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ON THE

WORK OF THE COUNCIL AND THE SECRETARIAT

TO THE

Eleventh Ordinary Session of the Assembly of the League

RATIFICATION OF AGREEMENTS AND CONVENTIONS

CONCLUDED UNDER THE

AUSPICES OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

NINTH LIST

Note by the Secretary-General.

In accordance with the instructions contained in the report adopted by the Council of the League of Nations during its forty-third session on December 6th, 1926, the Secretary-General has the honour to submit herewith to the Members of the Council a list, in chronological order, of the international agreements which have been concluded under the auspices of the League. The list shows the States which have become parties to these agreements by ratification or accession, the States which have signed but have not yet ratified them, and, finally, the States which have neither signed nor acceded, although they took part in the conferences at which the agreements were drawn up or have been invited to become parties thereto.

According to the decision taken by the Council at its forty-ninth session in March 1928, the present list contains in addition the reservations affixed or declarations formulated either in signing or in ratifying or in acceding to the agreements which have been concluded under the auspices of the League of Nations.

Until now the Secretariat has prepared two separate lists of the actual state of Conventions and international engagements concluded under the auspices of the League of Nations. The one list for the Council, the other for the Assembly, the latter being drawn up as an annex to the

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\(^1\) The Annex to the Supplementary Report to the Fourth Assembly of the League on the Work of the Council and the Secretariat for 1923 (A.6(a)/1923, Annex) contains, moreover, complete details concerning:

(a) **PROTECTION OF RACIAL, RELIGIOUS AND LINGUISTIC MINORITIES:**

1. Treaty of Peace between the Allied Powers and Austria, of September 10th, 1919.
5. Treaty between the Principal Allied and Associated Powers and Poland, of June 28th, 1919.
6. Treaty between the Principal Allied and Associated Powers and Czechoslovakia, of September 10th, 1919.
7. Treaty between the Principal Allied and Associated Powers and the Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, of September 10th, 1919.
8. Treaty between the Principal Allied and Associated Powers and Roumania, of December 9th, 1919.
10. Declaration by Albania, of October 2nd, 1921.
11. Declaration by Finland as to the Aaland Islands, of June 27th, 1921.

(b) **TRAFFIC IN LIQUOR:** Convention relating to the Liquor Traffic in Africa, St. Germain-en-Laye, September 10th, 1919.

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The Assembly of the League of Nations having charged the Secretariat, by resolution of September 24th, 1929, to present to it a graphic table showing the state of signatures, ratifications or accessions for all the different conventions concluded under the auspices of the League of Nations, the Secretariat has considered it advisable, for easier reference, to put together in a single document the lists for the Assembly and for the Council.

From now onwards the Secretariat will bring out one printed list only giving the state of ratifications, signatures and accessions to the conventions concluded under the auspices of the League of Nations and also a table prepared according to the instructions of the Assembly.

The International Labour Conventions and other instruments which concern International Labour Organisation have been grouped at the end of this document.

N.B. — States which have signed, ratified or acceded to particular agreements or conventions since the date of the last list submitted to the Council (document C.4.1930.V, April 25th, 1930) are indicated in italics.

The letter "a" placed immediately after a date signifies an accession.

(a) AERIAL NAVIGATION: Convention relating to the Regulation of Aerial Navigation, Paris, October 13th, 1919.

(b) HEALTH:
1. Sanitary Convention between Poland and Roumania, Warsaw, December 20th, 1922.
3. Sanitary Convention between Germany and Poland, Dresden, December 18th, 1922.
5. Sanitary Convention between Poland and Latvia, Warsaw, July 7th, 1922.
7. Sanitary Convention between Latvia and the Soviet Republic of Russia and Soviet Republics of Ukraine and of White Russia, Tartu, June 24th, 1922.
8. Sanitary Convention between Bulgaria and the Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, April 1923.

(c) AALAND ISLANDS: Convention relating to the Non-Fortification and Neutralisation of the Aaland Islands, Geneva, October 20th, 1921.


(e) FINANCIAL RESTORATION OF AUSTRIA:


(g) DANzig:
2. Treaty between Germany and Poland concerning the Regulation of Option Questions, Danzig, November 8th, 1920.
3. Treaty between Poland and the Free City of Danzig, Warsaw, October 24th, 1921.

The Annex to the Supplementary Report on the Work of the Council and of the Secretariat to the Fifth Assembly of the League of Nations for the year 1924 (A.8(a).1924, Annex) contains, moreover, complete details concerning:

(a) MINORITIES:

(b) TRAFFIC IN ARMS: Engagement undertaken by Ethiopia on signing the Protocol done at Geneva, September 27th, 1923.

(c) REVISIoN OF BERLIN AND BRUSSELS ACTS RELATING TO AFRICAN TERRITORIES: Engagement undertaken by Ethiopia on signing the Protocol done at Geneva on September 27th, 1923.

(d) REFUGEEs:
1. Arrangement with regard to the issue of Certificates of Identity to Russian Refugees, Geneva, July 5th, 1922.
2. Protocol relating to the Settlement of Refugees in Greece and the creation for this purpose of a Refugees Settlement Commission, signed at Geneva, September 29th, 1923.
3. Declaration relating to the Settlement of Refugees in Greece and the creation for this purpose of a Refugees Settlement Commission, signed at Geneva, September 29th, 1923.


The Annex to the Supplementary Report for the year 1925 (A.7(a).1925, Annex) contains, moreover, complete details concerning:

(a) PROTECTION OF RACIAL, RELIGIOUS AND LINGUIStIC MINORITIES:
1. Proposal relating to the Protection of Greek Minorities in Bulgaria;
2. Proposal relating to the Protection of Bulgarian Minorities in Greece.

(Geneva, September 29th, 1924.)


1. Protocol regarding Currency and Banking Reform in Estonia, signed at Geneva, December 10th, 1926;
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I. PERMANENT COURT OF INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE.

I. PROTOCOL OF SIGNATURE OF THE PERMANENT COURT OF INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE.¹

(Geneva, December 16th, 1920.)

In Force.

Ratifications.  Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.  Other Members or States which may sign the Protocol.

ABYSSINIA (July 16th, 1926)  UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA  BOLIVIA  ECUADOR
(August 4th, 1921)  COLOMBIA  HEJAZ
AUSTRALIA (August 4th, 1921)  COSTA RICA  HONDURAS
AUSTRIA (July 23rd, 1921)  DOMINICAN REPUBLIC  NICARAGUA
BELGIUM (August 29th, 1921)  GUATEMALA  PARAGUAY
BRAZIL (November 1st, 1921)  LIBERIA  PERU
BRITISH EMPIRE (August 4th, 1921)  ALBANIA (July 13th, 1921)  ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
BULGARIA (August 12th, 1921)  CANADA (August 4th, 1921)  ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
CHILE (July 20th, 1928)  BELGIUM (August 29th, 1921)  ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
CHINA (May 2nd, 1923)  BRAZIL (November 1st, 1921)  ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 2nd, 1921)  DENMARK (June 13th, 1921)  AUSTRALIA (August 4th, 1921)
CUBA (January 12th, 1922)  ESTONIA (May 2nd, 1923)  BOLIVIA (August 4th, 1921)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 2nd, 1921)  FINLAND (April 6th, 1922)  CANADA (August 4th, 1921)
DENMARK (June 13th, 1921)  FRANCE (August 7th, 1921)  CHILE (July 20th, 1928)
DENMARK (June 13th, 1921)  GERMANY (March 11th, 1927)  CHINA (May 2nd, 1923)
ESTONIA (May 2nd, 1923)  GREECE (October 3rd, 1921)  CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 2nd, 1921)
FINLAND (April 6th, 1922)  HAITI (September 7th, 1921)  CHILE (July 20th, 1928)
FRANCE (August 7th, 1921)  HUNGARY (November 20th, 1925)  CHINA (May 2nd, 1923)
GERMANY (March 11th, 1927)  INDIA (August 4th, 1921)  CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 2nd, 1921)
GREECE (October 3rd, 1921)  IRISH FREE STATE  DENMARK (June 13th, 1921)
HAITI (September 7th, 1921)  ITALY (June 20th, 1921)  JAPAN (November 16th, 1921)
HUNGARY (November 20th, 1925)  JAPAN (November 16th, 1921)  LATVIA (February 12th, 1924)
INDIA (August 4th, 1921)  LATVIA (February 12th, 1924)  LITHUANIA (May 16th, 1922)
IRISH FREE STATE  LITHUANIA (May 16th, 1922)  Luxembourg
ITALY (June 20th, 1921)  LUXEMBOURG  NETHERLANDS (August 6th, 1921)
JAPAN (November 16th, 1921)  NETHERLANDS (August 6th, 1921)  NEW ZEALAND (August 4th, 1921)
LATVIA (February 12th, 1924)  NEW ZEALAND (August 4th, 1921)  NORWAY (August 20th, 1921)
LITHUANIA (May 16th, 1922)  NORWAY (August 20th, 1921)  PANAMA (June 14th, 1929)
Luxembourg  PANAMA (June 14th, 1929)  Persia
NETHERLANDS (August 6th, 1921)  Persia  POLAND (August 26th, 1921)
NEW ZEALAND (August 4th, 1921)  PORTUGAL (October 8th, 1921)  PORTUGAL (October 8th, 1921)
NORWAY (August 20th, 1921)  ROUMANIA (August 8th, 1921)  ROUMANIA (August 8th, 1921)
PANAMA (June 14th, 1929)  KINGDOM OF THE SERBS,  ROUMANIA (August 8th, 1921)
NEW ZEALAND (August 4th, 1921)  CROATS AND SLOVENES  KINGDOM OF THE SERBS,
NORWAY (August 20th, 1921)  (August 12th, 1921)  CROATS AND SLOVENES
PANAMA (June 14th, 1929)  Salvador (August 29th, 1930)  (August 12th, 1921)
PERSIA  SIAM (February 27th, 1922)  PERSIA
POLAND (August 26th, 1921)  SPAIN (August 30th, 1921)  POLAND (August 26th, 1921)
PORTUGAL (October 8th, 1921)  SWEDEN (February 21st, 1921)  PORTUGAL (October 8th, 1921)
ROUMANIA (August 8th, 1921)  SWITZERLAND (July 25th, 1921)  ROUMANIA (August 8th, 1921)
KINGDOM OF THE SERBS,  SWITZERLAND (July 25th, 1921)  KINGDOM OF THE SERBS,
CROATS AND SLOVENES  SWITZERLAND (July 25th, 1921)  CROATS AND SLOVENES
(August 12th, 1921)  URUGUAY (September 27th, 1921)  (August 12th, 1921)
Salvador (August 29th, 1930)  URUGUAY (September 27th, 1921)  Salvador (August 29th, 1930)
SIAM (February 27th, 1922)  VENEZUELA (December 2nd, 1921)  SIAM (February 27th, 1922)
SPAIN (August 30th, 1921)  VENEZUELA (December 2nd, 1921)  SPAIN (August 30th, 1921)
SWEDEN (February 21st, 1921)  SWITZERLAND (July 25th, 1921)  SWEDEN (February 21st, 1921)
SWITZERLAND (July 25th, 1921)  VENEZUELA (December 2nd, 1921)  SWITZERLAND (July 25th, 1921)
URUGUAY (September 27th, 1921)  VENEZUELA (December 2nd, 1921)  URUGUAY (September 27th, 1921)


2. Optional Clause recognising the Court’s Jurisdiction, as described in Article 36 of the Statute.

(Geneva, December 16th, 1920.)

In Force.

Ratifications.

Union of South Africa
(April 7th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 10 years, and thereafter until such time as notice may be given to terminate the acceptance, over all disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to the said ratification.

Other than disputes in regard to which the parties to the dispute have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement, and

Disputes with the Government of any other Member of the League which is a Member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, all of which disputes shall be settled in such manner as the parties have agreed or shall agree, and

Disputes with regard to questions which by international law fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Union of South Africa,

And subject to the condition that His Majesty’s Government in the Union of South Africa reserve the right to require that proceedings in the Court shall be suspended in respect of any dispute which has been submitted to and is under consideration by the Council of the League of Nations, provided that notice to suspend is given after the dispute has been submitted to the Council and is given within ten days of the notification of the initiation of the proceedings in the Court, and provided also that such suspension shall be limited to a period of twelve months or such longer period as may be agreed by the parties to the dispute or determined by a decision of all the Members of the Council other than the parties to the dispute.

Costa Rica
Reciprocity.

Czechoslovakia
Reciprocity, 10 years from the date of the deposit of the instrument of ratification, in any dispute arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to this ratification, except in cases where the parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another method of pacific settlement, and subject to the right, for either of the parties to the dispute, to submit the dispute, before any recourse to the Court, to the Council of the League of Nations.

Dominican Republic
Reciprocity.

France
Reciprocity, 5 years, in any disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to this ratification, and which could not have been settled by a procedure of conciliation or by the Council according to the terms of Article 15, paragraph 6, of the Covenant, with reservation as to the case where the parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another method of settlement by arbitration. This declaration replaces the declaration of October 2nd, 1924, which has now lapsed.

Guatemala
Reciprocity.

Italy
Reciprocity, 5 years, subject to any other method of settlement provided by a special convention, and in any case where a solution through the diplomatic channel or, further, by the action of the Council of the League of Nations could not be reached, on the following classes of legal disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration, and concerning:

(a) The interpretation of a treaty,

(b) Any question of international law,
2. Optional Clause recognising the Court's Jurisdiction, as described in Article 3 of the Statute (continued).

(Geneva, December 16th, 1920.)

In Force.

Ratifications.

Australia (August 18th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 10 years, and thereafter until such time as notice may be given to terminate the acceptance, over all disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to the said ratification, Other than disputes in regard to which the parties to the dispute have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement, and Disputes with regard to questions which by international law fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Commonwealth of Australia, And subject to the condition that His Majesty's Government in the Commonwealth of Australia reserve the right to require that proceedings in the Court shall be suspended in respect of any dispute which has been submitted to and is under consideration by the Council of the League of Nations, provided that notice to suspend is given after the dispute has been submitted to the Council and is given within ten days of the notification of the initiation of the proceedings in the Court, and provided also that such suspension shall be limited to a period of twelve months or such longer period as may be agreed by the parties to the dispute or determined by a decision of all the Members of the Council other than the parties to the dispute.

Austria (March 13th, 1927)
Reciprocity, 10 years.

Belgium (March 10th, 1926)
Reciprocity, 15 years, in any disputes arising after ratification of the present Declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to this ratification, except cases where the parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another method of peaceful settlement.

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.

(c) The existence of any fact which, if established, would constitute a breach of an international obligation.

(d) The nature or extent of the reparation to be made for the breach of an international obligation.

Liberia
Reciprocity.

Luxembourg
Reciprocity, 5 years.

Nicaragua
Unconditional.

Peru
Reciprocity, 10 years from the date of deposit of the instrument of ratification, in any dispute arising with regard to situations and facts subsequent to that ratification, except in cases where the parties have agreed either to have recourse to another method of settlement by arbitration, or to submit the dispute previously to the Council of the League of Nations.

Yugoslavia
Subject to ratification. Reciprocity, 5 years, in relation to any other Member of the League of Nations or State the Government of which is recognised by the Kingdom of Yugoslavia, and from the date of the deposit of the instrument of ratification, in any disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration, except disputes with regard to questions which by international law, fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Kingdom of Yugoslavia, and except in cases where the Parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement.
2. **Optional Clause recognising the Court’s Jurisdiction, as described in Article 36 of the Statute** (continued).

(Geneva, December 16th, 1920.)

In Force.

**Ratifications.**

**UNITED KINGDOM**
(February 5th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 10 years, and thereafter until such time as notice may be given to terminate the acceptance, over all disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to the said ratification,

Other than disputes in regard to which the parties to the dispute have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement, and

Disputes with the Government of any other Member of the League which is a Member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, all of which disputes shall be settled in such manner as the parties have agreed or shall agree, and

Disputes with regard to questions which by international law fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of the United Kingdom,

And subject to the condition that His Majesty’s Government reserve the right to require that proceedings in the Court shall be suspended in respect of any dispute which has been submitted to and is under consideration by the Council of the League of Nations, provided that notice to suspend is given after the dispute has been submitted to the Council and is given within ten days of the notification of the initiation of the proceedings in the Court, and provided also that such suspension shall be limited to a period of twelve months or such longer period as may be agreed by the parties to the dispute or determined by a decision of all the Members of the Council other than the parties to the dispute.

**BRAZIL**¹ (November 1st, 1921)
Reciprocity, 5 years, and as soon as it has been recognised as such by two at least of the Powers permanently represented on the Council of the League of Nations.

**BULGARIA** (August 12th, 1921)
Reciprocity.

**Canada** (July 28th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 10 years, and thereafter until such time as notice may be given to terminate the acceptance, in all disputes arising after ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to said ratification, other than:

Disputes in regard to which parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement; and

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¹ Brazil is bound by the Optional Clause as from February 5th, 1930.
2. **Optional Clause recognising the Court’s Jurisdiction, as described in Article 36 of the Statute (continued).**

*(Geneva, December 16th, 1920.)*

In Force.

Ratifications.

Disputes with the Government of any other Member of the League which is a Member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, all of which disputes shall be settled in such manner as the parties have agreed or shall agree; and

Disputes with regard to questions which by international law fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Dominion of Canada.

And subject to the condition that His Majesty’s Government in Canada reserve the right to require that proceedings in the Court shall be suspended in respect of any dispute which has been submitted to and is under consideration by the Council of the League of Nations, provided that notice to suspend is given after the dispute has been submitted to the Council and is given within ten days of the notification of the initiation of the proceedings in the Court, and provided also that such suspension shall be limited to a period of twelve months or such longer period as may be agreed by the parties to the dispute or determined by a decision of all the Members of the Council other than the parties to the dispute.

**DENMARK (June 13th, 1926)**

Reciprocity, 10 years.

**ESTONIA (May 2nd, 1928)**

Reciprocity, 10 years, in any future dispute in respect of which the parties have not agreed to have recourse to another method of pacific settlement.

**FINLAND (April 6th, 1927)**

Reciprocity, 10 years.

**GERMANY (February 29th, 1928)**

Reciprocity, 5 years, in any disputes arising after the ratification of the present Declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to this ratification, except in cases where the parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another method of pacific settlement.

**GREECE (September 12th, 1929)**

Reciprocity, 5 years.

For all the classes of disputes mentioned in Article 36, with the exception of:

(a) Disputes relating to the territorial status of Greece, including disputes relating to its rights of sovereignty over its ports and lines of communication;

(b) Disputes relating directly or indirectly to the application of treaties or conventions accepted by Greece and providing for another procedure.

* Declaration not subject to ratification.
2. **Optional Clause recognising the Court’s Jurisdiction, as described in Article 3 of the Statute (continued).**

*(Geneva, December 16th, 1920.)*

**In Force.**

**Ratifications.**

*Haiti* (September 7th, 1921)
Unconditional.

_Hungary* (August 13th, 1929)
Reciprocity, 5 years.

_India* (February 5th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 10 years, and thereafter until such time as notice may be given to terminate the acceptance, over all disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to the said ratification,

Other than disputes in regard to which the parties to the dispute have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement, and

Disputes with the Government of any other Member of the League which is a Member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, all of which disputes shall be settled in such manner as the parties have agreed or shall agree; and

Disputes with regard to questions which by international law fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of India,

And subject to the condition that the Government of India reserve the right to require that proceedings in the Court shall be suspended in respect of any dispute which has been submitted to and is under consideration by the Council of the League of Nations, provided that notice to suspend is given after the dispute has been submitted to the Council and is given within ten days of the notification of the initiation of the proceedings in the Court, and provided also that such suspension shall be limited to a period of twelve months or such longer period as may be agreed by the parties to the dispute or determined by decision of all the Members of the Council other than the parties to the dispute.

_Irish Free State_
(July 11th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 20 years.

_Latvia* (February 26th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 5 years, in any disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to this ratification, except in cases where the parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another method of pacific settlement. This declaration replaces the declaration made on September 11th, 1923.

_Lithuania* (January 14th, 1930)
Five years, unconditional.

* Declaration not subject to ratification.
2. **Optional Clause recognising the Court’s Jurisdiction, as described in Article 36 of the Statute** (continued).

(Geneva, December 16th, 1920.)

**In Force.**

**Ratifications**

*Netherlands* (August 6th, 1926)
Reciprocity, 10 years, and in future disputes, excepting those in regard to which the parties would have agreed after the coming into force of the Statute of the Permanent Court of International Justice to have recourse to another method of pacific settlement.

*New Zealand* (March 29th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 10 years, and thereafter until such time as notice may be given to terminate the acceptance, over all disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to the said ratification,

Other than disputes in regard to which the parties to the dispute have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement, and

Disputes with the Government of any other Member of the League which is a Member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, all of which disputes shall be settled in such manner as the parties have agreed or shall agree, and

Disputes with regard to questions which by international law fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Dominion of New Zealand,

And subject to the condition that His Majesty’s Government in New Zealand reserve the right to require that proceedings in the Court shall be suspended in respect of any dispute which has been submitted to and is under consideration by the Council of the League of Nations, provided that notice to suspend is given after the dispute has been submitted to the Council and is given within ten days of the notification of the initiation of the proceedings in the Court, and provided also that such suspension shall be limited to a period of twelve months or such longer period as may be agreed by the parties to the dispute or determined by a decision of all the Members of the Council other than the parties to the dispute.

*Norway* (October 3rd, 1921)
Reciprocity, 10 years.

*Panama* (June 14th, 1929)
Reciprocity.

*Portugal* (October 8th, 1921)
Reciprocity.

*Declaration not subject to ratification.*
2. **OPTIONAL CLAUSE RECOGNISING THE COURT’S JURISDICTION, AS DESCRIBED IN ARTICLE 39 OF THE STATUTE (continued).**

*(Geneva, December 16th, 1920.)*

**In Force.**

**Salvador**

The provisions of this Statute do not apply to any disputes or differences concerning points or questions which cannot be submitted to arbitration in accordance with the political Constitution of this Republic.

The provisions of this Statute also do not apply to disputes which arose before that date or to pecuniary claims made against the Nation, it being further understood that Article 36 binds Salvador only in regard to States which accept the arbitration in that form.

**Siam (May 7th, 1930)**

Reciprocity, 10 years, the jurisdiction of the Court as compulsory *ipso facto* and without any special convention, in conformity with Article 36, paragraph 2, of the Statute of the Court, for a period of ten years in all disputes as to which no other means of pacific settlement is agreed upon between the Parties.

**Spain (September 21st, 1928)**

Reciprocity, 10 years, in any disputes arising after the signature of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to this signature, except in cases where the Parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another method of pacific settlement.

**Sweden (August 16th, 1926)**

Reciprocity, 10 years.

**Switzerland (July 24th, 1926)**

Reciprocity, 10 years.

**Uruguay (September 27th, 1921)**

Reciprocity.

**II. COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSIT.**

**I. CONVENTION AND STATUTE ON FREEDOM OF TRANSIT.**

*(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)*

**In Force.**

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I. CONVENTION AND STATUTE ON FREEDOM OF TRANSIT (continued).

(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

BRITISH EMPIRE, including Newfoundland (August 2nd, 1922)
Subject to the declaration inserted in the Procès-verbal of the meeting of April 10th, 1921, as to the British Dominions which have not been represented at the Barcelona Conference.

Federated Malay States: States of Perak, Selangor, Negri Sembilan and Pahang (August 22nd, 1923 a)

Non-Federated Malay States: States of Brunei, Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan and Trengganu (August 22nd, 1923 a)

PALESTINE (British Mandate) (January 28th, 1924 a)

NEW ZEALAND (August 2nd, 1922)

INDIA (August 2nd, 1922)

BULGARIA (July 11th, 1922)

CHILE (March 19th, 1928)

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DENMARK (November 13th, 1922)

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NORWAY (September 4th, 1923)

POLAND (October 8th, 1924)

ROUMANIA (September 5th, 1923)

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LITHUANIA

PANAMA

PERSIA

PERU

PORTUGAL

URUGUAY

The Convention is open to Accession by:

AUSTRALIA

BRAZIL

CANADA

COLOMBIA

COSTA RICA

CUBA

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

HAITI

HONDURAS

IRISH FREE STATE

LIBERIA

NICARAGUA

PARAGUAY

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VENEZUELA
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*(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)*

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3. ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE CONVENTION ON THE REGIME OF NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS OF INTERNATIONAL CONCERN.¹

(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

ALBANIA (October 8th, 1921)  
AUSTRIA (November 15th, 1923 a)  
To the full extent indicated under paragraph (a) of the Protocol.

BRITISH EMPIRE (August 2nd, 1922)  
In respect of the United Kingdom only accepting paragraph (a).

NEWSALAND (August 2nd, 1922)  
Nyasaland Protectorate and Tanganyika Territory  
To the full extent indicated in paragraph (b).  

Bahamas  
Barbados  
British Guiana  
Jamaica (including Turks and Caicos Islands and Cayman Islands)  
Leeward Islands  
Trinidad and Tobago  
Windward Islands (Grenada, St. Lucia and St. Vincent)  
Gibraltar  
Malta  
Cyprus  
Gambia Colony and Protectorate  
Sierra Leone Colony and Protectorate  
Nigeria Colony and Protectorate  
Gold Coast, Ashanti and northern territories of the Gold Coast  
Kenya Colony and Protectorate  
Uganda Protectorate  
Zanzibar  
St. Helena  
Ceylon  
Mauritius  
Seychelles  
Hong-Kong  
Staits Settlements  
Fiji  
Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony  
British Solomon Islands  

Belgium  
Accepting paragraph (a).  

Peru  

Portugal  
Accepting paragraph (a).  

Spain  

The Protocol is open to Accession by:

ABYSSINIA  
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA  
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC  
AUSTRALIA  
BOLIVIA  
BRAZIL  
BULGARIA  
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KINGDOM OF THE SERBS, CROATS AND SLOVENES  
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3. ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE CONVENTION ON THE REGIME OF NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS OF INTERNATIONAL CONCERN (continued).

(BARCELONA, APRIL 20TH, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

The Protocol is open to Acceptance by:

BRITISH EMPIRE (continued)

Federated Malay States:
States of Perak, Selangor, Negri Sembilan and Pahang
(August 22nd, 1923 a)

Non-Federated Malay States:
States of Brunei, Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan and Trengganu
(August 22nd, 1923 a)

PALESTINE (British Mandate)
(January 28th, 1924 a)
To the full extent indicated in paragraph (a) of the Protocol.

Bermuda (December 27th, 1928 a)
To the full extent indicated in paragraph (a).

NEW ZEALAND (August 2nd, 1922)
Accepting paragraph (a).

INDIA (August 2nd, 1922)
In respect of India only accepting paragraph (a).

CHILE (March 19th, 1928)
Accepting paragraph (b).

CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 8th, 1924)
Accepting paragraph (b).

DENMARK (November 13th, 1922)
Accepting paragraph (a).

FINLAND (January 29th, 1923)
Accepting paragraph (b).

GREECE (January 3rd, 1928)

HUNGARY (May 18th, 1928 a)
To the full extent indicated in paragraph (a).

LUXEMBURG (March 19th, 1930 a)

NORWAY (September 4th, 1923)

ROUMANIA (May 9th, 1924 a)
Is unable to accept any restriction of her liberty in administrative matters on the waterways which are not of international concern, that is to say, on purely national rivers, while at the same time accepting the principles of liberty in accordance with the laws of the country.

SIAM (November 29th, 1922 a)

SWEDEN (September 15th, 1927 a)
Accepting paragraph (b).
4. Declaration recognising the Right to a Flag of States having no Sea-coast.1

(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

ALBANIA (October 8th, 1921)
AUSTRIA (July 10th, 1924)
BELGIUM (May 16th, 1927)
BRITISH EMPIRE, including
NEWFOUNDLAND (October 9th, 1922)
CANADA (October 31st, 1922 a)
AUSTRALIA (October 31st, 1922 a)
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
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LATVIA (February 12th, 1924)
*NETHERLANDS (including
Netherlands Indies, Surinam
and Curaçao)
NORWAY (September 4th, 1923)
POLAND (December 20th, 1924)
ROUMANIA (February 22nd, 1923 a)
SIAM (November 29th, 1922)
SPAIN (July 1st, 1926)
SWEDEN (January 19th, 1925)
*SWITZERLAND
YUGOSLAVIA (May 7th, 1930)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

BOLIVIA
CHINA
GUATEMALA
LITHUANIA
PANAMA
PERSIA
PERU
PORTUGAL
URUGUAY

The Declaration is open to Accession by:

ABYSSINIA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
BRAZIL
COLOMBIA
COSTA RICA
CUBA
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
GERMANY
HAITI
HONDURAS
IRISH FREE STATE
LIBERIA
LUXEMBURG
NICARAGUA
PARAGUAY
SALVADOR
VENEZUELA

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* Accepts Declaration as binding without ratification.
III. TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN.  

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN.  

(Geneva, September 30th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

Albania (October 13th, 1924)
Austria (August 9th, 1922)
Belgium (June 15th, 1922)
British Empire (June 28th, 1922)

Does not include the Island of Newfoundland, the British Colonies and Protectorates, the Island of Nauru, or any territories administered under mandates by Great Britain.

Bahamas, Trinidad, Kenya, Nyasaland, Ceylon, Hong Kong, Straits Settlements, Gibraltar, Malta, Cyprus, Southern Rhodesia, Barbados, Grenada, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Seychelles, Northern Rhodesia, British Honduras.

British Guiana and Fiji (October 24th, 1922)
Leeward Islands (March 7th, 1924)
Jamaica and Mauritius (March 7th, 1924)
Falkland Islands (May 8th, 1924)
Gold Coast Colony (July 3rd, 1924)
Iraq (May 15th, 1925)
The Government of Iraq desire to reserve to themselves the right to fix an age-limit lower than that specified in Article 5 of the Convention.
Sierra Leone (November 16th, 1927)
Canada (June 28th, 1922)
Australia (June 28th, 1922)

Does not include Papua, Norfolk Island and the mandated territory of New Guinea.

Union of South Africa (June 28th, 1922)
New Zealand (June 28th, 1922)

Does not include the mandated territory of Western Samoa.

India (June 28th, 1922)

Reserves the right at its discretion to substitute the age of sixteen years or any greater age that may be subsequently decided upon for the age-limits prescribed in paragraph (b) of the Final Protocol of the Convention of May 4th, 1910, and in Article 5 of the present Convention.

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

Brazil
Colombia
Costa Rica
Denmark
Lithuania
Panama
Persia
Peru

The Convention is open to Accession by:

Abyssinia
United States of America
Argentina Republic
Bolivia
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Guatemala
Haiti
Honduras
Irish Free State
Liberia
Mexico
Monaco
Nicaragua
Paraguay
Salvador
Venezuela

The Annex to the Supplementary Report for 1923 (A.10(a).1923, Annex) contains, moreover, complete details concerning:

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN (continued).

(Geneva, September 30th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

Bulgaria (April 29th, 1925 a)
Chile (January 15th, 1929)
China (February 24th, 1926)
Cuba (May 7th, 1923)
Czechoslovakia (September 29th, 1923)
Estonia (February 28th, 1930)
Finland (August 16th, 1926 a)
France (March 1st, 1926 a)
Does not include the French Colonies, the countries in the French Protectorate or the territories under French mandate.
Syria and Lebanon (June 2nd, 1930 a)
Germany (July 8th, 1924)
Greece (April 9th, 1923)
Hungary (April 25th, 1925)
Italy (June 30th, 1924)
Italian Colonies (July 27th, 1922 a)
Japan (December 15th, 1925)
Does not include Chosen, Taiwan, the leased Territory of Kwantung, the Japanese Section of Sakhalen Island and Japan's mandated territory in the South Seas.
Latvia (February 12th, 1924)
Luxembourg (December 31st, 1929 a)
Netherlands (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curaçao) (September 19th, 1923)
Norway (August 16th, 1922)
Poland and Free City of Danzig (October 8th, 1924)
Portugal (December 1st, 1923)
Romania (September 5th, 1923)
Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes (May 2nd, 1929 a)
Siamese State (July 13th, 1922)
With reservation as to the age-limit prescribed in paragraph (b) of the Final Protocol of the Convention of 1910 and Article 5 of this Convention, in so far as concerns the nationals of Siam.
Spain (May 12th, 1924 a)
Does not include the Spanish Possessions in Africa or the territories of the Spanish Protectorate in Morocco.
Sweden (June 9th, 1925)
Switzerland (January 20th, 1926)
Uruguay (October 21st, 1924 a)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

The Convention is open to Accession by:

[Signature details for various countries]
IV. AMENDMENTS TO THE COVENANT OF THE LEAGUE. ¹
(Geneva, October 5th, 1921.)

9. PROTOCOL OF AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 16. ²
(First Paragraph to be inserted after First the Amended Paragraph of Article 16.)

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| Dominican Republic |
| France |
| Germany |
| Guatemala |
| Honduras |
| Irish Free State |
| Luxembourg |
| Nicaragua |
| Persia |
| Poland |
| Salvador |
| Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes |
| Spain |

10. PROTOCOL OF AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 16.
(Second Paragraph to be inserted after the First Amended Paragraph of Article 16.)

Not in Force.

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¹ Article 26 of the Covenant provides: “Amendments to this Covenant will take effect when ratified by the Members of the League whose representatives compose the Council and by a majority of the Members of the League whose representatives compose the Assembly.”

² The Assembly adopted at its fifth ordinary session (1924) a resolution according to which it is no longer opportune to ratify the first amendment to Article 16 of the Covenant adopted in 1921. As a consequence of this resolution, the first amendment to Article 16 adopted by the Assembly at its second ordinary session does not appear in the present report. See in No. IX the new amendment adopted in 1924.

³ The Annex to the Supplementary Report on the work of the Council and the Secretariat for 1929 (document A.6(a).1929, Annex) contains, moreover, complete details concerning the amendments to Articles 4, 6, 12, 13 and 15 of the Covenant. These amendments being now in force, no reference is made to them in the present document.
## Protocol of an Amendment to Article 16 (continued)

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NETHERLANDS (April 4th, 1923)
NEW ZEALAND (August 12th, 1924)
NORWAY (March 29th, 1922)
PORTUGAL (October 5th, 1923)
ROUMANIA (September 5th, 1923)
SIAM (September 12th, 1922)
SWEDEN (August 24th, 1922)
SWITZERLAND (March 29th, 1923)
URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)

12. PROTOCOL OF AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 26.

(First Paragraph.)

Not in Force.

Ratifications.
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA (February 3rd, 1923)
AUSTRALIA (February 3rd, 1923)
AUSTRIA (August 29th, 1927)
BELGIUM (September 28th, 1923)
BRAZIL (August 13th, 1924)
BRITISH EMPIRE (February 3rd, 1923)
BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)
CANADA (February 3rd, 1923)
CHILE (August 1st, 1923)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
CUBA (May 7th, 1923)
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GREECE (August 20th, 1923)
HAITI (November 2nd, 1925)
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INDIA (February 3rd, 1923)
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SWITZERLAND (March 29th, 1923)
URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)
VENEZUELA (March 24th, 1925)

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.
ALBANIA
BOLIVIA
COLOMBIA
COSTA RICA
LIBERIA
PANAMA
PARAGUAY
PERSIA
PERU

Other Members to whose Signature the Protocol is open.
ABYSSINIA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
GERMANY
GUATEMALA
HONDURAS
IRISH FREE STATE
LUXEMBOURG
NICARAGUA
SALVADOR
KINGDOM OF THE SERBS, CROATS AND SLOVENES

(Adding a New Paragraph after the First Paragraph.)

Not in Force.

Ratifications. Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification. Other Members to whose Signature the Protocol is open.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA (February 3rd, 1923) BOLIVIA
AUSTRALIA (February 3rd, 1923) COLOMBIA
AUSTRIA (August 29th, 1927) COSTA RICA
BELGIUM (September 28th, 1923) LIBERIA
BRAZIL (August 13th, 1924) PANAMA
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URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)
VENEZUELA (March 24th, 1925)


(Second Paragraph.)

Not in Force.

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AUSTRALIA (February 3rd, 1923) COLOMBIA
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URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)
4. Protocol of an Amendment to Article 26 (continued).
(Second Paragraph.)

Not in Force.

Ratifications.

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.

BRAZIL (July 7th, 1923)
BRITISH EMPIRE (February 3rd, 1923)
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VENEZUELA (March 24th, 1925)

V. OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS.

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE CIRCULATION OF AND TRAFFIC IN OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS.¹
(Geneva, September 12th, 1923.)

In Force.

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

BRAZIL
COLOMBIA
COSTA RICA
CUBA
FRANCE
Haiti
HONDURAS
IRISH FREE STATE
JAPAN

The Convention is open to Accession by:

ABYSSINIA
AFGHANISTAN
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
AUSTRALIA
BOLIVIA
CHILE
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
ECUADOR
ESTONIA
GUATEMALA
HEJAZ
ICELAND
LIBERIA
LIECHTENSTEIN
MEXICO
NICARAGUA

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE CIRCULATION OF AND TRAFFIC IN OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS (continued).

(Geneva, September 12th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA, including SOUTH WEST AFRICA (Mandated) (December 11th, 1925) SOUTHERN RHODESIA (December 31st, 1925 a) NEW ZEALAND, including the Mandated Territory of Western Samoa (December 11th, 1925) INDIA (December 11th, 1925) The following British Colonies, Protectorates and Mandated Territories: Nigeria Seychelles British Honduras Ceylon Kénya Mauritius British Solomon Islands Protectorate Gilbert and Ellice Islands Fiji Uganda Trinidad Zanzíbar Tanganyika Territory Leeward Islands Windward Islands Gambia Nyasaland Straits Settlements Federated Malay States Non-Federated Malay States: Brunei Johore Kedah Kelantan Trengganu Sierra Leone Northern Rhodesia Barbados Gold Coast Cyprus Gibraltar Malta Somaliland Basutoland Bechuanaland Swaziland Hong-Kong Bermuda The Bahamas The Falkland Islands St. Helena Palestine Transjordan Jamaica (August 22nd, 1927 a) British Guiana (September 23rd, 1929 a) BULGARIA (July 1st, 1924) CHINA (February 24th, 1926)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

LITHUANIA PANAMA PERSIA PERU SALVADOR URUGUAY

The Convention is open to Accession by:

PARAGUAY UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS SWEDEN VENEZUELA
INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE CIRCULATION OF AND TRAFFIC IN OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS (continued.)

(Geneva, September 12th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA (April 11th, 1927)
FREE CITY OF DANZIG (through the intermediary of Poland) (March 31st, 1926)
DENMARK (May 6th, 1930)
With regard to Article IV, see also Article I. The acts mentioned in Article I are punishable under the rules of Danish law only if they fall within the provisions of Article 184 of the Danish Penal Code, which inflicts penalties upon any person publishing obscene writings, or placing on sale, distributing, or otherwise circulating or publicly exposing obscene images. Further, it is to be observed that the Danish legislation relating to the Press contains special provisions on the subject of the persons who may be prosecuted for Press offences. The latter provisions apply to the acts covered by Article 184 in so far as these acts can be considered as Press offences. The modification of Danish legislation on these points must await the revision of the Danish Penal Code, which is likely to be effected in the near future.

EGYPT (October 29th, 1924 a)
FINLAND (June 29th, 1925)
GERMANY (May 11th, 1925)
GREECE (October 9th, 1929)
HUNGARY (February 12th, 1929)
IRAQ (April 26th, 1929 a)
ITALY (July 8th, 1924)
LATVIA (October 7th, 1925)
*LUXEMBURG (August 10th, 1927)
Subject to reservation "that, in the application of the penal clauses of the Convention, the Luxemburg authorities will observe the closing paragraph of Article 24 of the Constitution of the Grand-Duchy, which provides that proceedings may not be taken against the publisher, printer or distributor if the author is known and if he is a Luxemburg subject residing in the Grand-Duchy ".

SAN MARINO (April 21st, 1926 a)
MONACO (May 11th, 1925)
THE NETHERLANDS (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curacao) (September 13th, 1927)
NORWAY (May 8th, 1929 a)
POLAND (March 8th, 1927)
PORTUGAL (October 4th, 1927)
ROUMANIA (June 7th, 1926)
KINGDOM OF THE SERBS, CROATS AND SLOVENES (May 2nd, 1929)

* This ratification, given subject to reservation, has been submitted to the signatory States for acceptance.
VI. ARBITRATION CLAUSES IN COMMERCIAL MATTERS.  

PROTOCOL ON ARBITRATION CLAUSES.  

(Geneva, September 24th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications.  

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.

The Protocol is open to Accession by:

ABYSSINIA  
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC  
AUSTRALIA  
BOLIVIA  
BULGARIA  
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MEXICO  
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KINGDOM OF THE SERBS, CROATS AND SLOVENES  
TURKEY  
VENEZUELA

ALBANIA (August 29th, 1924)  
AUSTRIA (January 25th, 1928)  
BELGIUM (September 23rd, 1924)  
BRITISH EMPIRE (September 27th, 1924)  
BELGIUM (September 23rd, 1924)  
BRAZIL  
CHILE  
CZECHOSLOVAKIA  
The Czecho-Slovak Republic will regard itself as being bound only in relation to States which will have ratified the Convention of September 20th, 1927, on the Execution of Foreign Arbitral Awards, and the Czecho-Slovak Republic does not intend by this signature to invalidate in any way the bilateral treaties concluded by it which regulate the questions referred to in the present Protocol by provisions going beyond the provisions of the Protocol.

FREE CITY OF DANZIG  
(through the intermediary of Poland)

LATVIA  
Reserves the right to limit the obligation mentioned in paragraph 2 of Article I to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law.

LITHUANIA  

LUXEMBURG  
Reserves the right to limit the obligation mentioned in the first paragraph of Article I to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law.

NICARAGUA  
PANAMA  
PARAGUAY  
PERSIA  

POLAND  
Under reservation that, in conformity with paragraph 2 of Article I, the undertaking contemplated in the said article will apply only to contracts which are declared as commercial in accordance with national Polish law.

1 The present Protocol came into force on July 28th, 1924, date of the second deposit of ratification (Article 6)
DENMARK (April 6th, 1925)
Under Danish law, arbitral awards made by an Arbitral Tribunal do not immediately become operative; it is necessary in each case, in order to make an award operative, to apply to the ordinary courts of law. In the course of the proceedings, however, the arbitral award will generally be accepted by such Courts without further examination as a basis of the final judgments in the affair.

ESTONIA (May 16th, 1929)
Limits, in accordance with Article 1, paragraph 2, of this Protocol, the obligation mentioned in paragraph 1 of the said article to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law.

FINLAND (July 10th, 1924)
FRANCE (June 7th, 1928)
Reserves the right to limit the obligation mentioned in paragraph 2 of Article 1 to contracts which are considered as commercial under its own national law. Its acceptance of the present Protocol does not include its colonies, Overseas Possessions or Protectorates or Territories in respect of which France exercises a mandate.

GERMANY (November 5th, 1924)
Greece (May 26th, 1926)
ITALY (July 28th, 1924)
Except Colonies.

JAPAN (June 4th, 1928)
Chosen, Taiwan, Karafuto, the leased territory of Kwantung, and the territories in respect of which Japan exercises a mandate. (February 26th, 1929 a).

MONACO (February 8th, 1927)
Reserves the right to limit its obligation to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law.

NETHERLANDS (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curaçao) (August 6th, 1925)
The Government of the Netherlands reserves its right to restrict the obligation mentioned in the first paragraph of Article 1 to contracts which are considered as commercial under Netherlands law.

Further, it declares its opinion that the recognition in principle of the validity of arbitration clauses in no way affects either the restrictive provisions at present existing under Netherlands law or the right to introduce other restrictions in the future.

NEW ZEALAND (June 9th, 1926)
NORWAY (September 2nd, 1927)
ROUMANIA (March 12th, 1925)
Subject to the reservation that the Royal Government may in all circumstances limit the obligation mentioned in Article 1, paragraph 2, to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law.

Siam (September 3rd, 1930)
PROTOCOL ON ARBITRATION CLAUSES (continued).
(Geneva, September 24th, 1923.)

Ratifications.

SPAIN (July 29th, 1926)
Reserves the right to limit the obligation mentioned in Article I, paragraph 2, to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law. Its acceptance of the present Protocol does not include the Spanish Possessions in Africa, or the territories of the Spanish Protectorate in Morocco.

SWEDEN (August 8th, 1929)
SWITZERLAND (May 14th, 1928)

VII. CUSTOMS FORMALITIES.
INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION RELATING TO THE SIMPLIFICATION OF CUSTOMS FORMALITIES AND PROTOCOL RELATING THERETO. 1
(Geneva, November 3rd, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or Accessions.

AUSTRIA (September 11th, 1924)
BELGIUM (October 4th, 1924)
Does not apply to the Belgian Congo or to the territory of Ruanda-Urundi under Belgian mandate, without prejudice to the right of ratification at a subsequent date on behalf of either or both of these territories.

BRAZIL (July 10th, 1929)
BRITISH EMPIRE (August 29th, 1924)
AUSTRALIA (March 13th, 1925)
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA (August 29th, 1924)
NEW ZEALAND (August 29th, 1924)
Includes the mandated territory of Western Samoa.

INDIA (March 13th, 1925)
BULGARIA (December 10th, 1926)
CHINA (February 23rd, 1926)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (February 10th, 1927)
DENMARK (May 17th, 1924)
EGYPT (March 23rd, 1925)
ESTONIA (February 28th, 1930 a)
FINLAND (May 23rd, 1928)
FRANCE (September 13th, 1926)
Does not apply to the Colonies under its sovereignty.

GERMANY (August 1st, 1925)
GREECE (July 6th, 1927)
HUNGARY (February 23rd, 1926)
ITALY (June 13th, 1924)
LUXEMBURG (June 10th, 1927)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

CHILE
JAPAN
LITHUANIA
PARAGUAY
POLAND
PORTUGAL
SPAIN
URUGUAY

The Convention is open to Accession by:

AFGHANISTAN
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
BOLIVIA
CANADA
COLOMBIA
COSTA RICA
CUBA
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
ECUADOR
GUATEMALA
HAITI
HONDURAS
IRISH FREE STATE
LATVIA
LIBERIA
MEXICO
NICARAGUA
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PERU
Salvador
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
TURKEY
VENEZUELA

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION RELATING TO THE SIMPLIFICATION OF CUSTOMS FORMALITIES AND PROTOCOL RELATING THERETO (continued).

(Geneva, November 3rd, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

FRENCH PROTECTORATE OF MOROCCO (November 8th, 1926)
NETHERLANDS (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curaçao) (May 30th, 1925)
NORWAY (September 7th, 1926)
PERSIA (May 8th, 1925 a)
ROMANIA (December 23rd, 1925)
Under the same reservations as those formulated by the other Governments and inserted in Article 6 of the Protocol, the Royal Government understands that Article 22 of the Convention confers the right to have recourse to the procedure provided for in this article for questions of a general nature solely on the High Contracting Parties, private persons being only entitled to appeal to their own judicial authorities in case any dispute arises with the authorities of the Kingdom.

KINGDOM OF THE SERBS, CROATS AND SLOVENES (May 2nd, 1920)
SIAM (May 19th, 1925)
SWEDEN (February 12th, 1926)
SWITZERLAND (January 3rd, 1927)
REGENCY OF TUNIS (French Protectorate) (November 8th, 1926)

VIII. COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSIT.

5. Convention and Statute on the International Regime of Railways and Protocol of Signature.1

(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

ABYSSINIA (September 20th, 1928 a)
AUSTRIA (January 20th, 1927)
BELGIUM (May 16th, 1927)

Does not apply to the Belgian Congo or to the territory of Ruanda-Urundi under Belgian mandate, without prejudice to the right of ratification at a subsequent date on behalf of either or both of these territories.

Signature or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

BRAZIL
BULGARIA
CHILE
CHINA

The Chinese Government, subject to the declarations made in its name by the delegates whom it instructed to take part in the discussions on the Convention and Statute on the International Regime of Railways,

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
AUSTRALIA
BOLIVIA
CANADA
COSTA RICA
CUBA
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

In Force.

**Ratifications or definitive Accessions.**

**BRITISH EMPIRE (August 29th, 1924)**

This ratification shall not be deemed to apply in the case of the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa or the Irish Free State (or any territories under their authority) or in the case of India, and that, in pursuance of the power reserved in Article 9 of this Convention, it shall not be deemed to apply in the case of any of the Colonies, Possessions or Protectorates or of the territories in respect of which His Britannic Majesty has accepted a mandate; without prejudice, however, to the right of subsequent ratification or accession on behalf of any or all those Dominions, Colonies, Possessions, Protectorates or territories.

**SOUTHERN RHODESIA (April 23rd, 1925 a)**

**NEWFOUNDLAND (April 23rd, 1925 a)**

The following British Colonies, Protectorates and Mandated Territories:

- British Guiana
- British Honduras
- Brunei
- Federated Malay States: States of Perak, Selangor, Negri Sembilan and Pahang
- Gambia
- Gold Coast
- Hong-Kong
- Non-Federated Malay States: Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan, Trengganu
- Nigeria
- Northern Rhodesia
- Nyasaland
- Palestine
- Sierra Leone
- Straits Settlements
- Tanganyika Territory
- NEW ZEALAND (April 1st, 1925)
- INDIA (April 1st, 1925)
- DENMARK (April 27th, 1926)
- ESTONIA (September 21st, 1929)
- GERMANY (December 5th, 1927)
- GREECE (March 6th, 1929)
- HUNGARY (March 21st, 1929)
- JAPAN (September 30th, 1926)
- NETHERLANDS (for the Kingdom in Europe) (February 22nd, 1928)
- NORWAY (February 24th, 1926)
- POLAND and FREE CITY OF DANZIG (January 7th, 1928)
- COLOMBIA
- CZECHOSLOVAKIA
- FINLAND
- FRANCE
- ITALY
- LATVIA
- LITHUANIA
- PANAMA
- PORTUGAL
- SALVADOR
- URUGUAY

**Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.**

**GUATEMALA**
**HAITI**
**HONDURAS**
**IRISH FREE STATE**
**LIBERIA**
**LUXEMBURG**
**NICARAGUA**
**PARAGUAY**
**PERU**
**PERU**
**TURKEY**
**VENEZUELA**

 confirms the said declarations regarding:

1. The whole of Part III: “Relations between the railway and its users”, Articles 14, 15, 16 and 17;
2. In Part VI: “General Regulations”, Article 37, relating to the conclusion of special agreements for the purpose of putting the provisions of the Statute into force in cases where existing agreements are not adequate for this purpose.

**The Convention is open to Accession by:**

(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

ROUMANIA (December 23rd, 1925)
SIAM (January 9th, 1925)
SPAIN (January 15th, 1930)
SWEDEN (September 15th, 1927)
SWITZERLAND (October 23rd, 1926)
Yugoslavia (May 7th, 1930)

6. Convention and Statute on the International Regime of Maritime Ports and Protocol of Signature.¹

(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

AUSTRIA (January 20th, 1927a)
BELGIUM (May 16th, 1927)
BRAZIL
BULGARIA
CHILE
CZECHOSLOVAKIA
With reservation as to the right relating to emigrants mentioned in Article twelve (12) of the Statute.

ESTONIA
FRANCE
Shall have the power, in conformity with Article 8 of the Statute, of suspending the benefit of equality of treatment as regards the mercantile marine of a State which, under the provisions of Article 12, paragraph 1, has itself departed from equality of treatment in favour of its own marine.

Does not include any of the Protectorates, Colonies, Overseas Possessions or Territories of the Statute.

BRITISH EMPIRE (August 29th, 1924)

This ratification shall not be deemed to apply in the case of the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa or the Irish Free State (or any territories under their authority) or in the case of India, and that, in pursuance of the power reserved in Article 9 of this Convention, it shall not be deemed to apply in the case of any of the Colonies, Possessions or Protectorates or of the territories in respect of which His Britannic Majesty has accepted a mandate; without prejudice, however, to the right of subsequent ratification or accession on behalf of any or all those Dominions, Colonies, Possessions, Protectorates or Territories.


**Geneva, December 9th, 1923.**

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6. CONVENTION AND STATUTE ON THE INTERNATIONAL REGIME OF MARITIME PORT AND PROTOCOL OF SIGNATURE (continued).

(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

NEW ZEALAND (April 1st, 1925)

INDIA (April 1st, 1925)

DENMARK (excluding Greenland) (April 27th, 1926)
The maritime ports of which are subject to a separate regime.

GERMANY (May 1st, 1928)
In conformity with Article 12 of the Statute on the International Regime of Maritime Ports, the German Government declares that it reserves the right of limiting the transport of emigrants, in accordance with the provisions of its own legislation, to vessels which have been granted special authorisation as fulfilling the requirements of the said legislation.

In exercising this right, the German Government will continue to be guided as far as possible by the principles of this Statute.

GREECE (January 24th, 1927)
With reservation as to the right relating to emigrants mentioned in Article twelve (12) of the Statute.

HUNGARY (March 21st, 1929)
With reservation as to the right regarding emigration provided in Article 12 of the Statute.

IRAQ (May 1st, 1929)
With reservation as to all the rights regarding emigration provided in Article 12 of the Statute.

JAPAN (September 30th, 1926)
With reservation as to the right relating to emigrants mentioned in Article twelve (12) of the Statute.

NETHERLANDS (February 22nd, 1928)
Netherlands Indies,
Surinam and Curaçao
(February 22nd, 1928)
The Netherlands Government reserves the right mentioned in Article 12, paragraph 1, of the Statute annexed to the Convention, it being understood that no discrimination shall be made against the flag of any contracting State which in regard to the transport of emigrants does not discriminate against the Netherlands flag.

NORWAY (June 21st, 1928)
SIAM (January 9th, 1925)
SWEDEN (September 15th, 1927)
SWITZERLAND (October 23rd, 1926)
7. Convention relating to the Transmission in Transit of Electric Power and Protocol of Signature.¹

(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

AUSTRIA (January 20th, 1927)
BRITISH EMPIRE (April 1st, 1925)

This ratification has been given on behalf of the British Empire and New Zealand, including the mandated territory of Western Samoa. It shall not be deemed to apply in the case of Dominions of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Union of South Africa or the Irish Free State, or any territories under their authority, or in the case of India, and that, in pursuance of the power reserved in Article 21 of this Convention, it shall not be deemed to apply in the case of any of the Colonies, Possessions, or Protectorates or of the territories in respect of which His Britannic Majesty has accepted a mandate other than the territory mentioned above; without prejudice, however, to the right of subsequent ratification or accession on behalf of any or all of the Dominions, Colonies, Possessions, Protectorates, or Territories.

NEWFOUNDLAND (April 23rd, 1925 a)
SOUTHERN RHODESIA (April 23rd, 1925 a)

The following British Colonies, Protectorates and Mandated Territories:

British Guiana
British Honduras
Brunei
Federated Malay States: States of Perak, Selangor, Negri Sembilan and Pahang
Gambia
Gold Coast
Hong-Kong
Kenya
Non-Federated Malay States: States of Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan, Trengganu, Nigeria, Northern Rhodesia, Nyasaland, Palestine, Sierra Leone, Straits Settlements, Tanganyika Territory, Uganda Protectorate (January 12th, 1927 a)

NEW ZEALAND (April 1st, 1925)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

BELGIUM
BULGARIA
CHILE
FREE CITY OF DANZIG
(through the intermediary of Poland)
FRANCE
HUNGARY
ITALY
LITHUANIA
POLAND
KINGDOM OF THE SERBS, CROATS AND SLOVENES
URUGUAY

The Convention is open to Accession by:

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AUSTRALIA
BOLIVIA
BRAZIL
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IRISH FREE STATE
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LUXEMBURG
NETHERLANDS
NICARAGUA
NORWAY
PANAMA
PARAGUAY
PERIS
PERU
PORTUGAL
ROUMANIA
SALVADOR
SIAM
SWEDEN
SWITZERLAND
TURKEY
VENEZUELA


(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA (November 30th, 1926)
DENMARK (April 27th, 1926)
GREECE (February 15th, 1929)
SPAIN (January 15th, 1930)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.


(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

AUSTRIA (January 20th, 1927)
BELGIUM
BULGARIA
CHILE
FREE CITY OF DANZIG (through the intermediary of Poland)
FRANCE
HUNGARY
ITALY
LITHUANIA
POLAND
KINGDOM OF THE SERBS, CROATS AND SLOVENES
URUGUAY

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

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ABYSSINIA
ALBANIA
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
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PERU
PERSIA
PHILIPPINES
PORTUGAL
RUSSIA
SOUTH AFRICA
SWITZERLAND
TURKEY
UGANDA
VENEZUELA

The following British Colonies, Protectorates and Mandated Territories:

British Guiana
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Gambia
Gold Coast
Hong-Kong
Kenya
Non-Federated Malay States: States of Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan, Trengganu

8. Convention relating to the Development of Hydraulic Power affecting more than one State and Protocol of Signature (continued).

(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.
Nigeria
Northern Rhodesia
Nyasaland
Palestine
Sierra Leone
Straits Settlements
Tanganyika Territory
Uganda Protectorate
(January 12th, 1927 a)
NEW ZEALAND (April 1st, 1925)
DENMARK (April 27th, 1926)
GREECE (March 14th, 1929)
SIAM (January 9th, 1925)

IX. AMENDMENTS TO THE COVENANT.

15. Protocol of an Amendment to Article 16.

(Latter Part of First Paragraph of Article 16.)

(Geneva, September 27th, 1924.)

Not in Force.

Ratifications.
Estonia (September 18th, 1926)
Netherlands (February 8th, 1926)
ROUMANIA (March 12th, 1925)
SALVADOR (June 4th, 1925)
SIAM (September 30th, 1925)

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.
Union of South Africa
ALBANIA
BRAZIL
BULGARIA
CANADA
CHILE
CUBA
GREECE
NEW ZEALAND
PERU
POLAND
URUGUAY

Other Members to whose Signature the Protocol is open.
ABYSSINIA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
AUSTRALIA
AUSTRIA
BELGIUM
BOLIVIA
BRITISH EMPIRE
CHINA
COLOMBIA
CZECHOSLOVAKIA
DENMARK
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
FINLAND
FRANCE
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GUATEMALA
HAITI
HONDURAS
HUNGARY
INDIA
IRISH FREE STATE
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PERSIA
PORTUGAL
KINGDOM OF THE SERBS, CROATS AND SLOVENES
SPAIN
SWEDEN
SWITZERLAND
VENEZUELA
### X. Traffic in Opium and Other Dangerous Drugs.

**International Opium Convention of January 23rd, 1912.**

Schedule containing the signatures of the Convention, the signatures of the Protocol of Signature of the Powers not represented at the First Opium Conference, provided for in the penultimate paragraph of Article 22 of the Convention, the ratifications of the Convention, and the signatures of the Protocol respecting the putting into force of the Convention provided under "B" of the Final Protocol of the Third International Opium Conference.

(The ratifications and signatures in accordance with Article 295 of the Peace Treaty of Versailles or in accordance with a similar article of other treaties of peace are marked **.)

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³ With the reservation that a separate and special ratification or denunciation may subsequently be obtained for the French Protectorates.

⁴ Subject to the approval of the Colombian Parliament.

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The International Opium Convention of January 23rd, 1912 (continued).

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(a) The First Opium Conference of the League of Nations.

Agreement, Protocol and Final Act. 5

(Signed at Geneva, February 11th, 1925.)

In Force.

Ratifications.
Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.
Other States to whose Signature the Agreement is open.

British Empire (February 17th, 1926)
The signature of this Protocol is subject, in respect of British Protectorates, to the conditions contained in Article XIII of the Agreement.

India (February 17th, 1926)

France (April 29th, 1926)

Japan (October 10th, 1928)

Netherlands (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curaçao) (March 1st, 1927)

1 With the reservation of Articles 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19 (Persia having no treaty with China) and paragraph (a) of Article 3.

2 With the reservation of Articles 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19 (Siam having no treaty with China).

3 Subject to the following declaration: "Opium not being manufactured in Sweden, the Swedish Government will for the moment confine themselves to prohibiting the importation of prepared opium, but they declare at the same time that they are ready to take the measures indicated in Article 8 of the Convention if experience proves their expediency."

4 Subject to ratification and with the declaration that the Swiss Government will be unable to issue the necessary legal enactments within the terms fixed by the Convention.

(a) THE FIRST OPIUM CONFERENCE ON THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.
AGREEMENT, PROTOCOL AND FINAL ACT (continued).

(Signed at Geneva, February 11th, 1925.)

In Force.

Ratifications

PORTUGAL (September 13th, 1926)
While accepting the principle of a monopoly as formulated in Article I, does so, as regards the moment at which the measures provided for in the first paragraph thereof shall come into force, subject to the limitation contained in the second paragraph of the article.

The Portuguese Government, being bound by a contract consistent with the provisions of the Hague Convention of 1912, will not be able to put into operation the provisions of paragraph 1 of Article VI of the present Agreement so long as its obligations under this contract are in force.

SIAM (May 6th, 1927)
Under reservation of Article I, paragraph 3 (a), with regard to the time when this provision shall come into force, and of Article V. The reason for these reservations had been stated by the First Delegate of Siam on November 14th, 1924. The Siamese Government is hoping to put into force the system of registration and rationing within the period of three years. After that date, the reservation in regard to Article I, paragraph 3 (a), will fall to the ground.

(b) SECOND OPIUM CONFERENCE OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS
CONVENTION.

(Geneva, February 19th, 1925.)

In Force.

Ratifications or Accessions.

AUSTRIA (November 25th, 1927)
BELGIUM (August 24th, 1927)
Does not apply to the Belgian Congo or to the territory of Ruanda-Urundi under Belgian mandate.

BRITISH EMPIRE (February 17th, 1926)
His Britannic Majesty's ratification shall not be deemed to apply in the case of the Dominion of Canada or the Irish Free State and, in pursuance of the power reserved in Article 39 of the Convention, the instrument shall not be deemed to apply in the case of the Colony of the Bahamas or the State of Sarawak under His Britannic Majesty's protection.

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

ALBANIA

BOLIVIA

1. Bolivia does not undertake to restrict the home cultivation or production of coca, or to prohibit the use of coca leaves by the native population.

2. The exportation of coca leaves shall be subject to control by the Bolivian Government, by means of export certificates.

3. The Bolivian Government designates the following as places from which coca may be exported: Villazon, Yacuiba, Autopafagasta, Arika and Mollendo.

The Convention is open to Accession by:

ABYSSINIA
AFGHANISTAN
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
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CHINA
COLOMBIA
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