania

Russian Federation

St. Kitts and Nevis

St. Lucia

St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Saudi Arabia

Senegal

Seychelles

Singapore

Slovak Republic

Slovenia

Solomon Islands

Spain

Sri Lanka

Sweden

Switzerland

Syrian Arab Republic

Togo

Trinidad and Tobago

Tunisia

Ukraine

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

United Arab Emirates

United Kingdom

United States

Uruguay

Venezuela

Vietnam, Socialist Republic of

Yemen (Aden)

Zambia

**NOTES**

1 With a statement.

2 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

3 The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this treaty. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.

4 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

5 See note under CHINA in Section 1.

6 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

7 Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

8 See note under UNIO OF SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

9 Extended to Anguilla and to the territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

10 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Agreement for a cooperative program concerning the development, procurement and use of a space laboratory in conjunction with the space shuttle system, with memorandum of understanding between the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the European Space Research Organization.

**Done at Neuilly-sur-Seine August 14, 1973.**

**Entered into force August 14, 1973.**

24 UST 2049; TIAS 7722.

**Depository:** France

**Status:**


**Parties**

Belgium

Denmark

France

Germany, Federal Republic of

Italy

Netherlands

Spain

Switzerland

United Kingdom

United States

**NOTE**

1 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

**Conventions**

Convention on registration of objects launched into outer space.

**Done at New York January 14, 1975.**

**Entered into force September 15, 1976.**

28 UST 695; TIAS 8480; 1023 UNTS 15.

**Depository:** United Nations

**Status:**


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Antigua and Barbuda

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Australia

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**Agreement concerning cooperation on the civil international space station, with annex.**


Entered into force March 27, 2001.

**TIAS**

**Parties**

- Canada
- Japan
- Russian Federation
- United States

**Memorandum of understanding for cooperation in the ocean surface topography mission.**

Signed at Washington, Darmstadt and Paris March 21, 24, and 30 and April 7, 2006.

Entered into force April 7, 2006; for the United States April 7, 2006.

**TIAS**

**Parties**

- EUMETSAT
- France
- United States

**STATES, RIGHTS AND DUTIES**

**Convention on the rights and duties of states in the event of civil strife.**

*Done at Habana February 20, 1928. Entered into force May 21, 1929; for the United States May 21, 1930.*

46 Stat. 2749; TS 814; 2 Bevans 694; 134 LNTS 45.

**Depositary:** Organization of American States

**Status:** [http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm](http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm)

**Parties**

- Argentina
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Cuba
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- Haiti

**NOTES**

1 Pre-1949 treaty, applicable only to Taiwan.
2 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
5 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
United States
Uruguay

NOTE 1 With an understanding.

Convention on rights and duties of states.
Done at Montevideo December 26, 1933.
Entered into force December 26, 1934.
49 Stat. 3097; TS 881; 3 Bevans 145;
165 LNTS 19.
Depositary: Organization of American States
Status: http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm

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United States
Venezuela

NOTE 1 With reservation.

TELECOMMUNICATION

Convention for protection of submarine cables, signed at Paris March 14, 1884.1
Declaration respecting the interpretation of articles II and IV, signed at Paris
December 1, 1886; Final Protocol of agreement fixing May 1, 1888 as the date of
effect of the convention, signed at Paris July 7, 1887.
Entered into force May 1, 1888.
24 Stat. 989; 25 Stat. 1424; TS 380, 380 1
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United Kingdom
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NOTES
1 Applicable to all territories.
2 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
Inter-American Agreements

Inter-American radiocommunications convention, with annexes.¹
Signed at Habana December 13, 1937.
Entered into force July 1, 1938; for the United States: July 21, 1938 for Parts One, Three, and Four; April 17, 1939 for Part Two.
53 Stat. 1576; TS 938; 3 Bevans 462.
Depositary: Cuba
Status: http://america.cubaminrex.cu/index.htm

Regional radio convention for Central America, Panama, and the Canal Zone.
Signed at Guatemala December 8, 1938.
Entered into force October 8, 1939.
54 Stat. 1675; TS 949; 3 Bevans 529; 202 LNTS 49.
Depositary: Guatemala
Status: http://www.minex.gob.gt/

Inter-American radio agreement, with annex, appendices, declaration, resolutions, and recommendations.¹
 Done at Washington July 9, 1949. 
Entered into force April 13, 1952. 
3 UST 3064; TIAS 2489; 168 UNTS 143.
Depositary: United States
Status: http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#TELECO

Amendment
October 1, 1952 (3 UST 5140; TIAS 2705; 151 UNTS 376).

NOTE
1 The 1949 agreement replaces the agreement of January 26, 1940 (55 Stat. 1482; EAS 231; 3 Bevans 611) which in turn replaced the arrangement of December 13, 1937 (54 Stat. 2514; EAS 200; 3 Bevans 480). The 1940 agreement remains in force as between the contracting parties (including the United States) and Brazil, Canada (with reservation), Chile and Venezuela. The 1937 arrangement remains in force as between the contracting parties and Peru and Panama.

Multilateral declaration to denounce Part Two (Inter-American Radio Office) of the inter-American radiocommunications convention of December 13, 1937.¹
Signed at Washington December 20, 1957.
Entered into force December 20, 1957.
9 UST 1037; TIAS 4079.
Depositary: Cuba
Status: http://america.cubaminrex.cu/index.htm

Inter-American convention on amateur radio service.
Done at Lima August 14, 1987.
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Depositary: Organization of American States
Status: http://www.oas.org/juridico/english/Sigs/b-52.html

British Commonwealth Agreements

Agreement revising the telecommunications agreement signed at Bermuda December 4, 1945.¹
Annexed to the Final Act of the United States–Commonwealth telecommunications meeting signed at London August 12, 1949.
Entered into force February 24, 1950.
3 UST 2686; TIAS 2435; 87 UNTS 131.
Depositary: United Kingdom

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Amendment
October 1, 1952 (3 UST 5140; TIAS 2705; 151 UNTS 376).

NOTE
1 Applicable to all territories.
2 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
### International Telecommunication Union

Radio regulations, with appendices and final protocol.

*Done at Geneva December 6, 1979; entered into force January 1, 1982; definitively for the United States October 27, 1983.*

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**Depositary:** International Telecommunication Union

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annexed to the international telecommunication conventions of 1965 (Montreux) and 1973 (Malaga-Torremolinos) and as such binding upon parties to those conventions (see Notes to the international telecommunication convention 1982 (Nairobi)). The Taiwan authorities also adhered to the 1959 Radio Regulations and the 1963, 1966 and 1967 revisions thereto (see note under CHINA(TAIWAN) in Section 1).

2 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.


Done at Geneva March 18, 1983.


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**NOTE**

1. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
2. For the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

Regional agreement for the medium frequency broadcasting service in Region 2, with annexes and final protocol.

*Done at Rio de Janeiro December 19, 1981.*
*Entered into force July 1, 1983; for the United States April 6, 1993.*

**TIAS**

**Parties**

- Argentina
- Brazil
- Canada
- Denmark
- France
- Netherlands
- Suriname
- United States

**NOTES**

1. For the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
2. With declarations.

Regional agreement for the use of the band 1605–1705kHz in Region 2, with annexes and final protocol.

*Done at Rio de Janeiro June 8, 1988.*
*Entered into force July 1, 1990; for the United States April 6, 1993.*

**TIAS**

**Parties**

- Canada
- Denmark
- France
- Netherlands
- United States

**NOTES**

1. For the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
2. With declarations.

International telecommunications regulations [telegraph and telephone], with appendices and final protocol.

*Done at Melbourne December 9, 1988.*
*Entered into force July 1, 1990; definitively for the United States April 6, 1993.*
Constitution and Convention of the International Telecommunication Union, with annexes.


Depositary: International Telecommunication Union

Status: http://www.itu.int/net/home/index.aspx

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Amendment

October 14, 1994.

NOTES

* The 1992 Constitution and Convention replace the international telecommunication convention adopted at Nairobi November 6, 1982, as between contracting parties to the Constitution and Convention. For the position of states which have signed but not ratified the Constitution and Convention, see article 52 of the Constitution. The following states parties to the Nairobi Convention have neither signed nor acceded to the 1992 Constitution and
Convention to prevent and punish the acts of terrorism taking the form of crimes against persons and related extortion that are of international significance.

Done at Washington February 2, 1971.

27 UST 3949; TIAS 8413.

**Parties**
- Brazil
- Colombia
- Dominican Republic
- El Salvador
- Guatemala
- Mexico
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Peru
- United States
- Uruguay
- Venezuela

Convention on the prevention and punishment of crimes against internationally protected persons, including diplomatic agents.

Entered into force February 20, 1977.

28 UST 1975; TIAS 8532; 1035 UNTS 167.

**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**

**Parties**
- Afghanistan
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- Algeria
- Andorra
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
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- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Arab Emirates
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Uzbekistan
- Venezuela
- Vietnam
- Yemen (Aden)
- Yugoslavia

**NOTES**
- 1 With reservation.

Information in this document is authoritative as of July 27, 2007

Compiled from the most accurate official information available
International convention against the taking of hostages.

Done at New York December 17, 1979.
TIAS 11081.

Depositary: United Nations
Status: [Link to treaty information]

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### TONNAGE MEASUREMENT

*(See under MARITIME MATTERS)*

### TORTURE

Convention against torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment.

*Done at New York December 10, 1984.*

*Entered into force June 26, 1987; for the United States November 20, 1994.*

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- Swaziland
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- Switzerland
- Syria
- Tajikistan
- Togo
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Turkmenistan
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Uzbekistan
- Venezuela
- Yemen
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia

#### NOTES

- 1 With reservation(s).
- 2 With declaration(s).
- 3 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
- 4 For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
- 5 Applicable to Anguilla, Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat; Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Islands;
### TRADE AND COMMERCE

**Agreement to refrain from invoking the obligations of most-favored-nation clause in respect of certain multilateral economic conventions.**

*Done at the Pan American Union, Washington, July 15, 1934.*

*Entered into force September 12, 1935.*

49 Stat. 3260; TS 898; 3 Bevans 252; 165 LNTS 9.

**Parties**

- Cuba
- Greece
- United States

### Convention on transit trade of land-locked states.

*Done at New York July 8, 1965.*


**Parties**

- Argentina
- Belarus
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Burundi
- Cuba
- Czech Republic
- Dominican Republic
- Egypt
- German Democratic Republic
- Ghana
- Guinea
- Hungary
- Liberia
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- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- United States
- Uruguay
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia

**Amendment**

*April 11, 1980.*

**NOTES**

1. With reservation.
2. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
4. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

### Agreement on trade in civil aircraft.

*Done at Geneva April 12, 1979.*

*Entered into force January 1, 1980.*

31 UST 619; TIAS 9620; 1186 UNTS 170.

**Parties**

- Austria
- Belgium
- Bulgaria
- Canada
- Denmark
- United States
- Uzbekistan
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia

**NOTES**

1. With reservation.
2. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
4. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

### Convention on the limitation period in the international sale of goods.

*Done at New York June 12, 1974.*

*Entered into force August 1, 1988; for the United States December 1, 1994.*

**Parties**

- Argentina
- Belarus
- Bolivia
- Burundi
- Czech Republic
- Dominican Republic
- Egypt
- German Democratic Republic
- Ghana
- Guinea
- Hungary
- India
- Liberia
- Mexico
- Moldova
- Norway
- Paraguay
- Poland
- Romania
- Serbia
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Sweden
- Sudan
- Switzerland
- United States
- Uruguay
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia

**Amendment**

*April 11, 1980.*

**NOTES**

1. Not applicable to Faroe Islands
2. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL Republic OF in Section 1.
3. Applicable provisionally to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba pending approval.
4. Accepted in respect of the territories for which it has international responsibility except for: Bermuda, Cayman Islands, Montserrat, Sovereign Base Areas Cyprus, British Virgin Islands

### United Nations convention on contracts for the international sale of goods.

*Done at Vienna April 11, 1980.*

*Entered into force January 1, 1988.*

TIAS; 1489 UNTS 3.

**Parties**

- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Bulgaria
- Burundi
- Canada
- Chile
- China
- Colombia
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Egypt
- Ethiopia
- Estonia
- European Economic Community
- France
- Georgia
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Macao
- Malta
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Portugal
- Romania
- Spain
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- United Kingdom
- United States

**Amendments (annex)**

- January 17, 1983 (TIAS 10673).
- January 27, 1984 (TIAS 11531).

**NOTES**

1. Not applicable to Faroe Islands
2. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL Republic OF in Section 1.
3. Applicable provisionally to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba pending approval.
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### United Nations convention on contracts for the international sale of goods.

*Done at New York June 12, 1974.*

*Entered into force August 1, 1988; for the United States December 1, 1994.*

**Parties**

- Argentina
- Belarus
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Burundi
- Cuba
- Czech Republic
- Dominican Republic
- Egypt
- German Democratic Republic
- Ghana
- Guinea
- Hungary
- Liberia
- Mexico
- Moldova
- Norway
- Paraguay
- Poland
- Romania
- Serbia
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- United States
- Uruguay
- Yugoslavia
- Zambia

**Amendment**

*April 11, 1980.*

**NOTES**

1. With reservation.
2. Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
4. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
North American free trade agreement, with notes and annexes.

Signed at Washington, Ottawa and Mexico
December 8, 11, 14 and 17, 1992.

**TIAS**

**Parties**
- Canada
- Mexico
- United States

**NOTE**
- 1 Extended to Puerto Rico.

Marrakesh agreement establishing the
World Trade Organization (WTO).

Done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994.

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** World Trade Organization

**Status:** [http://www.wto.org/english/thewto_e/whatis_e/tif_e/org6_e.htm](http://www.wto.org/english/thewto_e/whatis_e/tif_e/org6_e.htm)

**Related Agreements**

Done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994.
Entered into force January 1, 1995

**TIAS**

**Agreement on agriculture.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on the application of sanitary and phytosanitary measures.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on textiles and clothing.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on technical barriers to trade.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on trade-related investment measures.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on implementation of Article VI (Anti-Dumping) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on implementation of Article VII (Customs Valuation) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on preshipment inspection.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on rules of origin.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on import licensing procedures.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on subsidies and countervailing measures.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on safeguards.**

**TIAS**

**General agreement on trade in services and annexes.**

**TIAS**

**Agreement on trade-related aspects of intellectual property rights.**

**TIAS**

**Understanding on rules and procedures governing the settlement of disputes.**

**TIAS**

**Trade policy review mechanism.**

**TIAS**

**Parties**

- Albania
- Angola
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Armenia
- Australia
- Austria
- Bahrain
- Bangladesh
- Barbados
- Belgium
- Belize
- Benin
- Bolivia
- Botswana
- Brazil
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Burkina Faso
- Burma
- Burundi
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Canada
- Central African Republic
- Chad
- Chile
- China
- China (Taiwan)
- Colombia
- Congo
- Congo, Democratic Republic of the
- Costa Rica
- Cote d’Ivoire
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Djibouti
- Dominica
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- Egypt
- El Salvador
- Estonia
- European Community
- Fiji

**NOTES**

1 With declaration(s).
2 Applicable to “all Australian States and mainland territories and to all external territories except the territories of Christmas Island, the Cocos (Keeling) Islands and the Ashmore and Cartier Islands.”
3 Applicable to Alberta, British Columbia, Prince Edward Island, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Newfoundland, Northwest Territories, Quebec, Saskatchewan, and the Territories of the Yukon and Nunavut.
4 With reservation(s).
5 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
7 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
TRADE AND COMMERCE

Finland  St. Vincent and the Grenadines
France    Senegal
Gabon     Sierra Leone
Gambia    Singapore
Georgia   Slovak Republic
Germany   Slovenia
Ghana     Solomon Islands
Greece    South Africa
Grenada   Spain
Guatemala Sri Lanka
Guinea    Suriname
Guinea-Bissau Swaziland
Guyana    Sweden
Haiti     Switzerland
Honduras  Tanzania
Hong Kong Thailand
Hungary   Togo
Iceland   Trinidad and Tobago
India     Tuvalu
Indonesia Turkey
Ireland   Uganda
Israel    United Arab Emirates
Italy     United Kingdom
Jamaica   United States
Japan     Uruguay
Jordan    Venezuela
Kenya     Zambia
Korea     Zimbabwe
Kuwait    Kyrgyz Republic
Latvia    Latvia
Lithuania Liechtenstein
Luxembourg Lithuania
Macao      Macao
Macedonia Madagascar
Malawi     Malawi
Malaysia  Maldives
Mali       Mali
Malta      Malta
Mauritania Mauritius
Mauritius  Mexico
Mexico     Moldova
Mongolia  Mongolia
Morocco    Morocco
Mozambique Namibia
Namibia    Nepal
Netherlands 2 New Zealand
Nicaragua Nicaragua
Niger      Niger
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Norway     Norway
Oman      Oman
Pakistan  Pakistan
Panama    Panama
Papua New Guinea Papua New Guinea
Paraguay  Paraguay
Peru      Peru
Philippines Poland
Poland     Portugal
Portugal   Qatar
Romania   Romania
Rwanda    Rwanda
St. Kitts and Nevis St. Lucia

TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Agreement on government procurement.
*Done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994.*
*Entered into force January 1, 1996.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** Organization of American States

**Status:**

http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_rati
fications_subject.htm

**Parties**

Antigua and Barbuda 1
Austria 2
Bahamas, The
Barbados 1
Belgium
Belize 1
Benin
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burma 1
Cameroon 1
Canada
Central African Republic
Chile 1
China 1, 4
Colombia
Congo
Cote d'Ivoire
Cuba 5
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominica 1
Egypt 1
Estonia 1
Fiji

NOTES

1 Separate customs territory of “Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu”.
2 For the Kingdom in Europe and for the Netherlands Antilles.
35 Stat. 1979; TS 496; 1 Bevans 424; 1 LNTS 83.
Depositary: United Nations
Status: http://untreaty.un.org/ENGLISH/bible/englishinterna
tebible/partI/chapterVII/treaty8.asp

TRADE-MARKS

*(See INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY)*

TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Agreement for the suppression of the white slave traffic.

*Signed at Paris May 18, 1904.*
*Entered into force July 18, 1905; for the United States June 6, 1908.*
35 Stat. 1979; TS 496; 1 Bevans 424; 1 LNTS 83.

**Depositary:** United Nations

**Status:**

http://untreaty.un.org/ENGLISH/bible/englishintern
tebible/partI/chapterVII/treaty8.asp

**Parties**

Algeria
Antigua and Barbuda 1
Austria 2
Bahamas, The
Barbados 1
Belgium
Belize 1
Benin
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burma 1
Cameroon 1
Canada
Central African Republic
Chile 1
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Congo
Cote d'Ivoire
Cuba 5
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominica 1
Egypt 1
Estonia 1
Fiji

NOTES

1 Including its member States: Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom.
2 For Aruba.

The Dominican Republic-Central America-United States free trade agreement.

*Signed at Washington August 5, 2004.*
*Entered into force March 1, 2006; for the United States March 1, 2006.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** Organization of American States

**Status:**

http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_rati
fications_subject.htm

**Parties**

El Salvador
United States

Agreement on duty-free treatment of multi-chip integrated circuits (MCPs).

*Done at Brussels November 28, 2005.*
*Entered into force January 4, 2006; for the United States January 4, 2006.*

**TIAS**

**Depositary:** European Union

**Status:**

http://europa.eu

**Parties**

China (Taiwan)
European Communities
Korea
United States

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TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN

NOTES
1 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
2 Extended to all territories.
3 Party by virtue of ratification or adherence to the international convention for the suppression of the white slave traffic signed at Paris May 4, 1910 (3 LNTS 278) or the protocol of May 4, 1949 (2 UST 1997; TIAS 2332).
4 Pre-1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.
5 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
6 CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.
7 Included in ratification by Denmark.
8 Extended to Curacao.
9 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
10 Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Montserrat, and St. Helena.
11 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

Protocol amending the international agreement for the suppression of the white slave traffic, signed at Paris May 18, 1904, and the international convention for the suppression of the white slave traffic, signed at Paris May 4, 1910.

2 UST 1997; TIAS 2332; 92 UNTS 19.

TRANSPORTATION — FOODSTUFFS

Agreement on the international carriage of perishable foodstuffs and on the special equipment to be used for such carriage (ATP), with annexes.

TIAS; 1028 UNTS 121.

Depositary: United Nations

**Parties**

- Albania
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Bulgaria
- Croatia
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Estonia
- Finland
- France
- Georgia
- German Democratic Republic
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Hungary
- Ireland
- Italy
- Kazakhstan
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Macedonia
- Monaco
- Morocco
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- Serbia
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Sweden
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uzbekistan
- Yugoslavia

NOTES
1 With reservation(s).
2 Objections by France and Italy to the United States declaration under Article 10 have not been accepted by the United States.
3 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4 For the Kingdom in Europe.
5 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
6 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

TRIESTE

(See under PEACE TREATIES)

UNITED NATIONS

Declaration by United Nations.
55 Stat. 1600; EAS 236; 3 Bevans 697.

**Parties**

- Australia
- Belgium
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Canada
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- Colombia
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Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Tuvalu
Uganda
Ukraine
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Uzbekistan
Vanuatu
Venezuela
Vietnam, Socialist Republic of
Western Samoa
Yemen (Aden)
Yemen (Sanaa)
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

Amendments
December 17, 1963 (16 UST 1134; TIAS 5857; 557 UNTS 143).
December 20, 1965 (19 UST 5450; TIAS 6529).
December 20, 1971 (24 UST 2225; TIAS 7739).

NOTES
1 For parties to the Statute, not parties to the Charter, see INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE.
2 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1.
3 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
6 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.


Done at New York February 13, 1946
Entered into force September 17, 1946; for the United States April 29, 1970.
21 UST 1418; TIAS 6900; 1 UNTS 16.

Depository: United Nations
Status:

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia

Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Bulgaria
Berkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo
Costa Rica
Cote d'Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Estonia
Ethiopia
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia, The
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
Greece
Guatemala
Guinea
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Republic
Laos

Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia
Libya
Lichtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia
Mali
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
Monaco
Mongolia
Montenegro
Morocco
Mozambique
Namibia
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Pakistan
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
St. Lucia
Senegal
Serbia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Somalia
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Sweden
Syrian Arab Republic
Tajikistan
Tanzania
Thailand
Togo
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Uganda
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela
Vietnam
UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO)

RENUNCIATION OF WAR; RULES OF WARFARE; WORLD WAR II

WAR CRIMINALS

Agreement for the prosecution and punishment of the major war criminals of the European Axis.
Signed at London August 8, 1945.
Entered into force August 8, 1945.
59 Stat. 1544; EAS 472; 3 Bevans 1238; 82 UNTS 279.

PARTIES

- Australia
- Belgium
- Czechoslovakia
- Denmark
- Ethiopia
- France
- Greece
- Haiti
- Honduras
- India
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Norway
- Panama
- Paraguay
- Poland
- Slovak Republic
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Venezuela
- Yugoslavia

NOTES
1. See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
2. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
3. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
4. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

VIET-NAM

Act of the International Conference on Viet-Nam.
24 UST 485; TIAS 7568; 935 UNTS 405.

PARTIES

- Canada
- China, People’s Rep.
- France
- Hungary
- Indonesia
- Poland
- Provisional Revolutionary Government of Republic of South Viet-Nam
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Viet-Nam, Democratic Republic of
- Viet-Nam, Republic of

NOTES
1. See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).
2. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

WAR

(See RED CROSS CONVENTIONS;)

WEAPONS

Convention on prohibitions or restrictions on the use of certain conventional weapons which may be deemed to be excessively injurious or to have indiscriminate effects.

- TIAS
- Depositary: United Nations

Protocol on non-detectable fragments (Protocol I).

- TIAS
- Depositary: United Nations

Protocol on prohibitions or restrictions on the use of mines, booby-traps and other devices (Protocol II).

- TIAS
- Depositary: United Nations

PARTIES

- Albania
- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Bangladesh
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Benin
- Bolivia
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Burkina Faso
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Chile
- China
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Djibouti
- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- Estonia
- Finland
- France
### WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

**Convention concerning the creation of an international office of weights and measures, regulations and transient provisions.**

*Signed at Paris May 20, 1875.*

*Entered into force January 1, 1876; for the United States August 2, 1878.*

[20 Stat. 709; TS 378; 1 Bevans 39.]

#### Depositary: France

#### Parties

- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Belgium
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Cameroon
- Canada
- Chile
- China
- Czechoslovakia
- Denmark
- Dominican Republic
- Egypt
- Finland
- France
- German Democratic Republic
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Hungary
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of
- Korea, Republic of
- Mexico
- Netherlands
- Norway
- Pakistan
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Slovak Republic
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Thailand
- Turkey
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Uruguay
- Venezuela
- Yugoslavia

#### NOTES

1. Not a party to the 1921 convention.
2. The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to these conventions. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
3. See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
4. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
6. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

#### Convention amending the convention relating to weights and measures

*Dated at Sevres October 6, 1921.*

*Entered into force June 23, 1922; for the United States October 24, 1923.*

[43 Stat. 1686; TS 673; 2 Bevans 323; 17 LNTS 45.]

#### Depositary: France

#### Parties

- Albania
- Algeria
- Australia
- Austria
- Belarus
- Belgium
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Cameroon
- Canada
- China
- Croatia
- Cuba
- Cyprus
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Egypt
- Ethiopia
- Finland
- France
- German Democratic Republic
- Germany, Federal Republic of
- Greece
- Hungary
- Indonesia

#### NOTES

1. Not a party to Protocol II.
2. With declaration(s).
3. With reservation(s).
4. With understanding(s).
5. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
### WETLANDS

(See under CONSERVATION)

### WHALING

Convention for the regulation of whaling

**Concluded at Geneva September 24, 1931.**

**Entered into force January 16, 1935.**

49 Stat. 3079; TS 880; 3 Bevans 26; 155 LNTS 349.

**Parties**

- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Austria, Hungarian
- Belgium
- Benin
- Brazil
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Chile
- China
- Costa Rica
- Côte d'Ivoire
- Croatia
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Dominica
- Finland
- France
- Gabon
- Gambia
- Germany
- Greece
- Guatemala
- Guinea
- Hungary
- Iceland
- India
- Ireland
- Israel
- Italy
- Japan
- Kenya
- Kiribati
- Korea
- Luxembourg
- Mali
- Marshall Islands
- Mauritania
- Mexico
- Monaco
- Mongolia
- Morocco
- Nauru
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Nicaragua
- Norway
- Pakistan
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Russia
- Saudi Arabia
- Serbia
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Tanzania
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Vietnam
- Yugoslavia

**NOTES**

1. See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
2. Extended to the French overseas territories.
3. See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
4. See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
5. Extended to the British Virgin Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, Turks and Caicos Islands.
6. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

International convention for the regulation of whaling with schedule of whaling regulations.

**Signed at Washington December 2, 1946.**

**Entered into force November 10, 1948.**

62 Stat. 1716; TIAS 1849; 4 Bevans 248; 161 UNTS 72.

**Depository:** United States

**Status:**

[http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#FISHERIES](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#FISHERIES)

Protocol to the international convention for the regulation of whaling.

**Done at Washington November 19, 1956.**

**Entered into force May 4, 1959.**

10 UST 952; TIAS 4228; 338 UNTS 366.

**Depository:** United States

**Status:**

[http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#FISHERIES](http://www.state.gov/s/l/treaty/c9841.htm#FISHERIES)

**Parties**

- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Austria, Hungarian
- Belgium
- Benin
- Brazil
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Chile
- China
- Costa Rica
- Côte d'Ivoire
- Croatia
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Dominica
- Finland
- France
- Gabon
- Gambia
- Germany
- Greece
- Guatemala
- Guinea
- Hungary
- Iceland
- India
- Ireland
- Israel
- Italy
- Japan
- Kenya
- Kiribati
- Korea
- Luxembourg
- Mali
- Marshall Islands
- Mauritania
- Mexico
- Monaco
- Mongolia
- Morocco
- Nauru
- Netherlands
- New Zealand
- Nicaragua
- Norway
- Pakistan
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Russia
- Saudi Arabia
- Serbia
- Slovak Republic
- Slovenia
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Tanzania
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
- United Kingdom
- United States
- Vietnam
- Yugoslavia

**NOTES**

1. See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
2. See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
3. With reservation.
4. Extended to Curacao.
5. Extended to Ascension Island; Bermuda; British Virgin Islands; Cayman Islands; Falkland Islands and dependencies; Gibraltar; Montserrat; St. Helena; and Turks and Caicos Islands.
6. See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.
Amendments to the Schedule

June 7, 1949 (1 UST 506; TIAS 2092; 161 UNTS 100).
June 21, 1950 (2 UST 11; TIAS 2173; 161 UNTS 108).
July 27, 1951 (3 UST 2999; TIAS 2486; 177 UNTS 396).
June 6, 1952 (3 UST 5094; TIAS 2699; 181 UNTS 364).
June 26, 1953 (4 UST 2179; TIAS 2866; 252 UNTS 316).
July 23, 1954 (6 UST 645; TIAS 3198; 252 UNTS 324).
July 23, 1955 (7 UST 657; TIAS 3548; 252 UNTS 330).
July 20, 1956 (8 UST 69; TIAS 3739; 278 UNTS 278).
June 28, 1957 (8 UST 2203; TIAS 3944; 300 UNTS 376).
June 27, 1958 (10 UST 330; TIAS 4193; 337 UNTS 408).
July 1, 1959 (11 UST 32; TIAS 4404; 361 UNTS 272).
June 24, 1960 (13 UST 493; TIAS 5014; 435 UNTS 324).
June 23, 1961 (13 UST 497; TIAS 5015; 435 UNTS 328).
July 6, 1962 (14 UST 112; TIAS 5277; 495 UNTS 254).
July 5, 1963 (14 UST 1690; TIAS 5472; 495 UNTS 256).
June 26, 1964 (15 UST 2547; TIAS 5745; 586 UNTS 248).
July 2, 1965 (17 UST 35; TIAS 5953; 586 UNTS 252).
July 1, 1966 (17 UST 1640; TIAS 6120; 675 UNTS 384).
June 30, 1967 (18 UST 2391; TIAS 6345; 723 UNTS 280).
June 28, 1968 (19 UST 6030; TIAS 6562; 723 UNTS 282).
June 27, 1969 (20 UST 4063; TIAS 6794).
June 26, 1970 (21 UST 2460; TIAS 6985; 772 UNTS 442).
June 25, 1971 (23 UST 179; TIAS 7293).
June 30, 1972 (23 UST 2820; TIAS 7471).
June 29, 1973 (25 UST 2591; TIAS 7936).
June 28, 1974 (25 UST 2978; TIAS 7960).
June 27, 1975 (27 UST 1885; TIAS 8286).
June 25, 1976 (27 UST 4015; TIAS 8422).
June 24, 1977 (29 UST 1452; TIAS 8886).
December 7, 1977 (29 UST 2874; TIAS 8983).
June 30, 1978 (30 UST 1639; TIAS 9271).
December 20, 1978 (30 UST 2852; TIAS 9366).
July 13, 1979 (31 UST 4815; TIAS 9642).
July 26, 1980 (32 UST 4241; TIAS 9946).
July 25, 1981.
July 24, 1982.
July 23, 1983.
June 26, 1987 (TIAS 11951).
June 3, 1988 (TIAS 11951).
June 16, 1989 (TIAS 11951).
July 6, 1990 (TIAS 11951).
July 3, 1992 (TIAS 11951).
May 14, 1993.

NOTES
1 With reservation.
2 With statement.
3 Applicable to Hong Kong.
See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
5 Applicable to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
6 See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.

WHEAT

Agricultural commodities agreement for the sale of wheat, with memorandum of understanding.
Entered into force March 4, 1966.
17 UST 628; TIAS 6010; 578 UNTS 57.

PARTIES
East African Common Services Organization
Kenya
Tanzania
Uganda
United States

WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC

(See TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN)

WILDLIFE PRESERVATION

(See CONSERVATION; FISHERIES; POLAR BEARS; WHALING)

WINE

Agreement for the creation, in Paris of an International Wine Office.¹
Done at Paris November 29, 1924.
Entered into force October 29, 1927; for the United States July 24, 1984.
80 LNTS 293.

Depositary: France

PARTIES
Algeria
Argentina
Australia ²
Austria
Belgium
Bulgaria
Chile
Cyprus
Czechoslovakia ³
Denmark
Finland
France
Germany, Federal Republic of ⁴
Greece
Hungary
Israel
Italy
Luxembourg
Moldova
Morocco
Netherlands
Norway
Portugal
Romania
Slovak Republic
South Africa
Spain
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic
Tunisia
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics ⁵
United Kingdom
United States ²
Uruguay
Yugoslavia ⁶

NOTES
1 Renamed International Vine and Wine Office in 1958.
2 With reservation.
3 See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in Section 1.
Agreement on mutual acceptance of oenological practices, with annex.
Done at Toronto December 18, 2001.
Entered into force December 1, 2002.

Parties
Argentina
Canada
Chile
United States

WOMEN — POLITICAL RIGHTS

Inter-American convention on the granting of political rights to women.
Done at Bogota May 2, 1948.
Entered into force March 17, 1949; for the United States May 24, 1976.
27 UST 3301; TIAS 8365.
Depositary: Organization of American States
Status: [http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm](http://www.oas.org/DIL/treaties_signatories_ratifications_subject.htm)

Parties
Argentina
Bolivia
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala
Haiti
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
Suriname
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

Convention on the political rights of women.
Done at New York March 31, 1953.
27 UST 1909; TIAS 8289; 193 UNTS 135.
Depositary: United Nations

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Autria
Bahamas, The
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Bruni
Bulgaria
Burundi
Canada
Central African Republic
Chile
China (Taiwan)
Colombia
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
Ethiopia
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Georgia
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Haiti
Hong Kong
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kiribati
Korea
Kyrgyz Republic
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Libya
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Madagascar
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Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
Mongolia
Montenegro
Morocco
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
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Philippines
Poland
Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Senegal
Serbia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
Spain
Suriname
Swaziland
Sweden
Tajikistan
Tanzania
Thailand
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Tuvalu
Uganda
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States
Uzbekistan
Venezuela
Yemen (Aden)
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES
1 With reservation(s).
2 With declaration(s).
3 See under country heading in Section 1 for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
4 With statement(s).
5 See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1.
 WORLD BANK
(See under FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS)

 WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION
(See HEALTH)

 WORLD HERITAGE

Convention concerning the protection of the world cultural and natural heritage.

Entered into force December 17, 1975.

27 UST 37; TIAS 8226.

Depositary: UNESCO

Status:

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of
Costa Rica
Cote d'Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Eritrea
Estonia
Ethiopia
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia, The
Georgia
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Kiribati
Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of
Korea, Republic of
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia
Libya
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Malawi
Malaysia
Maldives
Mali
Malta
Marshall Islands
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Micronesia
Moldova
Monaco
Mongolia
Morocco
Mozambique
Namibia
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Niué
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Palau
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Qatar
Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Samoas
San Marino
Sao Tome and Principe
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Serbia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Slovak Republic
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic
Tajikistan
Tanzania
Thailand
Togo
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Uganda
Ukraine
United Arab Emirates
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Kingdom
United States

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Vietnam
Yemen (Aden)
Yemen (Sanaa)
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES
1 With reservation.
2 With statement.
3 Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
   See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
5 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL
   REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
6 For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands
   Antilles and Aruba.
7 Extended to Cook Islands and Niue.
8 With declaration(s).
9 See note under UNION OF SOVIET
   SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
10 Extended to the Isle of Man, Anguilla,
    Bailiwick of Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin
    Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands and
    dependencies, Gibraltar, Monserrat; Pitcairn,
    Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Islands; St.
    Helena and dependencies; Turks and
    Caicos Islands; and United Kingdom
    Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and
    Dhekelia on the Island of Cyprus.
11 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.
12 See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

WORLD INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANIZATION
(See INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY)

WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION

Convention of the World Meteorological
Organization, with related protocol,
Done at Washington October 11, 1947.
1 UST 281; TIAS 2052; 77 UNTS 143.

Parties
Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
British Caribbean Territories
Bruneti
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Democratic Republic of the
Cook Islands
Costa Rica
Cote d’Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Eritrea
Estonia
Ethiopia
Fiji
Finland
France
French Polynesia
Gabon
Gambia, The
Georgi
Germany
German Democratic Republic
Germany, Federal Republic of
Ghana
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
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Hong Kong
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Iran
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Ireland
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Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
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Korea, Democratic People’s Republic of
Korea, Republic of
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Republic
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon
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Liberia
Libya
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Luxembourg
Macedonia
Madagascar
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Maldive
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Mongolia
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Netherlands
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New Caledonia
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United Kingdom
United States

NOTE
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NOTES
1 Extended to Norfolk Island.
2 With reservation.
3 Applicable to Macao. 
See note under CHINA in Section 1.
4 Including Greenland.
5 See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1.
6 Extended to French Guiana, French West 
Indies, Reunion, Valleys of Andorra, 
St. Pierre and Miquelon.
7 See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL 
REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.
8 Also applicable to Aruba.
9 Extended to all Portuguese territories.
10 Extended to Namibia.
11 Extended to African territories and Valleys of 
Andorra.
12 See note under UNION OF SOVIET 
SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in Section 1.
13 Extended to Falkland Islands and 
dependencies, Gibraltar.
14 See note under YEMEN in Section 1.