LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Annex to the Supplementary Report ¹ on the Work of the Council and the Secretariat

to the Fourteenth Ordinary Session of the Assembly of the League of Nations.

RATIFICATION OF AGREEMENTS AND CONVENTIONS

CONCLUDED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

FOURTEENTH 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 or definitive signature; the States which have signed but have not yet ratified them, and, finally,

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.10(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.
11. Declaration by Finland as to the Åland Islands, of June 27th, 1921.
12. Declaration by Latvia, of July 7th, 1922.


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 on March 6th, 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.

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

(d) Health:

8. Sanitary Convention between Bulgaria and the Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, April 1923.


(g) Financial Restoration of Austria:


(i) Danzig:


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:


(d) Refugees:


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:
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 and Assembly (document A.6(a).1932.V. Annex (of September 14th, 1932)) are indicated in italics.

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

The letter "s" placed immediately after a date signifies a definitive signature.

The Annex to the Supplementary Report on the work of the Council and the Secretariat for 1929 (A.6(a).1929, Annex) contains, moreover, complete details concerning:

(a) Currency and Banking Reform:

4. Protocol for the stabilisation of the currency and liquidating the budget arrears of the Hellenic State and for further settlement of Greek Refugees, signed at Geneva, September 15th, 1927 (Treaty Series of the League of Nations, Vol. LXX, p. 9);

(b) Refugees:

2. Declaration relating to the modifications made to the Protocol of September 29th, 1923, with regard to the Settlement of Refugees in Greece, by the Additional Act of September 19th, 1924, Geneva, September 25th, 1924 (Treaty Series of the League of Nations, Vol. XXX, p. 421);
5. Arrangement concerning the legal status of Russian and Armenian Refugees, signed at Geneva, June 30th, 1928 (Treaty Series of the League of Nations, Vol. LXXXIX, p. 53);
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(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.

*ABYSSINIA (April 15th, 1932)
Reciprocity, 2 years, with effect as from July 16, 1931, excepting disputes in respect of which the parties have agreed to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement.

ALBANIA (September 17th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 5 years from the date of the deposit of the instrument of ratification, in any of the disputes enumerated in Article 36 of the Statute arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations or facts subsequent to this ratification, other than:

(a) Disputes relating to the territorial status of Albania;

(b) Disputes with regard to questions which, by international law, fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Kingdom of Albania;

* 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.**

(c) Disputes relating directly or indirectly to the application of treaties or conventions accepted by the Kingdom of Albania and providing for another method of peaceful settlement.

**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 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 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.

**BRAZIL (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.

**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

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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 31 of the Statute (continued).**

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

**In Force.**

**Ratifications.**

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.

*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
- 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.

*Colombia (January 6th, 1932)*

Reciprocity.

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

Reciprocity, 10 years.

**Dominican Republic (February 4th, 1933)**

Reciprocity.

*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.

**France (April 25th, 1931)**

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.

**Germany (July 5th, 1933)**

Reciprocity, 5 years, from March 1st, 1933, as regards disputes which might have arisen after February 29th, 1928, date of the ratification of the declaration made on this subject at Geneva on September 23rd, 1927, or to disputes arising in future with regard to situations or facts subsequent to the said ratification. Cases where the parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another method of pacific settlement are excepted.

**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;

* 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.

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

*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.

Italy (September 7th, 1931)
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,
(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.

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)
Fifty years, unconditional.

*Luxembourg (September 15th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 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 procedure or to another method of pacific settlement. The present declaration is made for a period of five years. Unless it is denounced six months before the expiration of that period, it shall be considered as renewed for a further period of five years and similarly thereafter.

*Netherlands (August 6th, 1926)
Reciprocity, 10 years, in any 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.

*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

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, 1926)
Reciprocity, 10 years.

*PANAMA (June 14th, 1929)
Reciprocity.

Paraguay (May 11th, 1933)
Unconditional.

Persia (September 19th, 1932)
Reciprocity in any disputes arising after the ratification of the present declaration with regard to situations of facts relating directly or indirectly to the application of treaties or conventions accepted by Persia and subsequent to the ratification of this declaration, with the exception of:

(a) Disputes relating to the territorial status of Persia, including those concerning the rights of sovereignty of Persia over its islands and ports;

(b) Disputes in regard to which the Parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to some other method of peaceful settlement;

(c) Disputes with regard to questions which by international law fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of Persia.

However, the Imperial Government of Persia reserves the right to require that proceedings in the Court shall be suspended in respect of any dispute which has been submitted to the Council of the League of Nations.
The present declaration is made for a period of six years. At the expiration of that period, it shall continue to bear its full effects until notification is given of its abrogation.

*PORTUGAL (October 8th, 1921)
Reciprocity.

ROUMANIA (June 9th, 1931)
Reciprocity, 5 years, in respect of the Governments recognised by Roumania and on condition of reciprocity in regard to legal disputes arising out of situations or facts subsequent to the ratification by the Roumanian Parliament of this accession and with the exception of matters for which a special procedure has been or may be established and subject to the right of Roumania to submit the dispute to the Council of the League of Nations before having recourse to the Court.
The following are, however, excepted:

(a) Any question of substance or of procedure which might directly or indirectly cause the existing territorial integrity of Roumania and her sovereign rights, including her rights over her ports and communications, to be brought into question;

(b) Disputes relating to questions which, according to international law, fall under the domestic jurisdiction of Roumania.

*SALVADOR (August 29th, 1930)
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.

* 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

Siam (May 7th, 1930)
Reciprocity, 10 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, 1920)
Reciprocity, 10 years.

Switzerland (July 24th, 1926)
Reciprocity, 10 years.

*Uruguay (September 27th, 1921)
Reciprocity.

Yugoslavia (November 24th, 1930)
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, 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.

II. COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSIT.

I. Convention and Statute on Freedom of Transit.¹

(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

ALBANIA (October 8th, 1921)
Austria (November 15th, 1923)
Belgium (May 16th, 1927)
British Empire, including
Newfoundland (August 2nd, 1922)
Subject to the declaration inserted in the Proces-verbal of the meeting of April 19th, 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)

Czechoslovakia (October 29th, 1923)

Free City of Danzig (through the intermediary of Poland)
(April 3rd, 1925 a)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

Bolivia
China
Guatemala
Lithuania
Panama
Peru (a)
Portugal
Uruguay

The Convention is open to Accession by:

ABYSSINIA
Union of South Africa
Argentine Republic
Australia
Brazil
Canada
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Republic
Haiti
Honduras
Irish Free State
Liberia
Mexico
Nicaragua
Paraguay
Salvador
Venezuela

* Declaration not subject to ratification.

I. CONVENTION AND STATUTE ON FREEDOM OF TRANSIT (continued).
(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions
DENMARK (November 13th, 1922)
ESTONIA (June 6th, 1925)
FINLAND (January 29th, 1923)
FRANCE (September 16th, 1924)
SYRIA AND LEBANON (French Mandate) (February 7th, 1929 a)
GERMANY (April 9th, 1924 a)
GREECE (February 18th, 1924)
HUNGARY (May 18th, 1928 a)
IRAQ (March 1st, 1930 a)
ITALY (August 5th, 1924)
JAPAN (February 20th, 1924)
LATVIA (September 29th, 1923)
LUXEMBURG (March 16th, 1930)
NETHERLANDS (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curaçao) (April 17th, 1924)
NORWAY (September 4th, 1923)
PERU (January 29th, 1931)
POLAND (October 8th, 1924)
ROUMANIA (September 5th, 1923)
ROMANIA (November 29th, 1931)
SPAIN (December 17th, 1929)
SWEDEN (January 19th, 1925)
SWITZERLAND (July 14th, 1924)
TURKEY (June 27th, 1933 a)
YUGOSLAVIA (May 7th, 1930)

2. CONVENTION AND STATUTE ON THE REGIME OF NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS OF INTERNATIONAL CONCERN.
(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.
ALBANIA (October 8th, 1921)
AUSTRIA (November 15th, 1923)
BELGIUM (November 15th, 1923)
BRITISH EMPIRE, including NEWFOUNDLAND (August 2nd, 1922)
SUBJECT to the declaration inserted in the Proces-verbal of the meeting of April 19th, 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)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.
BELGIUM
BOLIVIA
CHINA
COLOMBIA (a)
ESTONIA
GUATEMALA
LITHUANIA
PANAMA
PERU (a)
POLAND
PORTUGAL
SPAIN
URUGUAY

The Convention is open to Accession by
ABYSSINIA
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
AUSTRALIA
BRAZIL
CANADA
COSTA RICA
CUBA
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
GERMANY
HARDI
HONDURAS
IRAQ
IRISH FREE STATE
JAPAN
LATVIA
LIBERIA
MEXICO
NETHERLANDS
NICARAGUA
PARAGUAY
PERU
SAVADOR
SWITZERLAND
VENEZUELA
YUGOSLAVIA

2. CONVENTION AND STATUTE ON THE REGIME OF NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS OF INTERNATIONAL CONCERN (continued).

(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

CHILE (March 19th, 1928)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 8th, 1924)
DENMARK (November 13th, 1922)
FINLAND (January 29th, 1923)
FRANCE (December 31st, 1926)
GREECE (January 3rd, 1928)
HUNGARY (May 18th, 1928 a)
ITALY (August 5th, 1922)
LUXEMBURG (March 19th, 1930)
NORWAY (September 4th, 1923)
ROUMANIA (May 9th, 1924 a)

In so far as its provisions are not in conflict with the principles of the new Danube Statute drawn up by the International Commission which was appointed in accordance with Articles 349 of the Treaty of Versailles, 304 of the Treaty of Saint-Germain, 232 of the Treaty of Neuilly and 288 of the Treaty of Trianon.

SIAM (November 29th, 1922 a)
SWEDEN (September 15th, 1927)
TURKEY (June 27th, 1933 a)

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

(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

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).
NEWFOUNDLAND (August 2nd, 1922)
To the full extent indicated under paragraph (a).
Nyasaland Protectorate and Tanganyika Territory (August 2nd, 1922)
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

BELGIUM
Accepting paragraph (a).
PERU (a)
PORTUGAL
SPAIN
Accepting paragraph (a).

The Protocol is open to Accession by:

ABYSSINIA
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
AUSTRALIA
BOLIVIA
BRAZIL
BULGARIA
CANADA
CHINA
COLOMBIA
COSTA RICA
CUBA
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
ESTONIA
FRANCE
GERMANY
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IRISH FREE STATE
ITALY
JAPAN
LATVIA
LIBERIA
LITHUANIA
MEXICO
NETHERLANDS
NICARAGUA
PANAMA
PARAGUAY

3. ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE CONVENTION ON THE REGIME OF NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS OF INTERNATIONAL CONCERN (continued).

(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force

The Protocol is open to Accession by:

Persia
Poland
Salvador
Switzerland
Uruguay
Venezuela
Yugoslavia

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

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
Strait Settlements
Fiji
Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony
British Solomon Islands
Tonga Islands

Federated Malay States:
States of Perak, Selangor, Negri Sembilan and Pahang (August 22nd, 1923 a)
To the full extent indicated under paragraph (a).

Non-Federated Malay States:
States of Brunei, Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan and Trengganu (August 22nd, 1923 a)
To the full extent indicated under paragraph (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).

Luxembourg (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) to the full extent indicated under paragraph (a).

Sweden (September 15th, 1927 a)
Accepting paragraph (b).

Turkey (June 27th, 1933 a)
4. Declaration recognising the Right to a Flag of States having no Sea-coast.¹

(Barcelona, April 20th, 1921.)

In Force.

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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, 1922a)
AUSTRALIA (October 31st, 1922 a)
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA (October 31st, 1922 a)
NEW ZEALAND (October 9th, 1922)
INDIA (October 9th, 1922)
BULGARIA (July 11th, 1922)
CHILE (March 10th, 1928)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 8th, 1924)
Free City of Danzig (through the intermediary of Poland) (January 10th, 1933 a)
DENMARK (Nov. 13th, 1922)
*ESTONIA
FINLAND (September 22nd, 1922 a)
*FRANCE
GERMANY (Nov. 10th, 1931 a)
Greece (January 3rd, 1928)
HUNGARY (May 18th, 1928 a)
*ITALY
JAPAN (February 20th, 1924)
LATVIA (February 12th, 1924)
*NETHERLANDS (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curacao) (November 28th, 1921)
NORWAY (September 4th, 1923)
POLAND (December 20th, 1924)
ROUMANIA (Feb. 22nd, 1923 a)
SIAM (November 29th, 1922)
SPAIN (July 1st, 1926)
SWEDEN (January 19th, 1925)
*SWITZERLAND
TURKEY (June 27th, 1933 a)
YUGOSLAVIA (May 7th, 1930)

III. TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN.²


(Geneva, September 30th, 1921.)

In Force.

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Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

ALBANIA (October 13th, 1924)
AUSTRIA (August 9th, 1922)

* Accepts Declaration as binding without ratification.


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

(Geneva, September 30th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

BELGIUM (June 15th, 1922)
Brazil (August 18th, 1933)
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.

Colony of Sierra Leone (November 16th, 1927)
Colony and Protectorate of Gambia
Protectorate of Uganda
Territory of Tanganyika
Palestine (including Transjordan)
Protected State of Sarawak
Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony
British Solomon Islands Protectorate
Zanzibar Protectorate (January 14th, 1932)

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.

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

Costa Rica
Panama (a)
Peru (a)

The Convention is open to Accession by:

United States of America
Saudi Arabia
Argentina Republic
Bolivia
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Guatemala
Haiti
Honduras
Iceland
Irish Free State
Liechtenstein
Nicaragua
Paraguay
San Marino
Salvador
Turkey
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
Venezuela
INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN

(continued).

(Geneva, September 30th, 1921.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

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.

BULGARIA (April 29th, 1925 a)

CHILE (January 15th, 1929)

CHINA (February 24th, 1926)

CUBA (May 7th, 1923)

CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 29th, 1923)

DENMARK (April 23rd, 1931 a)

This ratification does not include Greenland, the Convention, in view of the special circumstances, being of no interest for that possession.

EGYPT (April 13th, 1932 a)

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 THE 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)

Subject to the age limit for native women and children, referred to in Article 5, being reduced from twenty-one to sixteen years.

JAPAN (December 15th, 1925)

Does not include Chosen, Taiwan, the leased Territory of Kwantung, the Japanese Section of Sakhalien Island and Japan’s mandated territory in the South Seas.

LATVIA (February 12th, 1924)

LITHUANIA (September 14th, 1931)

LUXEMBURG (December 31st, 1929 a)

MEXICO (May 10th, 1932 a)

MONACO (July 18th, 1931 a)

NETHERLANDS (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curacao) (September 19th, 1923)

NORWAY (August 16th, 1922)

Persia (March 28th, 1933)

POLAND and FREE CITY OF DANZIG (October 8th, 1924)

PORTUGAL (December 1st, 1923)

ROMANIA (September 5th, 1923)

SIAM (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.

SUDAN (June 1st, 1932 a)

SWEDEN (June 9th, 1925)

SWITZERLAND (January 20th, 1926)

URUGUAY (October 21st, 1924 a)

YUGOSLAVIA (May 2nd, 1929 a)

1 According to a reservation made by the Danish Government when ratifying the Convention, the latter was to take effect, in respect of Denmark, only upon the coming into force of the Danish Penal Code of April 15th, 1930. This Code having entered into force on January 1st, 1933, the Convention has become effective for Denmark from the same date.
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 the First Amended Paragraph of Article 16.)

Not in Force.

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

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA  
(August 12th, 1924)  
BOLIVIA  
(Costa Rica)

AUSTRALIA (August 12th, 1924)  
CUBA

AUSTRIA (August 29th, 1927)  
HAITI

BELGIUM (Sept. 28th, 1923)  
LIBERIA

BRAZIL (August 13th, 1924)  
PANAMA

BRITISH EMPIRE (August 12th, 1924)  
PARAGUAY

BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)  
PERU

CANADA (August 12th, 1924)  
VENUEZUELA

(First Paragraph to be inserted after the First Amended Paragraph of Article 16.)

Not in Force.

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

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA  
(August 12th, 1924)  
BOLIVIA  
(Costa Rica)

AUSTRALIA (August 12th, 1924)  
CUBA

AUSTRIA (August 29th, 1927)  
HAITI

BELGIUM (Sept. 28th, 1923)  
LIBERIA

BRAZIL (August 13th, 1924)  
PANAMA

BRITISH EMPIRE (August 12th, 1924)  
PARAGUAY

BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)  
PERU

CANADA (August 12th, 1924)  
VENUEZUELA

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

Not in Force.

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

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA  
(August 12th, 1924)  
BOLIVIA  
(Costa Rica)

AUSTRALIA (August 12th, 1924)  
CUBA

AUSTRIA (August 29th, 1927)  
HAITI

BELGIUM (Sept. 28th, 1923)  
LIBERIA

BRAZIL (August 13th, 1924)  
PANAMA

BRITISH EMPIRE (August 12th, 1924)  
PARAGUAY

BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)  
PERU

CANADA (August 12th, 1924)  
VENUEZUELA

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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 under No. IX the new amendment adopted in 1924.
IO. PROTOCOL OF AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 16 (continued).
(Second Paragraph to be inserted after the First Amended Paragraph of Article 16.)

Not in Force.

Ratifications.

CHILE (August 1st, 1928)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
COLOMBIA (May 9th, 1932)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 1st, 1923)
DENMARK (August 11th, 1922)
ESTONIA (September 7th, 1923)
FINLAND (June 25th, 1923)
GREECE (January 20th, 1925)
HUNGARY (June 22nd, 1923)
INDIA (August 12th, 1924)
ITALY (August 5th, 1922)
JAPAN (June 13th, 1923)
LATVIA (February 12th, 1924)
LITHUANIA (March 13th, 1925)
NETHERLANDS (April 4th, 1923)
NEW ZEALAND (August 12th, 1924)
NORWAY (March 29th, 1922)
PORTUGAL (October 5th, 1923)
ROMANIA (September 5th, 1923)
SWEDEN (August 24th, 1922)
SWITZERLAND (March 29th, 1923)
URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)

Other Members to whose Signature the Protocol is open.

LUXEMBURG
MEXICO
NICARAGUA
PERSIA
POLAND
SALVADOR
SPAIN
TURKEY
YUGOSLAVIA

II. PROTOCOL OF AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 16.
(Paragraph to be inserted between the New Third Paragraph and the Original Second Paragraph of Article 16.)

Not in Force.

Ratifications.

SIGNATURES NOT YET PERFECTED BY RATIFICATION.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA (August 12th, 1924)
AUSTRALIA (August 12th, 1924)
BELGIUM (August 12th, 1924)
BRAZIL (July 7th, 1923)
CANADA (August 12th, 1924)
CHILE (August 1st, 1923)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
COLOMBIA (May 9th, 1932)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 1st, 1923)
DENMARK (August 11th, 1922)
ESTONIA (September 7th, 1923)
FINLAND (June 25th, 1923)
GREECE (January 20th, 1925)
HUNGARY (June 22nd, 1923)
INDIA (August 12th, 1924)
ITALY (August 5th, 1922)
JAPAN (June 13th, 1923)
LATVIA (February 12th, 1924)
LITHUANIA (March 13th, 1925)
NETHERLANDS (April 4th, 1923)
NEW ZEALAND (August 12th, 1924)
NORWAY (March 29th, 1922)
PORTUGAL (October 5th, 1923)
ROMANIA (September 5th, 1923)
SWEDEN (August 24th, 1922)
SWITZERLAND (March 29th, 1923)
URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)

Other Members to whose Signature the Protocol is open.

ABYSSINIA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
FRANCE
GERMANY
GUATEMALA
HONDURAS
IRAQ
IRISH FREE STATE
LUXEMBURG
MEXICO
NICARAGUA
PERSIA
POLAND
SALVADOR
SPAIN
TURKEY
YUGOSLAVIA
(First Paragraph.)

Ratifications.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
(August 29th, 1927)
BELGIUM (Sept. 28th, 1923)
BRITISH EMPIRE (February 3rd, 1923)
BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
COLOMBIA (May 9th, 1932)
CUBA (May 7th, 1923)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 1st, 1923)
DENMARK (August 11th, 1922)
ESTONIA (September 7th, 1923)
FINLAND (June 25th, 1923)
FRANCE (August 2nd, 1923)
Greece (August 20th, 1923)
HAITI (November 2nd, 1925)
HUNGARY (June 22nd, 1923)
INDIA (February 3rd, 1923)
ITALY (August 5th, 1922)
JAPAN (June 13th, 1923)
LATVIA (December 10th, 1923)
LITHUANIA (March 13th, 1925)
NETHERLANDS (April 4th, 1923)
NEW ZEALAND (February 3rd, 1923)
NORWAY (March 29th, 1922)
POLAND (December 15th, 1922)
PORTUGAL (October 5th, 1923)
ROUMANIA (Sept. 5th, 1923)
ROMA (September 12th, 1922)
SPAIN (January 15th, 1930)
SWEDEN (August 24th, 1922)
SWITZERLAND (March 26th, 1923)
URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)
VENEZUELA (March 24th, 1925)

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.

BOLIVIA
COSTA RICA
LIBERIA
PANAMA
PARAGUAY
PERU

Not in Force.

Ratifications.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
(August 29th, 1927)
AUSTRALIA (February 3rd, 1923)
BELGIUM (Sept. 28th, 1923)
BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
COLOMBIA (May 9th, 1932)
CUBA (May 7th, 1923)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 1st, 1923)
DENMARK (August 11th, 1922)
ESTONIA (September 7th, 1923)
FINLAND (June 25th, 1923)
FRANCE (August 2nd, 1923)
GERMANY
GUATEMALA
HONDURAS
IRAQ
IRISH FREE STATE
LUXEMBURG
MEXICO
NICARAGUA
SALVADOR
TURKEY
YUGOSLAVIA

(Adding a New Paragraph after the First Paragraph.)

Ratifications.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
(August 29th, 1927)
AUSTRALIA (February 3rd, 1923)
BELGIUM (Sept. 28th, 1923)
BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)
CANADA (February 3rd, 1923)
CHILE (August 1st, 1928)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
COLOMBIA (May 9th, 1932)
CUBA (May 7th, 1923)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 1st, 1923)
DENMARK (August 11th, 1922)
ESTONIA (September 7th, 1923)
FINLAND (June 25th, 1923)
FRANCE (August 2nd, 1923)

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.

BOLIVIA
COSTA RICA
LIBERIA
PANAMA
PARAGUAY
PERU

Not in Force.

Ratifications.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
(August 29th, 1927)
AUSTRALIA (February 3rd, 1923)
BELGIUM (Sept. 28th, 1923)
BRITISH EMPIRE (February 3rd, 1923)
BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
COLOMBIA (May 9th, 1932)
CUBA (May 7th, 1923)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 1st, 1923)
DENMARK (August 11th, 1922)
ESTONIA (September 7th, 1923)
FINLAND (June 25th, 1923)
FRANCE (August 2nd, 1923)

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.

BOLIVIA
COSTA RICA
LIBERIA
PANAMA
PARAGUAY
PERU

Not in Force.

Ratifications.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
(August 29th, 1927)
AUSTRALIA (February 3rd, 1923)
BELGIUM (Sept. 28th, 1923)
BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
COLOMBIA (May 9th, 1932)
CUBA (May 7th, 1923)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 1st, 1923)
DENMARK (August 11th, 1922)
ESTONIA (September 7th, 1923)
FINLAND (June 25th, 1923)
FRANCE (August 2nd, 1923)
I3. Protocol of an Amendment to Article 26 (continued).
(Adding a New Paragraph after the First Paragraph).

Not in Force.

Ratifications.

GREECE (August 20th, 1923)
HAITI (November 2nd, 1925)
HUNGARY (June 22nd, 1923)
INDIA (February 3rd, 1923)
ITALY (August 5th, 1922)
JAPAN (June 13th, 1923)
LATVIA (December 10th, 1923)
LITHUANIA (March 13th, 1925)
NETHERLANDS (April 4th, 1923)
NEW ZEALAND (February 3rd, 1923)
NORWAY (March 29th, 1922)
POLAND (December 15th, 1922)
PORTUGAL (October 5th, 1923)
ROUMANIA (September 5th, 1923)
SIAM (September 12th, 1922)
SPAIN (January 15th, 1930)
SWEDEN (August 24th, 1922)
SWITZERLAND (March 29th, 1923)
URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)
VENEZUELA (March 24th, 1925)

(Second Paragraph.)

Not in Force.

Ratifications.

Signatures not yet perfected by Ratification.

Other Members to whose Sithe Protocol is open

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA (February 3rd, 1923)
AUSTRALIA (February 3rd, 1923)
AUSTRIA (August 29th, 1927)
BELGIUM (September 28th, 1923)
BRAZIL (July 7th, 1923)
BRITISH EMPIRE (February 3rd, 1923)
BULGARIA (October 4th, 1922)
CANADA (February 3rd, 1923)
CHILE (August 1st, 1928)
CHINA (July 4th, 1923)
COLOMBIA (May 9th, 1932)
CUBA (May 7th, 1923)
CZECHOSLOVAKIA (September 1st, 1923)
DENMARK (August 11th, 1922)
ESTONIA (September 7th, 1923)
FINLAND (June 25th, 1923)
FRANCE (August 2nd, 1923)
GREECE (August 20th, 1923)
HANNAI (November 2nd, 1925)
HUNGARY (June 22nd, 1923)
INDIA (February 3rd, 1923)
ITALY (August 5th, 1922)
JAPAN (June 13th, 1923)
LATVIA (December 10th, 1923)
LITHUANIA (March 13th, 1925)
NETHERLANDS (April 4th, 1923)
NEW ZEALAND (February 3rd, 1923)
NORWAY (March 29th, 1922)
POLAND (December 15th, 1922)
PORTUGAL (October 5th, 1923)
BOLIVIA
COSTA RICA
LIBERIA
PANAMA
PARAGUAY
PERU

ABYSSINIA
ALBANIA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
GERMANY
GUATEMALA
HONDURAS
IRAQ
IRISH FREE STATE
LUXEMBURG
MEXICO
NICARAGUA
SALVADOR
TURKEY
YUGOSLAVIA
14. PROTOCOL OF AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 26 (continued).

(Second Paragraph.)

Not in Force.

Ratifications

ROUMANIA (September 5th, 1923)
SIAM (September 12th, 1922)
SPAIN (January 15th, 1930)
SWEDEN (August 24th, 1922)
SWITZERLAND (March 29th, 1923)
URUGUAY (January 12th, 1924)
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.

Ratifications or Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

COLOMBIA
COSTA RICA
CUBA
FRANCE
Haiti
HONDURAS
JAPAN

Is not binding in respect of Taiwan, Chosen, the leased territory of Kwantung, Karafuto or the territories under Japanese mandate, and that the provisions of Article 15 of the Convention are in no way derogatory to the acts of the Japanese judicial authorities in the application of Japanese laws and decrees.

LITHUANIA
PANAMA
PERU (a)
SAVADOR
URUGUAY

The Convention is open to Accession by:

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

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)
British Guiana (September 23rd, 1929)
Southern Rhodesia (December 31st, 1925)

CANADA (May 23rd, 1924)

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA, including SOUTH WEST AFRICA (Mandated) (December 11th, 1925)

NEW ZEALAND, including the Mandated Territory of Western Samoa (December 11th, 1925)

IRISH FREE STATE (September 15th, 1930)

INDIA (December 11th, 1925)

BULGARIA (July 1st, 1924)

CHINA (February 24th, 1926)

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)

FINLAND (June 29th, 1925)

GERMANY (May 11th, 1925)

GREECE (October 9th, 1929)

HUNGARY (February 12th, 1929)

IRAQ (April 26th, 1929)

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)

MONACO (May 11th, 1925)

* This ratification, given subject to reservation, has been submitted to the signatory States for acceptance.
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.

NETHERLANDS (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curaçao) (September 13th, 1927)
NORWAY (May 8th, 1929 a)
PERSE (September 28th, 1932)
POLAND (March 8th, 1927)
PORTUGAL (October 4th, 1927)
ROUMANIA (June 7th, 1926)
SIAM (July 28th, 1924)
The Siamese Government reserve full right to enforce the provisions of the present Convention against foreigners in Siam in accordance with the principles prevailing for applying Siamese legislation to such foreigners.
SPAIN (December 19th, 1924)
SWITZERLAND (January 20th, 1926)
TURKEY (September 12th, 1929)
YUGOSLAVIA (May 2nd, 1929)

VI. ARBITRATION CLAUSES IN COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

1. PROTOCOL ON ARBITRATION CLAUSES.1
(Geneva, September 24th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications.

Albania (August 29th, 1924)
Austria (January 25th, 1928)
Belgium (September 23rd, 1924)
Reserves the right to limit the obligation mentioned in the first paragraph of Article 1 to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law.
Brazil (February 5th, 1932)
Subject to the condition that the arbitral agreement or the arbitration clause mentioned in Article 1 of this Protocol should be limited to contracts which are considered as commercial by the Brazilian legislation.
British Empire (September 27th, 1924)
Applies only to Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and consequently does not include any of the Colonies, Overseas Possessions or Protectorates under His Britannic Majesty's sovereignty or authority or any territory in respect of which His Majesty's Government exercises a mandate.
Southern Rhodesia (December 18th, 1924 a),
Newfoundland (June 22nd, 1925 a)
British Guiana
British Honduras
Jamaica:
Turks and Caicos Islands and Cayman Islands
Leeward Islands
Grenada
St. Lucia
St. Vincent
Gambia

1 The present Protocol came into force on July 28th, 1924, date of the second deposit of ratification (Article 6).

i. PROTOCOL ON ARBITRATION CLAUSES (continued)
(Geneva, September 24th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications

Gold Coast (including Ashanti and the Northern Territories of the Gold Coast and Togoland)
Kenya
Zanzibar
Northern Rhodesia
Ceylon
Mauritius
Gibraltar
Malta
Falkland Islands
Iraq and Palestine
Tanganyika (June 17th, 1926 a)
St. Helena (July 29th, 1926 a)
Uganda (June 28th, 1929 a)
Bahamas (January 23rd, 1931 a)
New Zealand (June 9th, 1926)

Czechoslovakia (September 18th, 1931)
The Czechoslovak Republic will regard itself as being bound only in relation to States which will have ratified the Convention of September 26th, 1927, on the Execution of Foreign Arbitral Awards, and the Czechoslovak 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.

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 the Colonies, Overseas Possessions or Protectorates or Territories in respect of which France exercises a mandate.

Germany (August 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).

Luxembourg (September 15th, 1930)
Reserves the right to limit the obligation mentioned in the first paragraph of Article 1 to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law.

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.

Norway (September 2nd, 1927)

Poland (June 26th, 1931)
Under reservation that in conformity with paragraph 2 of Article 1, the undertaking contemplated in the said article will apply only to contracts which are declared as commercial in accordance with national Polish law.

Portugal (December 10th, 1930)
(1) In accordance with the second paragraph of Article 1, the Portuguese Government reserves the right to limit the obligation mentioned in the first paragraph of Article 1 to contracts which are considered as commercial under its national law.
I. PROTOCOL ON ARBITRATION CLAUSES (continued).

(Geneva, September 24th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions

(2) According to the terms of the first paragraph of Article 8, the Portuguese Government declares that its acceptance of the present Protocol does not include its colonies.

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)

SPAIN (July 29th, 1926)

Reserves the right to limit the obligation mentioned in Article 1, 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.

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION RELATING TO THE SIMPLIFICATION OF CUSTOMS FORMALITIES AND PROTOCOL. 1

(Geneva, November 3rd, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

Austria (September 11th, 1924)

Belgium (October 4th, 1924)

Brazil (July 10th, 1929)

British Empire (August 29th, 1924)

It is stated in the instrument of ratification that this ratification shall not be deemed to apply in the case of the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia (or any territory under its authority) or the Irish Free State or in the case of India, and that in pursuance of the power reserved in Article XXIX of the Convention, it shall not be deemed to apply in the case of the Island of Newfoundland or of the territories: Iraq and Nauru, in respect of which His Britannic Majesty has accepted a mandate.

If it does not apply to the Sudan.

Austria (March 13th, 1925)

Excluding Papua, Norfolk Island and the Mandated Territory of New Guinea.

Union of South Africa (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)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

Chile

Japan

Lithuania

Paraguay

Portugal

Spain

Uruguay

The Convention is open to Accession by:

Abyssinia

Albania

United States of America

Argentina Republic

Bolivia

Canada

Colombia

Costa Rica

Cuba

Dominican Republic

Ecuador

Guatemala

Haiti

Honduras

Iraq

Irish Free State

Liberia

Mexico

Nicaragua

Panama

Peru

Salvador

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

Turkey

Venezuela

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

(Geneva, November 3rd, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

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.
SYRIA and LEBANON (March 9th, 1933 a)
GERMANY (August 1st, 1925)
GREECE (July 6th, 1924)
HUNGARY (February 23rd, 1926)
ITALY (June 13th, 1924)
LATVIA (September 28th, 1931 a)
LUXEMBURG (June 10th, 1927)
FRENCH PROTECTORATE OF MOROCCO (November 8th, 1926)
NETHERLANDS (including Netherlands Indies, Surinam and Curacao) (May 30th, 1925)
NORWAY (September 7th, 1926)
PERSSIA (May 8th, 1925 a)
POLAND (September 4th, 1931)
ROUMANIA (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.
SIAM (May 9th, 1925)
SWEDEN (February 12th, 1926)
SWITZERLAND (January 3rd, 1927)
REGENCY OF TUNIS (French Protectorate) (November 8th, 1926)
YUGOSLAVIA (May 2nd, 1929)

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 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-
BRAZIL
BULGARIA
CHILE
CHINA (a)
    The Chinese Government, subject to the declarations made in its

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
ALBANIA
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
AUSTRALIA
BOLIVIA


(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

Urundi under Belgian mandate, without prejudice to the right of ratification at a subsequent date on behalf of either or both of these territories.

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 of or 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)

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

Strait Settlements

Tanganyika Territory

New Zealand (April 1st, 1925)

Including the mandated territory of Western Samoa.

India (April 1st, 1925)

Denmark (April 27th, 1926)

Estonia (September 21st, 1926)

Germany (December 5th, 1927)

Greece (March 6th, 1929)

Hungary (March 21st, 1929)

Japan (September 30th, 1926)

Signatures or Accessions not yet perfected by Ratification.

name by the delegates whom it instructed to take part in the discussions on this Convention 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.

Colombia (a)

Czechoslovakia

Finland

France

Subject to the reservation contained in Article 9 of the present Convention to the effect that its provisions do not apply to the various Protectorates, Colonies, Possessions or Overseas Territories under the sovereignty or authority of the French Republic.

Italy

Latvia

Lithuania

Panama (a)

Portugal

Salvador

Uruguay

The Convention is open to Accession by:

Canada

Costa Rica

Cuba

Dominican Republic

Guatemala

Haiti

Honduras

Iraq

Irish Free State

Liberia

Luxembourg

Mexico

Nicaragua

Paraguay

Persia

Peru

Turkey

Venezuela

(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force.

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

NETHERLANDS (for the Kingdom in Europe) (February 22nd, 1928)
NORWAY (February 24th, 1926)
POLAND and FREE CITY OF DANZIG (January 7th, 1928)
ROUMANIA (December 23rd, 1925)
STAM (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 definitive Accessions.

AUSTRIA (January 20th, 1927a)
BELGIUM (May 16th, 1927)
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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.

Brazil
BULGARIA
CHILE
ITALY
LITHUANIA
SPANISH
SALVADOR (a)
SPAIN
URUGUAY

The Convention is open to Accession by:

ABYSSINIA
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
ALBANIA
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC
BOLIVIA
CANADA
CHINA
COLOMBIA
COSTA RICA
CUBA
FREE CITY OF DANZIG
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
FINLAND
GUATEMALA
HAITI
HONDURAS
IRISH FREE STATE
LATVIA
LIBERIA
LUXEMBURG
MEXICO
NICARAGUA
PARAGUAY
PERSIA
PERU
POLAND
PORTUGAL
ROUMANIA
TURKEY
VENEZUELA

6. **Convention and Statute on the International Regime of Maritime Ports and Protocol of Signature (continued).**

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

**In Force.**

*Ratifications or definitive Accessions.*

**NEWFOUNDLAND** (April 23rd, 1925 *a*)
- Southern Rhodesia (April 23rd, 1925 *a*)
- Bahamas
- Barbados
- Bermuda
- British Guiana
- British Honduras
- British Solomon Islands Protectorate
- Brunei
- Ceylon
- Cyprus
- Falkland Islands
- Federated Malay States:
  - States of Perak, Selangor, Negri Sembilan and Pahang
- Fiji
- Gambia
- Gibraltar
- Gilbert and Ellice Islands
- Gold Coast
- Grenada
- Hong-Kong
- Jamaica (excluding Turks and Caicos Islands and Cayman Islands)
- Kenya
- Leeward Islands:
  - Antigua
  - Dominica
  - Montserrat
  - St. Christopher Nevis
- Virgin Islands
- Non-Federated Malay States: States of Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan, Trengganu
- Mauritius
- Nigeria
- Palestine
- St. Helena
- St. Lucia
- St. Vincent
- Seychelles
- Sierra Leone
- Somaliland
- Straits Settlements
- Tanganyika Territory
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Zanzibar
- Malta (November 7th, 1925 *a*)

**AUSTRALIA** (June 29th, 1925 *a*)
Does not apply in the case of Papua, Norfolk Island and the mandated territories of Nauru and New Guinea.

**NEW ZEALAND** (April 1st, 1925)
Including the mandated territory of Western Samoa.

**INDIA** (April 1st, 1925)

**CZECHOSLOVAKIA** (July 10th, 1931)
With reservation as to the right relating to emigrants mentioned in Article twelve (12) of the Statute.

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

**ESTONIA** (November 4th, 1931)
The Estonian Government reserves the right regarding emigration provided for in Article 12 of the Statute.
6. **Convention and Statute on the International Regime of Maritime Ports and Protocol of Signature (continued).**

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

**In Force.**

**Ratifications or definitive Accessions**

**FRANCE (August 2nd, 1932)**
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 under the sovereignty or authority of the French Republic.

**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 authorization 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 a)**
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 a)
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)**
**YUGOSLAVIA (November 20th, 1931)**
With reservation as to the right relating to emigrants mentioned in Article twelve (12) of the Statute.

7. **Convention relating to the Transmission in Transit of Electric Power and Protocol of Signature.**

*(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 the Dominion 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 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

**BELGIUM**
**BULGARIA**
**CHILE**
**FREE CITY OF DANZIG**
*(through the intermediary of Poland)*
**FRANCE**
Subject to the reservation contained in Article 21 of the present Convention to the effect that its provisions do not apply to the various Protectorates, Colonies, Possessions or Overseas Territories under the sovereignty or authority of the French Republic.

**HUNGARY**
**ITALY**
**LITHUANIA**

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

**ABYSSINIA**
**UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA**
**ALBANIA**
**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**
**ARGENTINE REPUBLIC**
**AUSTRALIA**
**BOLIVIA**
**BRAZIL**
**CANADA**
**CHINA**
**COLOMBIA**
**COSTA RICA**
**CUBA**
**DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**
**ESTONIA**
**FINLAND**
**GERMANY**

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7. **Convention relating to the Transmission in Transit of Electric Power and Protocol of Signature (continued).**

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

**In Force.**

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

Southern Rhodesia (April 23rd, 1925)

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)

**NEW ZEALAND** (April 1st, 1925)

Including the mandated territory of Western Samoa.

**CZECHOSLOVAKIA** (November 30th, 1926)

**DENMARK** (April 27th, 1926)

**GREECE** (February 15th, 1929)

**SPAIN** (January 15th, 1930)
## Convention Relating to the Development of Hydraulic Power Affecting More Than One State and Protocol of Signature

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

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(Geneva, December 9th, 1923.)

In Force

Ratifications or definitive Accessions.

NEW ZEALAND (April 1st, 1925)
Including the mandated territory of Western Samoa.

DENMARK (April 27th, 1926)

Hungary (March 20th, 1933)

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
BOLIVIA
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
BRITISH EMPIRE
CHINA
COLOMBIA
CZECHOSLOVAKIA
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TURKEY
VENEZUELA
YUGOSLAVIA
### X. TRAFFIC IN OPIUM AND OTHER DANGEROUS DRUGS.

#### I. INTERNATIONAL OPIUM CONVENTION. THE HAGUE, JANUARY 23RD, 1912. 1

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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2 This Schedule which appeared in the annexes to the supplementary report on the work of the Council and the Secretariat is reproduced here for purposes of information.

3 See subject to adherence or denunciation as regards the Belgian Congo.

4 In accordance with the following reservation: The articles of the present Convention, if ratified by His Britannic Majesty’s Government, shall apply to the Government of British India, Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, Hong-Kong, and Wei-hai-Wei in every respect in the same way as they shall apply to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland; but His Britannic Majesty’s Government reserve the right of signing or denouncing separately the said Convention in the name of any Dominion, Colony, Dependency, or Protectorate of His Majesty other than those which have been specified.

5 In virtue of the above-mentioned reservation, Great Britain signed the Convention for the following Dominions, Colonies, Dependencies, and Protectorates:

6 December 17th, 1912, for Canada, Newfoundland, New Zealand, Brunei, Cyprus, the East Africa Protectorate, Falkland Islands, Malay Protectorates, Gambia, Gibraltar, Gold Coast, Jamaica, Johore, Kedah, Kelantan, Perli, Trengganu, Malacca, Northern Nigeria, Northern Borneo, Niasaland, St. Helena, Sarawak, Seychelles, Somaliland, Southern Nigeria, Trinidad, Uganda; on February 27th, 1913, for the Colony of Fiji; on April 22nd, 1913, for the Colony of Sierra Leone, the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Protectorate and the Solomon Islands Protectorate; on June 23rd, 1913, for the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia; on November 17th, 1913, for the Bahamas Islands and for the three Colonies of the Windward Islands, that is to say, Grenada, St. Lucia and St. Vincent; on January 30th, 1914, for the Leeward Islands; on February 11th, 1914, for British Guiana as well as for British Honduras; on March 11th, 1914, for the Government of the Union of South Africa; on March 28th, 1914, for Zanzibar, Southern and Northern Rhodesia, Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland; on April 30th, 1914, for the Colony of Barbados; on April 8th, 1914, for Mauritius and its dependencies; on July 11th, 1914, for the Bermuda Islands; on August 21st, 1924, for Palestine and together with France for the New Hebrides; on October 20th, 1924, for Iraq.

7 Subject to the approval of the Colombian Parliament.

8 The signature of the Protocol of Signature of the Powers not represented at the Conference as well as its ratification were given by Denmark for Iceland and the Danish Antilles; the signature of the Protocol respecting the putting into force of the Convention was given separately by Denmark and Iceland.

9 With the reservation that a separate and special ratification or denunciation may subsequently be obtained for the French Protectorates. France and Great Britain signed the Convention for the New Hebrides, August 21st, 1924.
I. INTERNATIONAL OPIUM CONVENTION. THE HAGUE, JANUARY 23RD, 1912 (continued).

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2. FIRST OPIUM CONFERENCE OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE SUPPRESSION OF THE MANUFACTURE OF, INTERNAL TRADE IN, AND USE OF, PREPARED OPIUM, PROTOCOL AND FINAL ACT. 5

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

In Force.

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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.
5 Other State to whose Signature the Agreement is open.

China