

PUBLICATIONS (Cont'd)

⁷Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

⁸See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁹Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, and Montserrat.

Proces-verbal relating to the convention concerning the exchange of official publications and government documents between States. Signed at Paris October 18, 1960. 19 UST 4485; TIAS 6439.

Statutes of the International Center for the Registration of Serial Publications. Done at Paris November 14, 1974, and amended October 11 and 12, 1976; entered into force January 21, 1976; provisionally for the United States March 31, 1978.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Argentina
Belgium
Brazil
Bulgaria
Canada
Chile
Cyprus
Denmark
Ecuador
Finland
Georgia
Germany, Fed. Rep.¹
Hungary
Jamaica
Korea
Libya
Lithuania
Nigeria
Norway
Philippines
Poland
Romania
Senegal
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Turkey
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay

NOTE:

¹See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

International convention on the elimination of all forms of racial discrimination. Done at New York December 21, 1965; entered into force January 4, 1969; for the United States November 20, 1994.

TIAS ; 660 UNTS 195.

Parties:

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria¹
Antigua & Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia¹
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Bulgaria¹
Burkina Faso
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Rep.
Chad
Chile¹
China^{2,3,4}
Colombia
Congo
Congo, Dem. Rep.
Costa Rica¹
Cote d'Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba^{1,3}
Cyprus¹
Czech Rep.
Denmark¹
Dominican Rep.
Ecuador¹
Egypt
El Salvador
Eritrea
Estonia
Ethiopia
Fiji
Finland
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
France¹
Gabon
Gambia
Georgia
Germany
Ghana
Greece
Guatemala
Guinea
Guyana¹
Haiti
Holy See
Hungary¹
Iceland¹
India³
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq³
Ireland
Israel³
Italy¹
Jamaica³

Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea
Kuwait²
Kyrgyz Rep.
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon³
Lesotho
Liberia
Libya³
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg¹
Madagascar³
Malawi
Maldives
Mali
Malta²
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
Monaco
Mongolia
Morocco³
Mozambique³
Namibia
Nepal^{2,3}
Netherlands^{1,5}
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway¹
Pakistan
Panama
Papua New Guinea³
Peru¹
Philippines
Poland^{2,3}
Portugal
Qatar
Romania
Russian Fed.¹
Rwanda³
St. Lucia
St. Vincent & the Grenadines
Saudi Arabia
Senegal¹
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Slovak Rep.¹
Slovenia
Solomon Is.
Somalia
South Africa
Spain^{1,3}
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland
Sweden¹
Switzerland
Syria³
Tajikistan
Tanzania
Togo
Tonga
Trinidad & Tobago
Tunisia
Turkmenistan
Uganda

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Cont'd)

Ukraine¹
 United Arab Emirates²
 United Kingdom^{2 6}
 United States^{1 2 3}
 Uruguay¹
 Uzbekistan
 Venezuela
 Vietnam^{2 3}
 Yemen^{3 7}
 Yugoslavia⁸
 Zambia
 Zimbabwe

NOTES:

¹ With declaration(s).

² With statement(s).

³ With reservation(s).

⁴ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

⁵ Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

⁶ Applicable to Dominica, St. Kitts & Nevis, Brunei and territories under territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

⁷ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

⁸ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

RADIO

(See TELECOMMUNICATION)

RECIPROCAL ASSISTANCE, INTER- AMERICAN

(See under DEFENSE)

RED CROSS CONVENTIONS

(See also INTERNATIONAL
TRACING SERVICE; RULES OF
WARFARE)

Convention for the amelioration of the condition of the wounded and sick in armed forces in the field.¹ Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949; entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.
 6 UST 3114; TIAS 3362; 75 UNTS 31.

Convention for the amelioration of the condition of the wounded, sick, and shipwrecked members of armed forces at sea. Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949; entered into force Octo-

ber 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.
 6 UST 3217; TIAS 3363; 75 UNTS 85.

Convention relative to the treatment of prisoners of war.¹ Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949; entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.
 6 UST 3316; TIAS 3364; 75 UNTS 135.

Convention relative to the protection of civilian persons in time of war. Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949; entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.
 6 UST 3516; TIAS 3365; 75 UNTS 287.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan
 Albania²
 Algeria
 Andorra
 Angola
 Antigua & Barbuda
 Argentina
 Australia³
 Austria
 Bahamas, The
 Bahrain
 Bangladesh
 Barbados³
 Belarus²
 Belgium
 Belize
 Benin
 Bolivia
 Botswana
 Brazil
 Brunei
 Bulgaria
 Burkina Faso
 Burma
 Burundi
 Cambodia
 Cameroon
 Canada
 Cape Verde
 Central African Rep.
 Chad
 Chile
 China^{2 4}
 Colombia
 Comoros
 Congo
 Congo, Dem. Rep.
 Costa Rica
 Cote d'Ivoire
 Croatia
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czechoslovakia^{2 5}
 Denmark
 Djibouti
 Dominica
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 Egypt
 El Salvador
 Equatorial Guinea
 Eritrea
 Ethiopia⁶
 Fiji
 Finland
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
 France
 Gabon

Gambia, The
 Georgia
 German Dem. Rep.^{2 7}
 Germany, Fed. Rep.^{3 7}
 Ghana
 Greece
 Grenada
 Guatemala
 Guinea
 Guinea-Bissau²
 Guyana
 Haiti
 Holy See
 Honduras
 Hungary
 Iceland
 India
 Indonesia
 Iran
 Iraq
 Ireland
 Israel^{8 9 10}
 Italy
 Jamaica
 Japan
 Jordan
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya
 Kiribati
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.²
 Korea, Rep.^{10 11}
 Kuwait
 Kyrgyz Rep.
 Laos
 Latvia
 Lebanon
 Lesotho
 Liberia
 Libya
 Liechtenstein
 Lithuania
 Luxembourg
 Madagascar
 Malawi
 Malaysia
 Maldives
 Mali
 Malta
 Mauritania
 Mauritius
 Mexico
 Micronesia
 Monaco
 Mongolia
 Morocco
 Mozambique
 Namibia, U.N. Council for
 Nepal
 Netherlands¹²
 New Zealand³
 Nicaragua
 Niger
 Nigeria
 Norway
 Oman
 Pakistan¹⁰
 Palau
 Panama
 Papua New Guinea
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Philippines
 Poland²
 Portugal²
 Qatar

RED CROSS CONVENTIONS (Cont'd)

Romania²
 Russian Fed.
 Rwanda
 St. Kitts & Nevis
 St. Lucia
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines
 San Marino
 Sao Tome & Principe
 Saudi Arabia
 Senegal
 Seychelles
 Sierra Leone
 Singapore
 Slovak Rep.²
 Slovenia
 Solomon Is.
 Somalia
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sudan
 Suriname¹⁰
 Swaziland
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Syrian Arab Rep.
 Tajikistan
 Tanzania
 Thailand
 Togo
 Tonga
 Trinidad & Tobago
 Tunisia
 Turkey
 Turkmenistan
 Tuvalu
 Uganda
 Ukraine²
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{2 13}
 United Arab Emirates
 United Kingdom^{3 14}
 United States^{3 8 10 15}
 Uruguay^{10 11}
 Uzbekistan
 Vanuatu
 Venezuela
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.^{2 15}
 Western Samoa
 Yemen (Aden)¹⁶
 Yemen (Sanaa)¹⁶
 Yugoslavia^{2 17}
 Zambia
 Zimbabwe

NOTES:

¹ The 1949 conventions on the amelioration of the condition of the armed forces in the field and on prisoners of war replaced the conventions of July 27, 1929 (47 Stat. 2021 and 2074; TS 846 and 847) as between contracting parties. Estonia is not a party to the later conventions.

² With reservations to all four conventions.

³ With statement.

⁴ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

⁶ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁷ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁸ With reservation to "field" convention.

⁹ With reservation to "sea" convention.

¹⁰ With reservation to "civilians" convention.

¹¹ With reservation to "prisoners-of-war" convention.

¹² Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

¹³ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

¹⁴ Extended to all territories of the international relations of which the United Kingdom is responsible.

¹⁵ With reference to the notification by the Federal Political Department of the Swiss Confederation dated November 8, 1976, that the Socialist Republic of Vietnam continues the participation of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Vietnam, together with the reservations enunciated by both, the United States made clear its position on these previous accessions and specifically rejected all of these reservations in its Notes to the Federal Political Department of the Swiss Confederation dated September 17, 1957 and December 31, 1974.

¹⁶ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

¹⁷ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

REFUGEES

Protocol relating to the status of refugees.¹
 Done at New York January 31, 1967; entered into force October 4, 1967; for the United States November 1, 1968.

19 UST 6223; TIAS 6577; 606 UNTS 267.

States which are parties:

Albania
 Algeria
 Angola²
 Antigua & Barbuda
 Argentina
 Armenia
 Australia
 Austria³
 Azerbaijan
 Bahamas, The²
 Belarus
 Belgium³
 Belize
 Benin
 Bolivia
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Botswana^{2 3}
 Brazil³
 Bulgaria
 Burkina Faso
 Burundi²
 Cambodia
 Cameroon
 Canada³
 Cape Verde²
 Central African Rep.
 Chad
 Chile²

China^{2 4}
 Colombia
 Congo²
 Congo, Dem. Rep.
 Costa Rica
 Cote d'Ivoire
 Croatia
 Cyprus³
 Czech Rep.
 Denmark³
 Djibouti
 Dominica
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador³
 Egypt³
 El Salvador²
 Equatorial Guinea
 Estonia
 Ethiopia^{2 5}
 Fiji³
 Finland³
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
 France^{3 6}
 Gabon
 Gambia, The³
 Germany, Fed. Rep.⁷
 Ghana²
 Georgia
 Greece³
 Guatemala³
 Guinea
 Guinea-Bissau
 Haiti
 Holy See³
 Honduras²
 Hungary
 Iceland
 Iran³
 Ireland³
 Israel³
 Italy³
 Jamaica^{2 3}
 Japan
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya
 Kiribati⁸
 Korea^{2 3}
 Kyrgyz Rep.
 Latvia⁹
 Lesotho
 Liberia
 Liechtenstein³
 Lithuania
 Luxembourg³
 Malawi²
 Mali
 Malta³
 Mauritania²
 Mexico
 Morocco
 Mozambique
 Netherlands^{3 10}
 New Zealand³
 Nicaragua
 Niger
 Nigeria
 Norway³
 Panama
 Papua New Guinea
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal^{3 6}
 Romania

REFUGEES (Cont'd)

Russian Fed.
 Rwanda²
 St. Lucia⁸
 Samoa
 Sao Tome & Principe
 Senegal
 Seychelles
 Sierra Leone
 Slovak Rep.
 Slovenia
 Solomon Is.
 Somalia^{2,3}
 South Africa
 Spain³
 Sudan³
 Suriname
 Swaziland²
 Sweden³
 Switzerland³
 Tajikistan
 Tanzania²
 Togo
 Trinidad & Tobago
 Tunisia
 Turkey³
 Turkmenistan⁹
 Tuvalu³
 Uganda³
 United Kingdom^{3,11}
 United States²
 Uruguay
 Venezuela²
 Yemen (Sanaa)¹²
 Yugoslavia¹³
 Zambia³
 Zimbabwe

NOTES:

¹ Protocol incorporates articles 2 through 34 of the convention relating to the status of refugees of July 28, 1951 (189 UNTS 150). States parties to the convention not parties to the protocol are: Madagascar and Monaco. The United Kingdom also extended application of the convention to various territories for the international relations of which it was responsible.

² With reservation(s).

³ With reservations and declarations to the convention.

⁴ Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁶ Without geographical limitations.

⁷ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁸ See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

⁹ With declaration(s).

¹⁰ Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

¹¹ Extended to Jersey and Montserrat.

¹² See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

¹³ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

RENUNCIATION OF WAR

Treaty providing for the renunciation of war as an instrument of national policy. Signed at Paris August 27, 1928; entered into force July 24, 1929.
 46 Stat. 2343; TS 796; 2 Bevans 732; 94 LNTS 57.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan
 Albania
 Antigua & Barbuda
 Australia
 Austria
 Barbados
 Belgium
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Brazil
 Bulgaria
 Canada
 Chile
 China¹
 Colombia
 Costa Rica
 Cuba
 Czech Rep.
 Czechoslovakia²
 Denmark
 Dominica
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 Egypt
 Estonia
 Ethiopia³
 Fiji
 Finland
 France
 Germany
 Greece
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Hungary
 Iceland
 India
 Iran
 Iraq
 Ireland
 Italy
 Japan
 Latvia
 Liberia
 Lithuania
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Norway
 Panama
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 Saudi Arabia
 Slovenia
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Thailand
 Turkey

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁴
 United Kingdom
 United States
 Venezuela
 Yugoslavia⁵

NOTES:

¹ Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

² See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

³ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁴ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

REPARATIONS

**(See also FINANCE: WORLD
 WAR II RELATED
 AGREEMENTS)**

Protocol on the talks between the Heads of the three governments at the Crimea Conference on the question of the German reparation in kind. Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945; entered into force February 11, 1945.

Foreign Relations of the United States: "The Conferences at Malta and Yalta, 1945," pp. 968-975. 3 Bevans 1020.

States which are parties:

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.¹
 United Kingdom
 United States

NOTE:

¹ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Agreement on reparation from Germany, on the establishment of an inter-Allied reparation agency and on the restitution of monetary gold. Concluded at Paris January 14, 1946; entered into force January 24, 1946.

61 Stat. 3157; TIAS 1655; 4 Bevans 5; 555 UNTS 69.

States which are parties:

Albania
 Australia
 Belgium
 Canada
 Czechoslovakia¹
 Denmark
 Egypt
 France
 Greece
 India
 Luxembourg
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Norway
 Pakistan²
 Slovak Rep.
 South Africa
 United Kingdom
 United States
 Yugoslavia³

REPARATIONS (Cont'd)

NOTES:

¹ See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

² See protocol of March 15, 1948 (62 Stat. 2613; TIAS 1797; 4 Bevans 701; 555 UNTS 104).

³ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement on a plan for allocation of a reparation share to nonrepatriable victims of German action, with annex. Signed at Paris June 14, 1946; entered into force June 14, 1946.

61 Stat. 2649; TIAS 1594; 4 Bevans 75.

States which are parties:

Czechoslovakia¹
France
Slovak Rep.
United Kingdom
United States
Yugoslavia²

NOTES:

¹ See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

² See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Protocol relating to Austrian participation in the restitution of monetary gold looted by Germany, as provided in the reparation agreement of January 14, 1946. Signed at London November 4, 1947; entered into force November 4, 1947.

61 Stat. 3571; TIAS 1683; 4 Bevans 689; 93 UNTS 61.

States which are parties:

Austria
France
United Kingdom
United States

Protocol relating to participation by Italy in the restitution of monetary gold looted by Germany, as provided in the reparation agreement of January 14, 1946. Signed at London December 16, 1947; effective September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 3729; TIAS 1707; 4 Bevans 692; 82 UNTS 237.

States which are parties:

France
Italy
United Kingdom
United States

Protocol relating to participation by Poland in the restitution of monetary gold looted by Germany, as provided in the reparation agreement signed at Paris January 14, 1946. Signed at London July 6, 1949; entered into force July 6, 1949.

63 Stat. 2677; TIAS 1970; 4 Bevans 850.

States which are parties:

France
Poland
United Kingdom
United States

**RICE COMMISSION,
INTERNATIONAL**

(See under AGRICULTURE)

**RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF
STATES**

(See STATES, RIGHTS AND
DUTIES)

RIO TREATY

(See under DEFENSE)

ROAD TRAFFIC

(See under AUTOMOTIVE
TRAFFIC)

RUBBER

International natural rubber agreement, 1994. Done at Geneva February 17, 1995; entered into force provisionally, February 6, 1997; definitively, February 14, 1997.

TIAS

Parties:

Austria
Belgium*
China
Cote d'Ivoire
Denmark*
European Community*
Finland*
France
Germany¹*
Greece
Indonesia
Ireland
Italy
Japan
Luxembourg*
Netherlands²
Nigeria*
Spain
Sweden
United Kingdom³
United States

NOTES:

¹ With declaration.

² For the Kingdom in Europe.

³ In respect of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

* Provisional application.

RULES OF WARFARE

(See also RED CROSS
CONVENTIONS; WAR
CRIMINALS)

Convention regarding the rights of neutrals at sea. Signed at Washington July 22, 1854; entered into force October 31, 1854.

10 Stat. 1105; TS 300; 11 Bevans 1214.

States which are parties:

Nicaragua¹
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.²
United States

NOTES:

¹ Declaration of accession by Nicaragua signed at Granada June 9, 1855 (7 Miller 139).

² See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention with respect to the laws and customs of war on land, with annex of regulations.¹ Signed at The Hague July 29, 1899; entered into force September 4, 1900; for the United States April 9, 1902.

32 Stat. 1803; TS 403; 1 Bevans 247.

States which are parties:

Argentina
Australia²
Austria²
Belgium²
Bolivia²
Brazil²
Bulgaria
Canada²
Chile
China^{2,3}
Colombia
Cuba²
Denmark²
Dominican Rep.²
Ecuador
El Salvador²
France²
Germany²
Greece
Guatemala²
Haiti²
Honduras
Hungary²
India²
Iran
Ireland²
Italy
Japan²
Korea
Laos²
Luxembourg²
Mexico²
Netherlands²
New Zealand²
Nicaragua²
Norway²
Pakistan²
Panama²
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines²
Portugal²

RULES OF WARFARE (Cont'd)

Romania²
 South Africa²
 Spain
 Sri Lanka²
 Sweden²
 Switzerland²
 Thailand²
 Turkey
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{2,4}
 United Kingdom²
 United States²
 Uruguay
 Venezuela
 Yugoslavia⁵

NOTES:

¹ Replaced by convention of October 18, 1907 (36 Stat. 2277; TS 539), as between contracting parties to the later convention. Sections II and III of the regulations are supplemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3516; TIAS 3365), relative to protection of civilians in time of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions; chapter II of the regulations is complemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3316; TIAS 3364), relative to treatment of prisoners of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions.

² Party to convention of October 18, 1907.

³ Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

⁴ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the exemption of hospital ships, in time of war, from the payment of all dues and taxes imposed for the benefit of the state. Done at The Hague December 21, 1904; entered into force March 26, 1907.

35 Stat. 1854; TS 459; 1 Bevans 430.

States which are parties:

Austria
 Belgium
 China¹
 Cuba
 Denmark
 France
 Germany²
 Greece
 Guatemala
 Iran
 Italy
 Japan
 Korea
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 Norway
 Peru
 Poland, including Free City of Danzig
 Portugal
 Romania¹
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Thailand

Turkey
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.³
 United States

NOTES:

¹ Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

² With reservation.

³ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention relative to the opening of hostilities. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2259; TS 538; 1 Bevans 619.

States which are parties:

Australia
 Austria
 Belgium
 Bolivia
 Brazil
 Canada
 China¹
 Denmark
 El Salvador
 Ethiopia²
 Finland
 France
 Germany
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Hungary
 India
 Ireland
 Japan
 Laos
 Liberia
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Norway
 Pakistan
 Panama
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Thailand
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.³
 United Kingdom
 United States

NOTES:

¹ Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

² See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

³ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention respecting the laws and customs of war on land, with annex of regulations.¹ Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2277; TS 539; 1 Bevans 631.

States which are parties:

Australia
 Austria²

Belgium
 Bolivia
 Brazil
 Canada
 China³
 Cuba
 Denmark
 Dominican Rep.
 El Salvador
 Ethiopia⁴
 Finland
 France
 Germany²
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Hungary²
 India
 Ireland
 Japan²
 Laos
 Liberia
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Norway
 Pakistan
 Panama
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 South Africa
 Sri Lanka
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Thailand
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{2,5}
 United Kingdom
 United States

NOTES:

¹ Sections II and III of the regulations are supplemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3516; TIAS 3365), relative to protection of civilians in time of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions; chapter II of the regulations is complemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3316; TIAS 3364), relative to treatment of prisoners of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions.

² With reservation.

³ Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

⁴ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention respecting the rights and duties of neutral powers and persons in case of war on land. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2310; TS 540; 1 Bevans 654.

States which are parties:

Austria
 Belgium
 Bolivia
 Brazil
 China¹
 Cuba
 Denmark
 El Salvador

RULES OF WARFARE (Cont'd)

Ethiopia²
 Finland
 France
 Germany
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Hungary
 Japan
 Laos
 Liberia
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 Nicaragua
 Norway
 Panama
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Thailand
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.³
 United States

NOTES:

¹ Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

² See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

³ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention relative to the laying of automatic submarine contact mines. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2332; TS 541; 1 Bevans 669.

States which are parties:

Australia¹
 Austria
 Belgium
 Brazil
 Canada¹
 China²
 Denmark
 El Salvador
 Ethiopia³
 Finland
 France¹
 Germany¹
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Hungary
 India¹
 Ireland¹
 Japan
 Laos¹
 Liberia
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 New Zealand¹
 Nicaragua
 Norway
 Pakistan¹
 Panama

Philippines
 Romania
 South Africa¹
 Sri Lanka¹
 Switzerland
 Thailand¹
 United Kingdom¹
 United States

NOTES:

¹ With reservation.

² Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

³ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

Convention concerning bombardment by naval forces in time of war. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2351; TS 542; 1 Bevans 681.

States which are parties:

Australia¹
 Austria
 Belgium
 Bolivia
 Brazil
 Canada¹
 China^{1,2}
 Cuba
 Denmark
 El Salvador
 Ethiopia³
 Finland
 France¹
 Germany¹
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Hungary
 India¹
 Ireland¹
 Japan¹
 Laos¹
 Liberia
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 New Zealand¹
 Nicaragua
 Norway
 Pakistan¹
 Panama
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 South Africa¹
 Spain
 Sri Lanka¹
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Thailand
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁴
 United Kingdom¹
 United States

NOTES:

¹ With reservation.

² Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

³ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁴ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention relative to certain restrictions with regard to the exercise of the right of capture in naval war. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2396; TS 544; 1 Bevans 711.

States which are parties:

Australia
 Austria
 Belgium
 Brazil
 Canada
 China¹
 Denmark
 El Salvador
 Ethiopia²
 Finland
 France
 Germany
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Hungary
 India
 Ireland
 Japan
 Laos
 Liberia
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Norway
 Pakistan
 Panama
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Thailand
 United Kingdom
 United States

NOTES:

¹ Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

² See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

Convention concerning the rights and duties of neutral powers in naval war. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910; for the United States February 1, 1910.

36 Stat. 2415; TS 545; 1 Bevans 723.

States which are parties:

Austria
 Belgium
 Brazil
 China^{1,2}
 Denmark
 El Salvador
 Ethiopia³
 Finland
 France
 Germany¹
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Hungary
 Japan¹
 Laos

RULES OF WARFARE (Cont'd)

Liberia
Luxembourg
Mexico
Netherlands
Nicaragua
Norway
Panama
Philippines⁴
Portugal
Romania
Sweden
Switzerland
Thailand¹
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁵
United States⁴

NOTES:

¹With reservation.

²Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

³See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁴With reservation and understanding.

⁵See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Declaration prohibiting the discharge of projectiles and explosives from balloons. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force November 27, 1909.

36 Stat. 2439; TS 546; 1 Bevans 739.

States which are parties:

Australia
Belgium
Bolivia
Brazil
Canada
China¹
El Salvador
Ethiopia²
Finland
Haiti
India
Ireland
Liberia
Luxembourg
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Norway
Pakistan
Panama
Philippines
Portugal
South Africa
Sri Lanka
Switzerland
Thailand
United Kingdom
United States

NOTES:

¹Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

²See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

Convention on maritime neutrality. Signed at Habana February 20, 1928; entered into force

January 12, 1931; for the United States March 22, 1932.

47 Stat. 1989; TS 845; 2 Bevans 721; 135 LNTS 187.

States which are parties:

Bolivia
Colombia
Dominican Rep.
Ecuador
Haiti
Nicaragua
Panama
United States¹

NOTE:

¹With reservation.

Treaty for the limitation and reduction of naval armament. Signed at London April 22, 1930; entered into force December 31, 1930.

46 Stat. 2858; TS 830; 2 Bevans 1055; 112 LNTS 65.

All provisions of this treaty with the exception of Part IV, which relates to rules of international law in regard to the operations of submarines or other war vessels with respect to merchant vessels, expired on December 31, 1936. Under the terms of article 23, Part IV "shall remain in force without limit of time".

States which are parties to Part IV:

Afghanistan
Albania
Australia
Austria
Belgium
Brazil
Bulgaria
Canada
Costa Rica
Czechoslovakia¹
Denmark
Egypt
El Salvador
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany
Greece
Guatemala
Haiti
Holy See
Hungary
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Italy
Japan
Latvia
Lithuania
Mexico
Nepal
Netherlands, including Curacao
New Zealand
Norway
Panama
Peru
Poland
Saudi Arabia
Slovak Rep.
South Africa
Sweden

Switzerland
Thailand
Turkey
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.²
United Kingdom
United States
Yugoslavia³

NOTES:

¹See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

²See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

³See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

SABOTAGE

(See under AVIATION)

SAFETY AT SEA

(See under MARITIME MATTERS)

SALE OF GOODS

(See under TRADE AND COMMERCE)

SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

Agreement on cooperation in inter-continental testing in connection with experimental communications satellites. Exchanges of notes at Stockholm July 5 and 25, 1963, at Oslo July 8 and September 11, 1963, and at Copenhagen July 2 and September 14, 1963; entered into force September 14, 1963.

14 UST 1278; TIAS 5431; 488 UNTS 121.

States which are parties:

Denmark
Norway
Sweden
United States

Agreement relating to the International Telecommunications Satellite Organization (INTELSAT), with annexes. Done at Washington August 20, 1971; entered into force February 12, 1973.

23 UST 3813; TIAS 7532.

Operating agreement relating to the International Telecommunications Satellite Organization (INTELSAT), with annex. Done at Washington August 20, 1971; entered into force February 12, 1973.

23 UST 4091; TIAS 7532.

Parties:¹

Afghanistan
Algeria

SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS (Cont'd)

Angola
 Argentina
 Armenia
 Australia
 Austria
 Azerbaijan
 Bahamas, The
 Bahrain
 Bangladesh
 Barbados
 Belgium
 Benin
 Bhutan
 Bolivia
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Botswana
 Brazil
 Brunei
 Bulgaria
 Burkina Faso
 Cameroon
 Canada
 Cape Verde
 Central African Rep.
 Chad
 Chile
 China²
 Colombia
 Comoros
 Congo
 Congo, Dem. Rep.
 Costa Rica
 Cote d'Ivoire
 Croatia
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czechoslovakia³
 Denmark
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 Egypt
 El Salvador
 Equatorial Guinea
 Ethiopia⁴
 Fiji
 Finland
 France
 Gabon
 Gambia
 Georgia
 Germany, Fed. Rep.⁵
 Ghana
 Greece
 Guatemala
 Guinea
 Guinea-Bissau
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Hungary
 Iceland
 India
 Indonesia
 Iran
 Iraq
 Ireland
 Israel
 Italy

Jamaica
 Japan
 Jordan
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.
 Korea, Rep.
 Kuwait
 Kyrgyz Rep.
 Lebanon
 Libya
 Liechtenstein
 Luxembourg
 Madagascar
 Malawi
 Malaysia
 Mali
 Malta
 Mauritania
 Mauritius
 Mexico
 Micronesia
 Monaco
 Mongolia
 Morocco
 Mozambique
 Namibia
 Nepal
 Netherlands⁶
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Niger
 Nigeria
 Norway
 Oman
 Pakistan
 Panama
 Papua New Guinea
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Qatar
 Romania
 Russian Fed.
 Rwanda
 Saudi Arabia
 Senegal
 Singapore
 Slovak Rep.
 Somalia
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sudan
 Swaziland
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Syrian Arab Rep.
 Tajikistan
 Tanzania
 Thailand
 Togo
 Trinidad & Tobago
 Tunisia
 Turkey
 Uganda
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁷
 United Arab Emirates
 United Kingdom
 United States
 Uruguay
 Uzbekistan
 Vatican City

Venezuela
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.
 Yemen (Sanaa)⁸
 Yugoslavia⁹
 Zambia
 Zimbabwe

NOTES:

¹ Parties to the INTELSAT agreement may designate a "telecommunications entity" as the "signatory" to the Operating Agreement. The Communications Satellite Corporation (COMSAT) has been so designated by the United States. A list of the other entities so designated is on file in the Office of the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State.

² Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

³ See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

⁴ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁶ Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

⁷ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁸ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

⁹ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention relating to the distribution of programme-carrying signals transmitted by satellite. Done at Brussels May 21, 1974; entered into force August 25, 1979; for the United States March 7, 1985.

TIAS 11078.

States which are parties:

Armenia
 Australia
 Austria
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Costa Rica
 Croatia
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
 Germany, Fed. Rep.^{1,2}
 Greece
 Italy¹
 Jamaica
 Kenya
 Mexico
 Morocco
 Nicaragua
 Panama
 Peru
 Portugal
 Russian Fed.
 Rwanda
 Slovenia
 Switzerland
 Trinidad & Tobago¹
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.³
 United States
 Yugoslavia⁴

NOTES:

¹ With declaration(s).

² See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

³ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS (Cont'd)

⁴ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (INMARSAT), with annex. Done at London September 3, 1976; entered into force July 16, 1979.

31 UST 1; TIAS 9605.

Parties:

Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Belarus
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Cameroon
Canada
Chile
China¹
Colombia
Comoros
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark
Egypt
Finland
France
Gabon
German Dem. Rep.²
Germany, Fed. Rep.²
Ghana
Greece
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia³
Iran
Iraq
Israel
Italy
Japan
Kenya
Korea
Kuwait
Latvia
Lebanon
Liberia
Libya
Malaysia
Malta
Marshall Is.
Mauritius
Mexico
Monaco
Morocco
Mozambique
Netherlands⁴
New Zealand

Nigeria
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Panama
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Qatar
Romania
Russian Fed.
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Singapore
Slovak Rep.
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sweden
Switzerland
Tanzania
Thailand
Tunisia
Turkey
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁵
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom⁶
United States
Vietnam
Yugoslavia⁷

Amendments:
April 24, 1998.

NOTES:

¹ Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

² See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

³ With statement.

⁴ Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

⁵ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁶ Extended to Bermuda.

⁷ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Understanding concerning participation by Norway in an investigation of the demonstration and evaluation of an experimental satellite-aided search and rescue system. Signed at Ottawa, Paris, Washington and Oslo September 25 and 30, October 19 and November 13, 1981; entered into force November 13, 1981.

TIAS 12378.

States which are parties:

Canada
France
Norway
United States

International COSPAS-SARSAT program agreement. Done at Paris July 1, 1988; entered into force August 30, 1988.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada
France
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.¹
United States

NOTE:

¹ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Memorandum of agreement concerning the SARSAT Space Segment. Done at Washington September 11, 1995; entered into force November 10, 1995.

TIAS 12690; 2026 UNTS 187.

Parties:

Canada
France
United States

SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION

Agreement to establish a science and technology center in Ukraine. Done at Kiev October 25, 1993; entered into force July 16, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada
Ukraine
United States

Agreement establishing the Middle East Desalination Research Center. Signed at Muscat December 22, 1996; entered into force December 22, 1996.

TIAS

Parties:

Israel
Japan
Korea
Oman
United States

SEA, LAW OF (See under FISHERIES; MARITIME MATTERS)

SEABEDS

Treaty on the prohibition of the emplacement of nuclear weapons and other weapons of mass destruction on the seabed and the ocean floor and in the subsoil thereof. Done at Washington, London and Moscow February 11, 1971; entered into force May 18, 1972.

23 UST 701; TIAS 7337; 955 UNTS 115.

Parties:

Afghanistan
Algeria
Antigua & Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Bahamas, The
Belarus
Belgium
Benin
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil^{1 2}
Brunei³

SEABEDS (Cont'd)

Bulgaria
 Canada²
 Cape Verde
 Central African Rep.
 China^{2,4}
 China (Taiwan)⁵
 Congo
 Cote d'Ivoire
 Croatia
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czech Rep.
 Denmark
 Dominica³
 Dominican Rep.
 Ethiopia⁶
 Finland
 German Dem. Rep.⁷
 Germany, Fed. Rep.⁷
 Ghana
 Greece
 Grenada³
 Guatemala
 Guinea-Bissau
 Hungary
 Iceland
 India²
 Iran
 Iraq
 Ireland
 Italy²
 Jamaica
 Japan
 Jordan
 Korea
 Laos
 Latvia
 Lesotho
 Liechtenstein
 Luxembourg
 Malaysia
 Malta
 Mauritius
 Mexico²
 Mongolia
 Morocco
 Nepal
 Netherlands⁸
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Niger
 Norway
 Panama
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Qatar
 Romania
 Rwanda
 St. Kitts & Nevis³
 St. Lucia³
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines
 Sao Tome & Principe
 Saudi Arabia
 Seychelles
 Singapore
 Slovak Rep.
 Slovenia
 Solomon Is.³
 South Africa
 Spain

Swaziland
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Togo
 Tunisia
 Turkey²
 Ukraine
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁹
 United Kingdom¹⁰
 United States
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.²
 Yemen (Aden)¹¹
 Yugoslavia¹²
 Zambia

NOTES:

- ¹ With understanding(s).
² With declaration.
³ See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
⁴ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
⁵ See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.
⁶ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.
⁷ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁸ Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
⁹ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
¹⁰ Extended to Anguilla, and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.
¹¹ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
¹² See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning interim arrangements relating to polymetallic nodules of the deep sea bed. Done at Washington September 2, 1982; entered into force September 2, 1982. TIAS 10562; 1871 UNTS 275.

States which are parties:

France
 Germany, Fed. Rep.¹
 United Kingdom
 United States

NOTE:

¹ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Provisional understanding regarding deep seabed matters, with memorandum of implementation, joint record, and related exchanges of notes. Signed at Geneva August 3, 1984; entered into force September 2, 1984. TIAS 11066.

States which are parties:

Belgium¹
 France
 Germany, Fed. Rep.²
 Italy¹
 Japan
 Netherlands^{1,3}
 United Kingdom
 United States

NOTES:

- ¹ With declaration.

² See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

³ For the Kingdom in Europe only.

Memorandum of understanding on the avoidance of overlaps and conflicts relating to deep seabed areas, with annexes. Signed at New York February 22, 1991; entered into force February 22, 1991. TIAS

Memorandum of understanding on the avoidance of overlaps and conflicts relating to deep sea-bed areas, with annexes. Done at New York August 20, 1991; entered into force August 28, 1991; effective August 20, 1991. TIAS 11825.

Parties:

Canada
 Czech Rep.
 Germany
 Italy
 Poland
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.¹
 United Kingdom
 United States

NOTE:

¹ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

SHIPPING

(See under **MARITIME MATTERS; RULES OF WARFARE**)

SLAVERY

(See also **TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN**)

Convention to suppress the slave trade and slavery. Concluded at Geneva September 25, 1926; entered into force March 9, 1927; for the United States March 21, 1929. 46 Stat. 2183; TS 778; 2 Bevans 607; 60 LNTS 253.

Protocol amending the slavery convention signed at Geneva on September 25, 1926, with annex. Done at New York December 7, 1953; entered into force December 7, 1953; for the United States March 7, 1956. 7 UST 479; TIAS 3532; 182 UNTS 51.

Supplementary convention on the abolition of slavery, the slave trade and institutions and practices similar to slavery. Done at Geneva September 7, 1956; entered into force April 30, 1957; for the United States December 6, 1967. 18 UST 3201; TIAS 6418; 266 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan
 Albania
 Algeria
 Antigua & Barbuda
 Argentina¹

SLAVERY (Cont'd)

- Australia²
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize³
Benin⁴
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana³
Brazil
Brunei³
Bulgaria
Burma⁵
Cambodia¹
Cameroon
Canada
Central African Rep.
Chile
China (Taiwan)⁶
Congo
Congo, Dem. Rep.¹
Cote d'Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark
Djibouti¹
Dominica
Dominican Rep.¹
Ecuador
Egypt
Estonia⁴
Ethiopia⁷
Fiji
Finland
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
France⁸
Gambia, The³
German Dem. Rep.⁹
Germany, Fed. Rep.⁹
Ghana
Greece
Grenada³
Guatemala
Guinea
Guyana³
Haiti
Hong Kong¹⁰
Hungary
Iceland¹
India⁵
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Jordan
Kiribati³
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Rep.
Laos¹
Latvia
Lebanon⁴
Lesotho
- Liberia⁴
Libya
Luxembourg¹
Macao¹⁰
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia¹
Mali
Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Monaco
Mongolia
Morocco
Nauru³
Nepal
Netherlands¹¹
New Zealand¹²
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea⁴
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Fed.
St. Kitts & Nevis³
St. Lucia
St. Vincent & the Grenadines
San Marino¹
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Seychelles³
Sierra Leone
Singapore¹
Slovak Rep.
Slovenia¹
Solomon Is.
South Africa^{4 13}
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland³
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Rep.
Tanzania
Togo
Tonga³
Trinidad & Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Tuvalu³
Uganda
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.¹⁴
United Kingdom¹⁵
United States^{5 16}
Uruguay¹
Viet-Nam^{4 17}
Yemen (Aden)¹⁸
Yugoslavia¹⁹
Zambia
Zimbabwe³
- ²Extended to all non-selfgoverning territories and other non-metropolitan territories for the international relations of which Australia is responsible.
³See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
⁴Party only to the Convention.
⁵With reservation to the Convention.
⁶Convention and Protocol are pre 1949 agreements applicable only to Taiwan. See also note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.
⁷See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.
⁸Extended to all overseas departments and territories.
⁹See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
¹⁰CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
¹¹Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
¹²Extended to Cook Is. (including Niue) and the Tokelau Is.
¹³Extended to Namibia.
¹⁴See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
¹⁵Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Channel Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, and St. Helena.
¹⁶Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.
¹⁷See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).
¹⁸See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
¹⁹See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION

Agreement establishing the South Pacific Commission. Signed at Canberra February 6, 1947; entered into force July 29, 1948. 2 UST 1787; TIAS 2317; 97 UNTS 227.

Parties:
Australia
Cook Is.
Fiji
France
Nauru
New Zealand
Niue
Papua New Guinea
Solomon Is.
Tuvalu
United Kingdom
United States
Western Samoa

Amendments:
November 7, 1951 (3 UST 2851; TIAS 2458; 124 UNTS 320).
April 5, 1954 (5 UST 639; TIAS 2952; 201 UNTS 374).

NOTES:
¹ Party to Supplementary Convention only.

SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION (Cont'd)

October 6, 1964 (16 UST 1055; TIAS 5845; 542 UNTS 350).
October 2, 1974 (26 UST 1606; TIAS 8120).
October 20, 1976 (33 UST 585; TIAS 10051).
October 7-12, 1978 (33 UST 590; TIAS 10052).

SOUTHEAST ASIA TREATY ORGANIZATION (SEATO)

(See under DEFENSE)

SPACE

(See also ASTRONAUTS)

Treaty on principles governing the activities of states in the exploration and use of outer space, including the moon and other celestial bodies. Done at Washington, London, and Moscow January 27, 1967; entered into force October 10, 1967.

18 UST 2410; TIAS 6347; 610 UNTS 205.

Parties:

Afghanistan
Algeria
Antigua & Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Bahamas, The
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Benin
Brazil¹
Brunei²
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Canada
Chile
China^{3,4}
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark
Dominica²
Dominican Rep.
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Fiji
Finland
France
German Dem. Rep.⁵
Germany, Fed. Rep.⁵
Greece
Grenada²
Guinea-Bissau
Hungary
Iceland

India
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Kenya
Korea
Kuwait
Laos
Lebanon
Libya
Madagascar¹
Mali
Mauritius
Mexico
Mongolia
Morocco
Nepal
Netherlands⁶
New Zealand
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea
Peru
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Fed.
St. Kitts & Nevis²
St. Lucia²
St. Vincent & the Grenadines
San Marino
Saudi Arabia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovak Rep.
Solomon Is.²
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Swaziland²
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Rep.
Thailand
Togo
Tonga
Tunisia
Turkey
Uganda
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁷
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom⁸
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.
Yemen (Aden)⁹
Zambia

NOTES:

¹ With a statement.

² See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

³ The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this treaty. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

⁴ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁶ Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

⁷ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁸ Extended to Anguilla and to the territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

⁹ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

Agreement for a cooperative program concerning the development, procurement and use of a space laboratory in conjunction with the space shuttle system, with memorandum of understanding between the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the European Space Research Organization. Done at Neuilly-sur-Seine August 14, 1973; entered into force August 14, 1973.

24 UST 2049; TIAS 7722.

States which are parties:

Belgium
Denmark
France
Germany, Fed. Rep.¹
Italy
Netherlands
Spain
Switzerland
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE:

¹ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Convention on international liability for damage caused by space objects. Done at Washington, London, and Moscow March 29, 1972; entered into force September 1, 1972; for the United States October 9, 1973.

24 UST 2389; TIAS 7762; 961 UNTS 187.

Parties:

Antigua & Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria¹
Belarus
Belgium
Benin
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Bulgaria
Canada¹
Chile
China^{2,3}
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark¹
Dominica⁴
Dominican Rep.
Ecuador
European Space Agency⁵
European Telecommunications Satellite Org.⁵
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
German Dem. Rep.⁶

SPACE (Cont'd)

Germany, Fed. Rep.⁶
 Greece
 Grenada⁴
 Hungary
 India
 Indonesia
 Iran
 Iraq
 Ireland¹
 Israel
 Italy
 Japan
 Kenya
 Korea, Rep.
 Kuwait
 Laos
 Liechtenstein
 Luxembourg
 Mali
 Malta
 Mexico
 Mongolia
 Morocco
 Netherlands⁷
 New Zealand¹
 Niger
 Norway
 Pakistan
 Panama
 Papua New Guinea
 Poland
 Qatar
 Romania
 Russian Fed.
 St. Kitts & Nevis⁴
 St. Lucia⁴
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines⁴
 Saudi Arabia
 Senegal
 Seychelles
 Singapore
 Slovak Rep.
 Slovenia
 Solomon Is.⁴
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sweden¹
 Switzerland
 Syrian Arab Rep.
 Togo
 Trinidad & Tobago
 Tunisia
 Ukraine
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁸
 United Arab Emirates
 United Kingdom⁹
 United States
 Uruguay
 Venezuela
 Yugoslavia¹⁰
 Zambia

NOTES:

¹ With a declaration.

² The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

³ Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

⁴ See under country heading in bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

⁵ Declaration of acceptance in accordance with Art. XXII.

⁶ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁷ Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, Netherlands Antilles, and Aruba.

⁸ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁹ Extended to Anguilla and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

¹⁰ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on registration of objects launched into outer space. Done at New York January 14, 1975; entered into force September 15, 1976.

28 UST 695; TIAS 8480; 1023 UNTS 15.

Parties:

Antigua & Barbuda
 Argentina
 Australia
 Austria
 Belarus
 Belgium
 Brunei¹
 Bulgaria
 Canada
 Chile
 China²
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czech Rep.
 Denmark
 Dominica¹
 European Organization for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites
 European Space Agency
 France
 German Dem. Rep.³
 Germany, Fed. Rep.³
 Hungary
 India
 Indonesia
 Japan
 Kazakhstan
 Korea, Rep.
 Liechtenstein
 Mexico
 Mongolia
 Netherlands⁴
 Niger
 Norway
 Pakistan
 Peru
 Poland
 Russian Fed.
 St. Kitts & Nevis¹
 St. Lucia¹
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines
 Seychelles
 Slovak Rep.
 Solomon Is.¹
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Ukraine
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁵
 United Arab Emirates
 United Kingdom⁶
 United States

Uruguay
 Yugoslavia⁷

NOTES:

¹ See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

² Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

³ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁴ Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

⁵ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁶ Applicable to Anguilla and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

⁷ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Arrangement concerning application of the space station intergovernmental agreement pending its entry into force. Signed at Washington January 29, 1998; entered into force January 29, 1998.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada
 Denmark
 Germany
 Netherlands
 Norway
 Russian Fed.
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 United Kingdom
 United States

Agreement concerning cooperation on the civil international space station, with annex. Signed at Washington January 29, 1998; entered into force March 27, 2001.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada
 Japan
 Russian Fed.
 United States

SPITZBERGEN

Treaty relating to Spitzbergen (Svalbard), with annex. Done at Paris February 9, 1920; entered into force August 14, 1925.

43 Stat. 1892; TS 686; 2 Bevans 269; 2 LNTS 7.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan
 Albania
 Argentina
 Australia
 Austria
 Belgium
 Bulgaria
 Canada
 Chile
 China¹
 Czechoslovakia²
 Denmark
 Dominican Rep.

SPITZBERGEN (Cont'd)

Egypt
 Estonia
 Finland
 France
 German Dem. Rep.³
 Greece
 Hungary
 India
 Italy
 Japan
 Monaco
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Norway
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 Slovak Rep.
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁴
 United Kingdom
 United States
 Venezuela
 Yugoslavia⁵

NOTES:

¹ Pre 1949 treaty, applicable only to Taiwan.

² See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

³ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁴ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

STATES, RIGHTS AND DUTIES

Convention on the rights and duties of states in the event of civil strife. Done at Habana February 20, 1928; entered into force May 21, 1929; for the United States May 21, 1930. 46 Stat. 2749; TS 814; 2 Bevans 694; 134 LNTS 45.

States which are parties:

Argentina
 Bolivia
 Brazil
 Colombia
 Costa Rica
 Cuba
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 El Salvador
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Mexico
 Nicaragua
 Panama
 Paraguay
 Peru
 United States¹
 Uruguay

NOTE:

¹ With an understanding.

Convention on rights and duties of states. Done at Montevideo December 26, 1933; entered into force December 26, 1934.

49 Stat. 3097; TS 881; 3 Bevans 145; 165 LNTS 19.

States which are parties:

Brazil
 Chile
 Colombia
 Costa Rica
 Cuba
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 El Salvador
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Mexico
 Nicaragua
 Panama
 United States¹
 Venezuela

NOTE:

¹ With reservation.

SUBMARINE CABLES

(See under
TELECOMMUNICATION)

TANGIER, STATUS OF

(See MOROCCO)

TAXATION

Convention on mutual administrative assistance in tax matters. Signed at Strasbourg January 25, 1988; entered into force April 1, 1995.

TIAS

Parties:

Belgium¹
 Denmark¹
 Finland
 Iceland¹
 Netherlands¹
 Norway
 Poland¹
 Sweden
 United States¹

NOTE:

¹ With reservation(s) and declaration(s).

Agreement on state and local taxation of foreign employees of public international organizations. Done at Washington April 21, 1992; entered into force May 24, 1994.

TIAS 12135.

Parties:

Eastern Caribbean Investment Promotion Service
 European Space Agency

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

Inter-American Defense Board

Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture

International Committee of the Red Cross

International Food Policy Research Institute

International Maritime Satellite Organization

International Telecommunications Satellite Organization

Inter-Parliamentary Union

Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development

Organization of American States

Pan American Health Organization

United States

World Health Organization

TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Agreement on technological safeguards associated with the launch of the INMARSAT-3 satellite. Signed at Washington February 14, 1994; entered into force August 19, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Kazakhstan
 Russian Fed.
 United States

TELECOMMUNICATION

(See also SATELLITE
COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS)

Convention for protection of submarine cables, signed at Paris March 14, 1884.¹ Declaration respecting the interpretation of articles II and IV, signed at Paris December 1, 1886; Final Protocol of agreement fixing May 1, 1888 as the date of effect of the convention, signed at Paris July 7, 1887; entered into force May 1, 1888.

24 Stat. 989; 25 Stat. 1424; TS 380, 380 1 and 2, 380-3; 1 Bevans 89, 112, 114.

States which are parties:

Algeria
 Argentina
 Australia
 Austria
 Belgium
 Brazil
 Canada
 Costa Rica
 Czechoslovakia²
 Denmark
 Dominican Rep.
 El Salvador
 Fiji
 France
 German Dem. Rep.³
 Germany, Fed. Rep.³
 Greece
 Guatemala
 Hong Kong⁴
 Hungary
 Italy
 Japan
 Luxembourg
 Macao⁴
 Malta

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Morocco
Netherlands⁵
New Zealand
Norway
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Slovak Rep.
South Africa
Spain
Sweden
Tunisia
Turkey
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁶
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Yugoslavia⁷

NOTES:

- ¹ Applicable to all territories.
² See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.
³ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁴ CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
⁵ Extended to Curacao.
⁶ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
⁷ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Inter-American Agreements

Inter-American radiocommunications convention, with annexes.¹ Signed at Habana December 13, 1937; entered into force July 1, 1938; for the United States July 21, 1938 for Parts One, Three, and Four; April 17, 1939 for Part Two.
53 Stat. 1576; TS 938; 3 Bevans 462.
States which are parties:
Bahamas, The
Brazil²
Canada
Cuba
Dominican Rep.
Haiti
Mexico
Panama
Paraguay³
United States

NOTES:

- ¹ Part 2 of the convention (Inter-American Radio Office) terminated for all parties December 20, 1958.
² With reservation.
³ In force provisionally.

Regional radio convention for Central America, Panama, and the Canal Zone. Signed at Guatemala December 8, 1938; entered into force October 8, 1939.
54 Stat. 1675; TS 949; 3 Bevans 529; 202 LNTS 49.
States which are parties:
Guatemala

Nicaragua
United States

Inter-American radio agreement, with annex, appendices, declaration, resolutions, and recommendations.¹ Done at Washington July 9, 1949; entered into force April 13, 1952.
3 UST 3064; TIAS 2489; 168 UNTS 143.
States which are parties:
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Rep.
Haiti
Honduras
Nicaragua
Paraguay
United States

NOTE:

¹ The 1949 agreement replaces the agreement of January 26, 1940 (55 Stat. 1482; EAS 231; 3 Bevans 611) which in turn replaced the arrangement of December 13, 1937 (54 Stat. 2514; EAS 200; 3 Bevans 480). The 1940 agreement remains in force as between the contracting parties (including the United States) and Brazil, Canada (with reservation), Chile and Venezuela. The 1937 arrangement remains in force as between the contracting parties and Peru and Panama.

Multilateral declaration to denounce Part Two (Inter-American Radio Office) of the inter-American radiocommunications convention of December 13, 1937.¹ Signed at Washington December 20, 1957; entered into force December 20, 1957.
9 UST 1037; TIAS 4079.
States which are parties:
Brazil
Canada
Cuba
Dominican Rep.
Haiti
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
United States

NOTE:

¹ A contract on the exchange of notifications of radio broadcasting frequencies between the Pan American Union and the Governments of Canada, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Haiti, Jamaica, Mexico, and the United States was signed at Washington on December 20, 1957, effective January 1, 1958. (For text see 9 UST 1050; TIAS 4079.)

North American regional broadcasting agreement, with final protocol. Signed at Washington November 15, 1950; entered into force April 19, 1960.
11 UST 413; TIAS 4460.
States which are parties:
Bahamas, The
Dominican Rep.
United States

Inter-American convention on amateur radio service. Done at Lima August 14, 1987; entered into force September 13, 1987; for the United States March 20, 1991.
TIAS

Parties:
Argentina
Bolivia
Brazil
Canada
Chile
Colombia
Guatemala
Haiti
Mexico
Paraguay
Peru
Suriname
United States
Venezuela

British Commonwealth Agreements

Agreement revising the telecommunications agreement signed at Bermuda December 4, 1945.¹ Annexed to the Final Act of the United States-Commonwealth telecommunications meeting signed at London August 12, 1949; entered into force February 24, 1950.
3 UST 2686; TIAS 2435; 87 UNTS 131.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda²
Australia
Bahamas, The²
Barbados²
Belize²
Botswana²
Canada
Cyprus²
Dominica²
Fiji
Gambia, The²
Ghana²
Grenada²
Guyana²
India
Jamaica²
Kiribati²
Lesotho²
Malaysia²
Malta²
Mauritius²
Nauru²
New Zealand
Nigeria²
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea²
St. Kitts & Nevis²
St. Lucia²
St. Vincent & the Grenadines²
Seychelles²
Sierra Leone²
Singapore²
South Africa
Sri Lanka
Swaziland²
Tanzania²
Tonga²
Trinidad & Tobago²
Tuvalu²
United Kingdom
United States
Western Samoa²
Zambia²
Zimbabwe²

Amendment:

October 1, 1952 (3 UST 5140; TIAS 2705; 151 UNTS 378).

TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

NOTES:

¹ Applicable to all territories.

² See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

International Telecommunication Union

For parties to following agreements, see chart below.

Radio regulations, with appendices and final protocol. Done at Geneva December 6, 1979; entered into force January 1, 1982; definitively for the United States October 27, 1983.¹
TIAS

Partial revisions of Radio Regulations (Geneva, 1979):

Relating to mobile services. Done at Geneva March 18, 1983; entered into force January 15, 1985; for the United States April 6, 1993.
TIAS

On the use of the geostationary-satellite orbit and on the planning of space services utilizing

it. Done at Geneva September 15, 1985; entered into force October 30, 1986; for the United States April 6, 1993.
TIAS

Relating to mobile services. Done at Geneva October 17, 1987; entered into force October 3, 1989; for the United States April 6, 1993.
TIAS

On the use of the geostationary-satellite orbit and on the planning of space services utilizing it. Done at Geneva October 6, 1988; entered into force March 16, 1990; for the United States April 6, 1993.
TIAS

| States which are parties: | 1979 Radio Regulations Geneva ¹ | 1983 Revision Mobile Services | 1985 Revision Geostationary Orbit | 1987 Revision Mobile Services | 1988 Revision Geostationary Orbit |
|---------------------------|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Afghanistan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Albania | X | | | | |
| Algeria | X | X | X | X | X |
| Andorra | X | X | X | X | X |
| Angola | X | X | X | | |
| Antigua & Barbuda | X | X | X | | |
| Argentina | X | X | X | X | X |
| Armenia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Australia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Austria | X | X | X | X | X |
| Azerbaijan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Bahamas | X | X | X | X | X |
| Bahrain | X | X | X | X | X |
| Bangladesh | X | X | X | X | X |
| Barbados | X | X | X | X | X |
| Belarus | X | X | X | X | X |
| Belgium | X | X | X | X | X |
| Belize | X | X | X | X | X |
| Benin | X | X | X | X | X |
| Bhutan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Bolivia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Bosnia-Herzegovina | X | X | X | X | X |
| Botswana | X | X | | | |
| Brazil | X | X | X | X | X |
| Brunei | X | X | X | X | X |
| Bulgaria | X | X | X | X | X |
| Burkina Faso | X | X | X | X | X |
| Burma | X | X | | | |
| Burundi | X | X | X | | |
| Cambodia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Cameroon | X | X | X | X | X |
| Canada | X | X | X | X | X |
| Cape Verde | X | X | X | | |
| Central African Rep. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Chad | X | X | X | X | X |
| Chile | X | X | | | |
| China | X | X | X | X | X |
| Colombia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Comoros | X | X | X | X | X |
| Congo | X | X | X | X | X |
| Congo, Dem. Rep. | X | X | X | | |
| Costa Rica | | | | | |
| Cote d'Ivoire | X | X | X | X | X |
| Croatia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Cuba | X | X | X | X | X |
| Cyprus | X | X | X | X | X |
| Czech Rep. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Denmark | X | X | X | X | X |
| Djibouti | X | X | X | X | X |
| Dominica | X | X | X | X | X |
| Ecuador | X | X | X | X | X |
| Egypt | X | X | X | X | X |
| El Salvador | X | X | | | |

TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

| States which are parties: | 1979 Radio Regulations Geneva ¹ | 1983 Revision Mobile Services | 1985 Revision Geostationary Orbit | 1987 Revision Mobile Services | 1988 Revision Geostationary Orbit |
|---------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|
| Equatorial Guinea | X | X | | | |
| Eritrea | X | X | X | X | X |
| Estonia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Ethiopia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Fiji | X | X | | | |
| Finland | X | X | X | X | X |
| Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia | X | X | X | X | X |
| France | X | X | X | X | X |
| Gabon | X | X | X | X | X |
| Gambia, The | X | X | X | | |
| Georgia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Germany | X | X | X | X | X |
| Ghana | X | X | X | X | X |
| Greece | X | X | | | |
| Grenada | | | | | |
| Guatemala | X | X | X | | |
| Guinea | X | X | X | X | X |
| Guinea-Bissau | | | | | |
| Guyana | X | X | X | X | X |
| Haiti | X | X | X | X | X |
| Honduras | X | X | | | |
| Hungary | X | X | X | X | X |
| Iceland | X | X | X | X | X |
| India | X | X | X | X | X |
| Indonesia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Iran | X | X | X | X | X |
| Iraq | X | X | | | |
| Ireland | X | X | X | X | X |
| Israel | X | X | X | X | X |
| Italy | X | X | X | X | X |
| Jamaica | X | X | | | |
| Japan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Jordan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Kazakhstan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Kenya | X | X | X | X | X |
| Kiribati | X | X | X | | |
| Korea, Dem. People's Rep. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Korea, Rep. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Kuwait | X | X | X | X | X |
| Kyrgyz Rep. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Laos | X | X | X | X | X |
| Latvia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Lebanon | X | X | X | | |
| Lesotho | X | X | | | |
| Liberia | X | X | X | | |
| Libya | X | X | X | | |
| Liechtenstein | X | X | X | X | X |
| Lithuania | X | X | X | X | X |
| Luxembourg | X | X | X | X | X |
| Madagascar | X | X | X | X | X |
| Malawi | X | X | | | |
| Malaysia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Maldives | X | X | X | X | X |
| Mali | X | X | X | X | X |
| Malta | X | X | X | X | X |
| Marshall Is. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Mauritania | X | X | X | | |
| Mauritius | X | X | X | X | X |
| Mexico | X | X | X | X | X |
| Micronesia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Moldova | X | X | X | X | X |
| Monaco | X | X | X | X | X |
| Mongolia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Morocco | X | X | X | X | X |

TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

| States which are parties: | 1979 Radio Regulations Geneva ¹ | 1983 Revision Mobile Services | 1985 Revision Geostationary Orbit | 1987 Revision Mobile Services | 1988 Revision Geostationary Orbit |
|------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|
| Mozambique | X | X | X | X | X |
| Namibia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Nauru | | | | | |
| Nepal | X | X | X | X | X |
| Netherlands | X | X | X | X | X |
| New Zealand | X | X | X | X | X |
| Nicaragua | X | X | X | | |
| Niger | X | | | | |
| Nigeria | X | X | | | |
| Norway | X | X | X | X | X |
| Oman | X | X | X | X | X |
| Pakistan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Panama | X | X | | | |
| Papua New Guinea | X | X | X | X | X |
| Paraguay | X | X | X | X | X |
| Peru | X | X | X | X | X |
| Philippines | X | X | X | X | X |
| Poland | X | X | X | X | X |
| Portugal | X | X | X | X | X |
| Qatar | X | X | | | |
| Romania | X | X | X | X | X |
| Russian Fed. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Rwanda | X | X | | | |
| San Marino | X | X | X | X | X |
| Sao Tome & Principe | X | X | X | X | X |
| Saudi Arabia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Senegal | X | X | X | X | X |
| Sierra Leone | X | X | | | |
| Singapore | X | X | X | X | X |
| Slovak Rep. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Solomon Is. | X | X | X | | |
| South Africa | X | X | X | X | X |
| Spain | X | X | X | X | X |
| St. Lucia | X | X | X | X | X |
| St. Vincent & the Grenadines | X | X | X | X | X |
| Suriname | X | X | X | X | X |
| Swaziland | X | X | X | X | X |
| Sweden | X | X | X | X | X |
| Switzerland | X | X | X | X | X |
| Syria | X | X | X | X | X |
| Tajikistan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Tanzania | X | X | X | | |
| Thailand | X | X | X | X | X |
| Togo | X | X | X | X | X |
| Tonga | X | X | X | X | X |
| Trinidad & Tobago | X | X | X | X | X |
| Tunisia | X | X | X | X | X |
| Turkey | X | X | | | |
| Turkmenistan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Tuvalu | X | X | X | X | X |
| Uganda | X | X | X | X | X |
| Ukraine | X | X | X | X | X |
| United Arab Emirates | X | X | X | X | X |
| United Kingdom | X | X | X | X | X |
| United States | X | X | X | X | X |
| Uruguay | X | X | X | X | X |
| Uzbekistan | X | X | X | X | X |
| Vanuatu | X | X | X | | |
| Vatican City | X | X | X | X | X |
| Venezuela | X | X | X | X | X |
| Vietnam, Socialist Rep. | X | X | X | X | X |
| Western Samoa | X | X | X | X | X |
| Yemen (Sanaa) ² | X | X | X | | |
| Zambia | X | X | | | |

TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

| States which are parties: | 1979 Radio Regulations Geneva ¹ | 1983 Revision Mobile Services | 1985 Revision Geostationary Orbit | 1987 Revision Mobile Services | 1988 Revision Geostationary Orbit |
|---------------------------|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Zimbabwe | X | X | X | X | X |

NOTES to chart:

¹The 1979 Radio Regulations abrogate and replace the Radio Regulations adopted at Geneva December 21, 1959 (12 UST 2377; TIAS 4893) and partial revisions thereto: November 8, 1963 (15 UST 887; TIAS 5603); April 29, 1966 (18 UST 2091; TIAS 6332); November 3, 1967 (19 UST 6717; TIAS 6590); July 17, 1971 (23 UST 1527; TIAS 7435); June 8, 1974 (28 UST 3909); and March 5, 1978 (32 UST 3821; TIAS 9920), as between parties to the later Regulations. The 1959 Radio Regulations were considered as annexed to the international telecommunication conventions of 1965 (Montreux) and 1973 (Malaga-Torremolinos) and as such binding upon parties to those conventions (see Notes to the international telecommunication convention 1982 (Nairobi) below.) The Taiwan authorities also adhered to the 1959 Radio Regulations and the 1963, 1966 and 1967 revisions thereto (see Note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section).

²See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

International telecommunication convention, with annexes and protocols. Done at Nairobi November 6, 1982;¹ entered into force January 1, 1984; definitively for the United States January 10, 1986.*

TIAS

States which are parties:

Afghanistan²
Albania²
Angola
Azerbaijan
Barbados
Brazil
Burma
Burundi
Cape Verde
Chile²
Comoros
Congo, Dem. Rep.
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Fiji
Gabon
Gambia, The
Ghana
Greece²
Guatemala
Honduras
Iraq
Jamaica
Kiribati
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia

Libya
Lithuania
Malawi
Mauritania
Niger
Nigeria
Panama
Qatar²
Rwanda
Sierra Leone
Solomon Is.²
Somalia
Swaziland²
Tanzania
Turkey
Uruguay²
Vanuatu
Yemen (Sanaa)³

NOTES:

* The 1982 convention has been abrogated and replaced in relations between contracting parties by the Constitution and Convention of the International Telecommunication Union adopted at Geneva December 22, 1992 (see below). Only those states parties to the 1982 convention that are not parties to the 1992 Constitution and Convention are listed here.

¹The 1982 international telecommunications convention replaced the Malaga-Torremolinos convention of October 25, 1973 (28 UST 2495; TIAS 8572), as between contracting parties to the later convention. Costa Rica, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Nauru, and Yugoslavia (see note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section) are parties to the 1973 convention but not parties to the later conventions. The Dominican Republic is a party to the Montreux convention of November 12, 1965 (18 USC 575; TIAS 6267) but not a party to later conventions.

²With reservation(s)/declaration(s).

³See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

Regional agreement for the medium frequency broadcasting service in Region 2, with annexes and final protocol. Done at Rio de Janeiro December 19, 1981; entered into force July 1, 1983; for the United States April 6, 1993.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Argentina¹
Brazil
Canada
Denmark
France
Netherlands²
Suriname
United States

NOTES:

¹With statement(s).

²For the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

Regional agreement for the use of the band 1605–1705kHz in Region 2, with annexes and final protocol. Done at Rio de Janeiro June 8, 1988; entered into force July 1, 1990; for the United States April 6, 1993.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Canada
Denmark
France
Netherlands¹
United States²

NOTES:

¹For the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

²With declarations.

International telecommunications regulations [telegraph and telephone], with appendices and final protocol. Done at Melbourne December 9, 1988; entered into force July 1, 1990; definitively for the United States April 6, 1993.*

TIAS

NOTE:

* Ratification of or accession to the Constitution and Convention of the International Telecommunication Union adopted at Geneva December 22, 1992 (see article 54 of the Constitution), and predecessor international telecommunication conventions (Nairobi, 1982; Malaga-Torremolinos, 1973) typically involves acceptance of the telegraph and telephone regulations which are considered annexed thereto. The 1988 regulations replace the 1973 regulations (28 UST 3293; TIAS 8586) as between the contracting parties. The 1958 regulations (10 UST 2423; TIAS 4390) remain in force as between the contracting parties and the Dominican Republic. The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to the 1958 regulations (see note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section).

Constitution and Convention of the International Telecommunication Union, with annexes. Done at Geneva December 22, 1992; entered into force July 1, 1994; definitively for the United States October 26, 1997.*

TIAS

States which are parties:

Algeria¹
Andorra
Argentina¹
Armenia
Australia¹
Austria¹

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Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Belarus¹
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada¹
Central African Rep.
Chad¹
China^{1,2}
Colombia¹
Congo
Cote d'Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Ecuador
Egypt
Eritrea
Estonia
Ethiopia
Finland¹
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
France
Georgia
Germany
Guyana
Guinea
Haiti
Hungary
Iceland
India¹
Indonesia¹
Iran
Ireland
Israel
Italy¹
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.
Korea, Rep.
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Rep.
Laos
Liechtenstein¹
Luxembourg
Madagascar
Malaysia
Maldives
Mali
Malta¹
Marshall Is.
Mauritius
Mexico¹

Micronesia
Moldova
Monaco
Mongolia
Morocco
Mozambique
Namibia¹
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
Norway¹
Oman
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru¹
Philippines
Poland
Portugal¹
Romania
Russia
San Marino
Sao Tome & Principe
Saudi Arabia¹
Senegal
Singapore
Slovak Rep.
Slovenia
South Africa
Spain¹
Sri Lanka
St. Lucia
St. Vincent & the Grenadines
Sudan
Suriname
Sweden
Switzerland¹
Syria
Tajikistan
Thailand
Togo
Tonga
Trinidad & Tobago
Tunisia
Turkmenistan
Tuvalu
Uganda
Ukraine
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom
United States¹
Uzbekistan
Vatican City¹
Venezuela¹
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.
Western Samoa
Zimbabwe

Amendment:
October 14, 1994.

NOTES:

* The 1992 Constitution and Convention replace the international telecommunication convention adopted at Nairobi November 6, 1982, as between contracting parties to the Constitution and Convention. For the position of states which have signed but not ratified the Constitution and Convention, see article 52 of the Constitution. The following states parties to the Nairobi Convention have neither signed nor acceded to the 1992 Constitution and Convention: Antigua & Barbuda, Equatorial Guinea, Guatemala, Iraq, Kiribati, Libya, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Solomon Is., Somalia and Vanuatu.

¹ With reservation(s)/statement(s).

² Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

TERRORISM

Convention to prevent and punish the acts of terrorism taking the form of crimes against persons and related extortion that are of international significance. Done at Washington February 2, 1971; entered into force October 16, 1973, for the United States October 20, 1976. 27 UST 3949; TIAS 8413.

States which are parties:

Brazil
Colombia
Costa Rica
Dominican Rep.
El Salvador
Guatemala
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Peru
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela

Convention on the prevention and punishment of crimes against internationally protected persons, including diplomatic agents. Done at New York December 14, 1973; entered into force February 20, 1977.

28 UST 1975; TIAS 8532; 1035 UNTS 167.

States which are parties:

Algeria
Antigua & Barbuda
Argentina¹
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Barbados
Belarus¹
Belize
Bhutan
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria¹
Burundi¹
Cameroon
Canada
Chile
China^{1,2}
Colombia¹
Congo, Dem. Rep.¹
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba¹
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark³
Dominican Rep.
Ecuador¹
Egypt
El Salvador¹
Estonia
Finland¹
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

TERRORISM (Cont'd)

- Gabon
 German Dem. Rep.^{1,4}
 Germany, Fed. Rep.^{4,5}
 Ghana¹
 Greece
 Grenada
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Hungary
 Iceland
 India¹
 Iran
 Iraq¹
 Israel^{1,5}
 Italy⁵
 Jamaica¹
 Japan
 Jordan
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya
 Kiribati⁶
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.⁵
 Korea, Rep.
 Kuwait
 Latvia
 Lebanon
 Liberia
 Libya
 Liechtenstein
 Malawi¹
 Maldives
 Malta
 Mauritania
 Mexico
 Moldova
 Mongolia¹
 Nepal
 Netherlands¹
 New Zealand⁷
 Nicaragua
 Niger
 Norway
 Oman
 Pakistan¹
 Palau
 Panama
 Paraguay
 Peru¹
 Philippines
 Poland⁵
 Portugal¹
 Qatar
 Romania¹
 Russian Fed.
 Rwanda
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines
 Seychelles
 Slovak Rep.¹
 Slovenia
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sudan
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Syria
 Tajikistan
 Togo
 Trinidad & Tobago¹
 Tunisia¹
 Turkey
 Turkmenistan
- Ukraine¹
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{1,8}
 United Kingdom^{5,9}
 United States
 Uruguay
 Uzbekistan
 Yemen (Aden)¹⁰
 Yugoslavia¹¹
- NOTES:
¹ With reservation.
² Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
³ Applicable to Faroe Is. and Greenland.
⁴ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁵ With statement.
⁶ See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
⁷ Applicable to Cook Is. and Niue.
⁸ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
⁹ Extended to Bailiwick of Jersey, Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, Bermuda, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and Dependencies, Gibraltar, Montserrat, the Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena and Dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is., United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in the Island of Cyprus.
¹⁰ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
¹¹ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.
- International convention against the taking of hostages. Done at New York December 17, 1979; entered into force June 3, 1983; for the United States January 6, 1985.
 TIAS 11081.
 States which are parties:
 Algeria¹
 Antigua & Barbuda
 Argentina
 Australia
 Austria
 Azerbaijan
 Bahamas, The
 Barbados
 Belarus^{1,2}
 Belgium
 Belize
 Bhutan
 Bolivia
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Botswana
 Brazil
 Brunei
 Bulgaria
 Cameroon^{1,2}
 Canada
 Chile²
 China^{1,3}
 Cote d'Ivoire
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czech Rep.
 Denmark
 Dominica
 Ecuador
 Egypt
 El Salvador¹
 Finland
- Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
 France
 German Dem. Rep.^{1,2,4}
 Germany, Fed. Rep.⁴
 Ghana
 Greece
 Grenada
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Hungary
 Iceland
 India¹
 Italy
 Japan
 Jordan
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya¹
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.
 Korea, Rep.
 Kuwait
 Lebanon²
 Lesotho
 Libya
 Liechtenstein
 Lithuania
 Luxembourg
 Malawi
 Mali
 Malta
 Mauritania
 Mauritius
 Mexico
 Monaco
 Mongolia
 Nepal
 Netherlands^{1,2,5}
 New Zealand⁶
 Norway
 Oman
 Pakistan
 Palau
 Panama
 Peru
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 Russian Fed.
 St. Kitts & Nevis
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines
 Saudi Arabia
 Senegal
 Slovak Rep.¹
 Slovenia
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sudan
 Suriname
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Togo
 Trinidad & Tobago
 Tunisia
 Turkey¹
 Turkmenistan
 Ukraine^{1,2}
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{1,2,7}
 United Kingdom⁸
 United States
 Uzbekistan
 Venezuela²
 Yugoslavia⁹

TERRORISM (Cont'd)

NOTES:

¹ With reservation.² With declaration.³ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.⁴ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.⁵ Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.⁶ Applicable to Cook Is. and Niue.⁷ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.⁸ Applicable to territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.⁹ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.**TEXTILES****(See under TRADE AND COMMERCE)****TIMBER**

International tropical timber agreement, 1994, with annexes. Done at Geneva January 26, 1994; entered into force provisionally, January 1, 1997.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia
Austria
Belgium*
Bolivia
Brazil
Burma
Cambodia
Cameroon*
Canada
Central African Rep.*
China
Colombia
Congo*
Congo, Dem. Rep.*
Cote d'Ivoire
Denmark
Ecuador
Egypt
European Community¹*
Fiji*
Finland*
France*
Gabon*
Germany*
Ghana
Greece
Guatemala
Guyana
Honduras*
India
Indonesia
Ireland
Italy
Japan
Korea
Liberia

Luxembourg*
Malaysia
Nepal*
Netherlands²*
New Zealand
Norway
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Peru
Philippines*
Portugal
Spain
Suriname
Sweden
Switzerland
Thailand
Togo
Trinidad & Tobago
United Kingdom*
United States
Vanuatu
Venezuela

NOTES:

¹ With declaration(s).² For the Kingdom in Europe.

* Provisional application.

TONNAGE MEASUREMENT**(See under MARITIME MATTERS)****TORTURE**

Convention against torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment. Done at New York December 10, 1984; entered into force June 26, 1987; for the United States November 20, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Afghanistan¹
Albania
Algeria²
Antigua & Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia²
Austria²
Azerbaijan
Bahrain¹
Bangladesh²
Belarus^{1 2}
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Bulgaria^{1 2}
Burkina Faso
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada²
Cape Verde

Chad
Chile¹
China^{1 3}
Colombia
Congo, Dem. Rep.
Costa Rica
Cote d'Ivoire
Croatia²
Cuba²
Cyprus
Czech Rep.²
Denmark²
Ecuador^{1 2}
Egypt
El Salvador
Estonia
Ethiopia
Finland²
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
France^{1 2}
Gabon
Georgia
Germany
Ghana
Greece²
Guatemala
Guinea
Guyana
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland²
Indonesia^{1 2}
Israel¹
Italy²
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea
Kuwait¹
Kyrgyz Rep.
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Libya
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg²
Malawi
Mali
Malta
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
Monaco
Morocco¹
Mozambique
Namibia
Nepal
Netherlands^{2 4}
New Zealand¹
Niger
Nigeria
Norway²
Panama¹
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Poland²
Portugal²
Qatar
Romania
Russian Fed.
St. Vincent & the Grenadines
Saudi Arabia

TORTURE (Cont'd)

Senegal²
 Seychelles
 Sierra Leone
 Slovak Rep.²
 Slovenia²
 Somalia
 South Africa
 Spain²
 Sri Lanka
 Sweden
 Switzerland²
 Tajikistan
 Togo²
 Tunisia²
 Turkey^{1,2}
 Turkmenistan
 Uganda
 Ukraine^{1,2}
 United Kingdom^{2,5}
 United States^{1,2}
 Uruguay²
 Uzbekistan
 Venezuela²
 Yemen
 Yugoslavia⁶
 Zambia

NOTES:

- ¹ With reservation(s).
² With declaration(s).
³ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
⁴ For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
⁵ Applicable to Anguilla, Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena, St. Helena dependencies and Turks & Caicos Is.
⁶ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

TRADE AND COMMERCE

(See also CUSTOMS)

Agreement to refrain from invoking the obligations of most-favored-nation clause in respect of certain multilateral economic conventions. Done at the Pan American Union, Washington, July 15, 1934; entered into force September 12, 1935.

49 Stat. 3260; TS 898; 3 Bevans 252; 165 LNTS 9.

States which are parties:

Cuba
 Greece
 United States

Convention on transit trade of land-locked states. Done at New York July 8, 1965; entered into force June 9, 1967; for the United States November 28, 1968.

19 UST 7383; TIAS 6592; 597 UNTS 42.

States which are parties:

Australia

Belarus¹
 Belgium¹
 Burkina Faso
 Burundi
 Central African Rep.
 Chad
 Chile¹
 Croatia
 Czech Rep.
 Denmark
 Finland
 Georgia
 Hungary¹
 Laos
 Lesotho
 Malawi
 Mali
 Mongolia
 Nepal
 Netherlands²
 Niger
 Nigeria
 Norway
 Russian Fed.
 Rwanda
 San Marino
 Senegal
 Slovak Rep.¹
 Swaziland
 Sweden
 Turkey
 Ukraine¹
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{1,3}
 United States
 Uzbekistan
 Yugoslavia⁴
 Zambia

NOTES:

- ¹ With reservation.
² Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
³ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
⁴ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the limitation period in the international sale of goods. Done at New York June 12, 1974; entered into force August 1, 1988; for the United States December 1, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina
 Belarus
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Burundi
 Cuba
 Czech Rep.
 Dominican Rep.
 Egypt
 German Dem. Rep.¹
 Ghana
 Guinea
 Hungary
 Mexico
 Moldova
 Norway²
 Poland
 Romania
 Slovak Rep.
 Slovenia
 Uganda
 Ukraine
 United States³

Uruguay
 Yugoslavia⁴
 Zambia

Amendment:
 April 11, 1980.

NOTES:

- ¹ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
² With reservation(s).
³ With declaration(s).
⁴ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement on trade in civil aircraft. Done at Geneva April 12, 1979; entered into force January 1, 1980.

31 UST 619; TIAS 9620; 1186 UNTS 170.

Parties:

Austria
 Belgium
 Bulgaria
 Canada
 Denmark¹
 Egypt
 European Economic Community
 France
 Germany, Fed. Rep.²
 Greece
 Ireland
 Italy
 Japan
 Luxembourg
 Macao
 Netherlands³
 Norway
 Portugal
 Romania
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 United Kingdom⁴
 United States

Amendments (annex):

January 17, 1983 (TIAS 10673).
 January 27, 1984 (TIAS 11531).
 January 1, 1985 (TIAS 11531).
 December 2, 1986.

NOTES:

- ¹ Not applicable to Faroe Is.
² See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
³ Applicable provisionally to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba pending approval.
⁴ Accepted in respect of the territories for which it has international responsibility except for: Bermuda, Cayman Is., Montserrat, Sovereign Base Areas Cyprus, British Virgin Is.

United Nations convention on contracts for the international sale of goods. Done at Vienna April 11, 1980; entered into force January 1, 1988.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Argentina¹
 Australia²
 Austria
 Belarus¹
 Belgium
 Bosnia-Herzegovina

TRADE AND COMMERCE (Cont'd)

Bulgaria
Burundi
Canada³
Chile¹
China¹
Colombia
Croatia
Cuba
Czech Rep.
Denmark¹
Ecuador
Egypt
Estonia¹
Finland⁴
France
Georgia
German Dem. Rep.⁵
Germany, Fed. Rep.^{1,5}
Greece
Guinea
Hungary¹
Iceland
Iraq
Italy
Kyrgyz Rep.
Latvia
Lesotho
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Mauritania
Mexico
Moldova
Mongolia
Netherlands
New Zealand
Norway⁴
Peru
Poland
Romania
Russian Fed.¹
St. Vincent & the Grenadines
Singapore
Slovak Rep.
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden⁴
Switzerland
Syria
Uganda
Ukraine¹
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{1,6}
United States¹
Uruguay
Uzbekistan
Yugoslavia⁷
Zambia

NOTES:

¹ With declaration(s).

² Applicable to "all Australian States and mainland territories and to all external territories except the territories of Christmas Island, the Cocos (Keeling) Islands and the Ashmore and Cartier Islands."

³ Applicable to Alberta, British Columbia, Prince Edward Island, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Newfoundland, Northwest Territories, Quebec, Saskatchewan, and the Territory of the Yukon.

⁴ With reservation(s).
⁵ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁶ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁷ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

North American free trade agreement, with notes and annexes. Signed at Washington, Ottawa and Mexico December 8, 11, 14 and 17, 1992; entered into force January 1, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada
Mexico
United States¹

NOTE:

¹ Extended to Puerto Rico.

Marrakesh agreement establishing the World Trade Organization (WTO). Done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994; entered into force January 1, 1995.

TIAS

Related agreements were done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994; entered into force January 1, 1995:

General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994.

TIAS

Agreement on agriculture.

TIAS

Agreement on the application of sanitary and phytosanitary measures.

TIAS

Agreement on textiles and clothing.

TIAS

Agreement on technical barriers to trade.

TIAS

Agreement on trade-related investment measures.

TIAS

Agreement on implementation of Article VI (Anti-Dumping) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994.

TIAS

Agreement on implementation of Article VII (Customs Valuation) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994.

TIAS

Agreement on preshipment inspection.

TIAS

Agreement on rules of origin.

TIAS

Agreement on import licensing procedures.

TIAS

Agreement on subsidies and countervailing measures.

TIAS

Agreement on safeguards.

TIAS

General agreement on trade in services and annexes.

TIAS

Agreement on trade-related aspects of intellectual property rights.

TIAS

Understanding on rules and procedures governing the settlement of disputes.

TIAS

Trade policy review mechanism.

TIAS

Parties:

Albania
Angola
Antigua & Barbuda
Argentina
Australia
Austria
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bolivia
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cameroon
Canada
Central African Rep.
Chad
Chile
China
China (Taiwan)¹
Colombia
Congo
Congo, Dem. Rep.
Costa Rica
Cote d'Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Rep.
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Estonia
European Community
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia
Georgia
Germany
Ghana
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hong Kong
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Kenya
Korea

TRADE AND COMMERCE (Cont'd)

Kuwait
Kyrgyz Rep.
Latvia
Lesotho
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macao
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia
Maldives
Mali
Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
Mongolia
Morocco
Mozambique
Namibia
Netherlands²
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Qatar
Romania
Rwanda
St. Kitts & Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Vincent & the Grenadines
Senegal
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovak Rep.
Slovenia
Solomon Is.
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Suriname
Swaziland
Sweden
Switzerland
Tanzania
Thailand
Togo
Trinidad & Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Uganda
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES:

¹Separate customs territory of "Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu".

²For the Kingdom in Europe and for the Netherlands Antilles.

Agreement on government procurement. Done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994; entered into force January 1, 1996.

TIAS

Parties:

Austria
Belgium
Canada
Denmark
European Community
Finland
France
Germany
Greece
Hong Kong
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Japan
Korea
Liechtenstein
Luxembourg
Netherlands¹
Norway
Portugal
Singapore
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE:

¹For the Kingdom in Europe and for Aruba.

TRADE-MARKS

(See INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY)

TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Agreement for the suppression of the white slave traffic. Signed at Paris May 18, 1904; entered into force July 18, 1905; for the United States June 6, 1908.

35 Stat. 1979; TS 496; 1 Bevans 424; 1 LNTS 83.

States which are parties:

Algeria
Antigua & Barbuda¹
Australia²
Austria
Bahamas, The
Barbados¹
Belgium
Belize¹
Benin
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burma¹
Cameroon³
Canada

Central African Rep.

Chile³

China^{3,4}

Colombia

Congo

Cote d'Ivoire

Cuba³

Cyprus

Czech Rep.

Denmark

Dominica¹

Egypt³

Estonia³

Fiji

Finland³

France²

Gambia, The¹

German Dem. Rep.⁵

Germany, Fed. Rep.⁵

Ghana

Grenada^{1,3}

Guyana¹

Hong Kong⁶

Hungary

Iceland⁷

India³

Iran³

Iraq³

Ireland³

Italy

Jamaica

Japan³

Kiribati¹

Lebanon

Lithuania³

Luxembourg

Madagascar

Malawi

Malaysia¹

Mali

Malta

Mauritius

Mexico

Monaco³

Morocco

Nauru^{1,3}

Netherlands⁸

New Zealand

Niger

Nigeria

Norway

Pakistan

Papua New Guinea^{1,3}

Poland

Portugal

Russian Fed.

St. Kitts & Nevis¹

St. Lucia^{1,3}

St. Vincent & the Grenadines^{1,3}

Senegal

Seychelles¹

Sierra Leone

Singapore

Slovak Rep.

Solomon Is.¹

South Africa³

Spain

Sri Lanka

Sudan³

Suriname¹

Sweden

Switzerland

Tanzania^{1,3}

Thailand³

Trinidad & Tobago

TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN (Cont'd)

Tunisia³
 Turkey³
 Tuvalu¹
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁹
 United Kingdom¹⁰
 United States
 Uruguay³
 Yugoslavia^{3,11}
 Zambia
 Zimbabwe¹

NOTES:

¹ See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

² Extended to all territories.

³ Party by virtue of ratification or adherence to the international convention for the suppression of the white slave traffic signed at Paris May 4, 1910 (3 LNTS 278) or the protocol of May 4, 1949 (2 UST 1997; TIAS 2332).

⁴ Pre 1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.

⁵ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁶ CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

⁷ Included in ratification by Denmark.

⁸ Extended to Curacao.

⁹ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

¹⁰ Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Montserrat, and St. Helena.

¹¹ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Protocol amending the international agreement for the suppression of the white slave traffic, signed at Paris May 18, 1904, and the international convention for the suppression of the white slave traffic, signed at Paris May 4, 1910. Done at Lake Success May 4, 1949; entered into force May 4, 1949; for the United States August 14, 1950; annex amending 1904 agreement entered into force June 21, 1951. 2 UST 1997; TIAS 2332; 92 UNTS 19.

TRANSPORTATION— FOODSTUFFS

Agreement on the international carriage of perishable foodstuffs and on the special equipment to be used for such carriage (ATP), with annexes. Done at Geneva September 1, 1970; entered into force November 21, 1976; for the United States January 20, 1984.

TIAS ; 1028 UNTS 121.

States which are parties:

Austria
 Azerbaijan
 Belgium
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Bulgaria¹
 Croatia
 Czech Rep.

Denmark
 Estonia
 Finland
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
 France²
 Georgia
 German Dem. Rep.^{1,3}
 Germany, Fed. Rep.³
 Greece
 Hungary¹
 Ireland
 Italy²
 Kazakhstan
 Luxembourg
 Morocco
 Netherlands⁴
 Norway
 Poland¹
 Portugal
 Romania
 Russian Fed.
 Slovak Rep.¹
 Slovenia
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{1,5}
 United Kingdom
 United States²
 Uzbekistan
 Yugoslavia⁶

NOTES:

¹ With reservation(s).

² Objections by France and Italy to the United States declaration under Article 10 have not been accepted by the United States.

³ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁴ For the Kingdom in Europe.

⁵ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁶ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

El Salvador
 Ethiopia³
 France
 Greece
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Honduras
 India
 Iran
 Iraq
 Lebanon
 Liberia
 Luxembourg
 Mexico
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Norway
 Panama
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Philippines
 Poland
 Saudi Arabia
 Slovak Rep.
 South Africa
 Syrian Arab Rep.
 Turkey
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁴
 United Kingdom
 United States
 Uruguay
 Venezuela
 Yugoslavia⁵

NOTES:

¹ Pre 1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.

² See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

³ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁴ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

TRIESTE

(See under PEACE TREATIES)

UNITED NATIONS

Declaration by United Nations. Signed at Washington January 1, 1942; entered into force January 1, 1942.

55 Stat. 1600; EAS 236; 3 Bevans 697.

States which are parties:

Australia
 Belgium
 Bolivia
 Brazil
 Canada
 Chile
 China¹
 Colombia
 Costa Rica
 Cuba
 Czechoslovakia²
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 Egypt

Charter of the United Nations with the Statute of the International Court of Justice annexed thereto.¹ Signed at San Francisco June 26, 1945; entered into force October 24, 1945.

59 Stat. 1031; TS 993; 3 Bevans 1153.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan
 Albania
 Algeria
 Andorra
 Angola
 Antigua & Barbuda
 Argentina
 Armenia
 Australia
 Austria
 Azerbaijan
 Bahamas, The
 Bahrain
 Bangladesh
 Barbados
 Belarus
 Belgium
 Belize
 Benin
 Bhutan
 Bolivia
 Bosnia-Herzegovina

UNITED NATIONS (Cont'd)

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| Botswana | Laos | Turkmenistan |
| Brazil | Latvia | Uganda |
| Brunei | Lebanon | Ukraine |
| Bulgaria | Lesotho | United Arab Emirates |
| Burkina Faso | Liberia | United Kingdom |
| Burma | Libya | United States |
| Burundi | Liechtenstein | Uruguay |
| Cambodia | Luxembourg | Uzbekistan |
| Cameroon | Madagascar | Vanuatu |
| Canada | Malawi | Venezuela |
| Cape Verde | Malaysia | Vietnam, Socialist Rep. |
| Central African Rep. | Maldives | Western Samoa |
| Chad | Mali | Yemen (Aden) ⁵ |
| Chile | Malta | Yemen (Sanaa) ⁵ |
| China ² | Marshall Is. | Yugoslavia ⁶ |
| Colombia | Mauritania | Zambia |
| Comoros | Mauritius | Zimbabwe |
| Congo | Mexico | |
| Congo, Dem. Rep. | Micronesia | Amendments: |
| Costa Rica | Moldova | December 17, 1963 (16 UST 1134; TIAS 5857; 557 UNTS 143). |
| Cote d'Ivoire | Monaco | December 20, 1965 (19 UST 5450; TIAS 6529). |
| Croatia | Mongolia | December 20, 1971 (24 UST 2225; TIAS 7739). |
| Cuba | Morocco | |
| Cyprus | Mozambique | NOTES: |
| Czech Rep. | Namibia | ¹ For parties to the Statute, not parties to the Charter, see INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE. |
| Denmark | Nepal | ² Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section. |
| Djibouti | Netherlands | ³ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section. |
| Dominica | New Zealand | ⁴ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section. |
| Dominican Rep. | Nicaragua | ⁵ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section. |
| Ecuador | Niger | ⁶ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section. |
| Egypt | Nigeria | |
| El Salvador | Norway | Convention on the privileges and immunities of the United Nations. Done at New York February 13, 1946, entered into force September 17, 1946; for the United States April 29, 1970. 21 UST 1418; TIAS 6900; 1 UNTS 16. |
| Equatorial Guinea | Oman | States which are parties: |
| Eritrea | Pakistan | Afghanistan |
| Estonia | Palau | Albania ¹ |
| Ethiopia ³ | Panama | Algeria ¹ |
| Fiji | Papua New Guinea | Angola |
| Finland | Paraguay | Antigua & Barbuda |
| Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia | Peru | Argentina |
| France | Philippines | Australia |
| Gabon | Poland | Austria |
| Gambia, The | Portugal | Azerbaijan |
| Georgia | Qatar | Bahamas, The |
| German Dem. Rep. ⁴ | Romania | Bahrain ² |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. ⁴ | Russian Fed. | Bangladesh |
| Ghana | Rwanda | Barbados |
| Greece | St. Kitts & Nevis | Belarus ¹ |
| Grenada | St. Lucia | Belgium |
| Guatemala | St. Vincent & the Grenadines | Bolivia |
| Guinea | San Marino | Bosnia-Herzegovina |
| Guinea-Bissau | Sao Tome & Principe | Brazil |
| Guyana | Saudi Arabia | Bulgaria ¹ |
| Haiti | Senegal | Burkina Faso |
| Honduras | Seychelles | Burma |
| Hungary | Sierra Leone | Burundi |
| Iceland | Singapore | Cambodia |
| India | Slovak Rep. | Cameroon |
| Indonesia | Slovenia | Canada ¹ |
| Iran | Solomon Is. | Central African Rep. |
| Iraq | Somalia | Chile |
| Ireland | South Africa | China ^{1 3} |
| Israel | Spain | |
| Italy | Sri Lanka | |
| Jamaica | Sudan | |
| Japan | Suriname | |
| Jordan | Swaziland | |
| Kazakhstan | Sweden | |
| Kenya | Syrian Arab Rep. | |
| Korea | Tajikistan | |
| Kuwait | Tanzania | |
| Kyrgyz Rep. | Thailand | |
| | Togo | |
| | Trinidad & Tobago | |
| | Tunisia | |
| | Turkey | |

UNITED NATIONS (Cont'd)

Colombia
 Congo
 Congo, Dem. Rep.
 Costa Rica
 Cote d'Ivoire
 Croatia
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czech Rep.
 Denmark
 Djibouti
 Dominica
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 Egypt
 El Salvador
 Estonia
 Ethiopia⁴
 Fiji
 Finland
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
 France
 Gabon
 Gambia, The
 German Dem. Rep.^{1 5}
 Germany, Fed. Rep.⁵
 Ghana
 Greece
 Guatemala
 Guinea
 Guyana
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Hungary¹
 Iceland
 India
 Indonesia¹
 Iran
 Iraq
 Ireland
 Israel
 Italy
 Jamaica
 Japan
 Jordan
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya
 Korea
 Kuwait
 Kyrgyz Rep.
 Laos¹
 Latvia
 Lebanon⁶
 Lesotho
 Liberia
 Libya
 Liechtenstein
 Lithuania¹
 Luxembourg
 Madagascar
 Malawi
 Malaysia
 Mali
 Malta
 Mauritius
 Mexico¹
 Moldova
 Mongolia
 Morocco
 Mozambique
 Nepal¹

Netherlands⁷
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Niger
 Nigeria
 Norway
 Pakistan
 Panama
 Papua New Guinea
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal¹
 Romania¹
 Russian Fed.
 Rwanda
 St. Lucia
 Senegal
 Seychelles
 Sierra Leone
 Singapore
 Slovak Rep.¹
 Slovenia
 Somalia
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sudan
 Sweden
 Syrian Arab Rep.
 Tanzania
 Togo
 Trinidad & Tobago
 Tunisia
 Turkey¹
 Uganda
 Ukraine¹
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{1 8}
 United Kingdom⁶
 United States¹
 Uruguay
 Venezuela
 Vietnam¹
 Yemen (Sanaa)⁹
 Yugoslavia¹⁰
 Zambia
 Zimbabwe

NOTES:

- ¹ With reservation(s).
² With declaration(s).
³ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
⁴ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.
⁵ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁶ With statement.
⁷ Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
⁸ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
⁹ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
¹⁰ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

VIET-NAM

Act of the International Conference on Viet-Nam. Done at Paris March 2, 1973; entered into force March 2, 1973.
 24 UST 485; TIAS 7568; 935 UNTS 405.

Parties:

Canada
 China, People's Rep.
 France
 Hungary
 Indonesia
 Poland
 Provisional Revolutionary Government of Rep. of South Viet-Nam¹
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.²
 United Kingdom
 United States
 Viet-Nam, Dem. Rep.¹
 Viet-Nam, Rep.¹

NOTES:

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

² See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

WAR

(See **RED CROSS CONVENTIONS; RENUNCIATION OF WAR; RULES OF WARFARE; WORLD WAR II**)

WAR CRIMINALS

(See also **RULES OF WARFARE**)

Agreement for the prosecution and punishment of the major war criminals of the European Axis. Signed at London August 8, 1945; entered into force August 8, 1945.
 59 Stat. 1544; EAS 472; 3 Bevans 1238; 82 UNTS 279.

States which are parties:

Australia
 Belgium
 Czechoslovakia¹
 Denmark
 Ethiopia²
 France
 Greece
 Haiti
 Honduras
 India
 Luxembourg
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Norway
 Panama
 Paraguay
 Poland
 Slovak Rep.
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.³
 United Kingdom
 United States
 Uruguay
 Venezuela
 Yugoslavia⁴

WAR CRIMINALS (Cont'd)

NOTES:

¹ See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

² See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

³ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁴ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Charter of the International Military Tribunal for the Far East. Dated at Tokyo January 19, 1946, amended April 26, 1946.
TIAS 1589; 4 Bevans 20.

WARSAW CONVENTION

(See under AVIATION)

WEAPONS

Convention on prohibitions or restrictions on the use of certain conventional weapons which may be deemed to be excessively injurious or to have indiscriminate effects. Adopted at Geneva October 10, 1980; entered into force December 2, 1983; for the United States September 24, 1995.

TIAS

Protocol on non-detectable fragments (Protocol I). Adopted at Geneva October 10, 1980; entered into force December 2, 1983; for the United States September 24, 1995.

TIAS

Protocol on prohibitions or restrictions on the use of mines, booby-traps and other devices (Protocol II). Adopted at Geneva October 10, 1980; entered into force December 2, 1983; for the United States September 24, 1995.¹

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina
Australia
Austria
Bangladesh
Belarus
Belgium
Benin²
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Brazil
Bulgaria
Cambodia
Canada³
Cape Verde
China⁴
Colombia
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark
Djibouti

Ecuador
El Salvador
Estonia²
Finland
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
France
Georgia
Germany
Greece
Guatemala
Holy See
Hungary
India
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Japan
Jordan²
Korea
Laos
Latvia
Lesotho
Liechtenstein
Lithuania²
Luxembourg
Maldives²
Mali
Malta
Mauritius
Mexico
Moldova
Monaco²
Mongolia
Nauru
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua²
Niger
Norway
Pakistan
Panama
Peru²
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russian Fed.
Senegal⁵
Seychelles
Slovak Rep.
Slovenia
South Africa
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Tajikistan
Togo
Tunisia
Uganda
Ukraine
United Kingdom³
United States^{3 6 7}
Uruguay
Uzbekistan
Yugoslavia⁸

Amendment:
May 3, 1996.

NOTES:

¹ Protocols III and IV are not yet in force for the United States.

² Not a party to Protocol II.

³ With declaration(s).

⁴ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

⁵ Not a party to Protocols I and II.

⁶ With reservation(s).

⁷ With understanding(s).

⁸ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Convention concerning the creation of an international office of weights and measures, regulations and transient provisions. Signed at Paris May 20, 1875; entered into force January 1, 1876; for the United States August 2, 1878.
20 Stat. 709; TS 378; 1 Bevans 39.

Convention amending the convention relating to weights and measures. Dated at Sevres October 6, 1921; entered into force June 23, 1922; for the United States October 24, 1923.
43 Stat. 1686; TS 673; 2 Bevans 323; 17 LNTS 45.

States which are parties:

Argentina¹
Australia
Austria
Belgium
Brazil
Bulgaria
Cameroon
Canada
Chile¹
China²
Czechoslovakia³
Denmark
Dominican Rep.
Egypt
Finland
France
German Dem. Rep.⁴
Germany, Fed. Rep.⁴
Hungary
India
Indonesia
Iran
Ireland
Italy
Japan
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.
Korea, Rep.
Mexico
Netherlands
Norway
Pakistan
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Slovak Rep.
South Africa
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Thailand
Turkey
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁵
United Kingdom
United States
Uruguay
Venezuela
Yugoslavia⁶

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (Cont'd)

NOTES:

- ¹ Not a party to the 1921 convention.
² The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to these conventions. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.
³ See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.
⁴ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁵ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
⁶ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention establishing an International Organization of Legal Metrology. Done at Paris October 12, 1955; entered into force May 28, 1958; for the United States October 22, 1972 as amended January 18, 1968.
 23 UST 4233; TIAS 7533; 560 UNTS 3.

Parties:

Algeria
 Arab Organization of Standardization and Metrology¹
 Australia
 Austria
 Belarus
 Belgium
 Brazil
 Bulgaria
 Cameroon
 Canada
 China
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czechoslovakia²
 Denmark
 Egypt
 Ethiopia³
 Finland
 France⁴
 German Dem. Rep.⁵
 Germany, Fed. Rep.⁵
 Greece
 Guinea
 Hungary
 India
 Indonesia
 Ireland
 Israel
 Italy
 Jamaica¹
 Japan
 Jordan¹
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.
 Korea, Rep.
 Lebanon
 Luxembourg¹
 Monaco
 Morocco
 Nepal¹
 Netherlands
 New Zealand¹
 Norway
 Pakistan
 Poland
 Portugal

Romania
 Saudi Arabia
 Slovak Rep.
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Tanzania
 Tunisia
 Turkey¹
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁶
 United Kingdom⁷
 United States
 Venezuela
 Yugoslavia⁸
 Zambia

NOTES:

- ¹ Corresponding Member.
² See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.
³ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.
⁴ Extended to the French overseas territories.
⁵ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁶ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
⁷ Extended to the British Virgin Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, Turks and Caicos Is.
⁸ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

WETLANDS

(See under CONSERVATION)

WHALING

Convention for the regulation of whaling. Concluded at Geneva September 24, 1931; entered into force January 16, 1935.

49 Stat. 3079; TS 880; 3 Bevans 26; 155 LNTS 349.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda¹
 Austria
 Bahamas, The¹
 Barbados¹
 Belize¹
 Brazil
 Brunei¹
 Canada
 Cyprus¹
 Czechoslovakia²
 Denmark, including Greenland
 Dominica¹
 Ecuador
 Egypt
 Fiji¹
 Finland
 France
 Gambia, The¹
 Ghana¹
 Grenada¹
 Guyana¹
 Ireland
 Italy³
 Jamaica¹

Kiribati¹
 Latvia
 Malaysia¹
 Malta¹
 Mauritius¹
 Mexico
 Monaco
 Netherlands⁴
 New Zealand
 Nicaragua
 Nigeria¹
 Norway
 Poland
 St. Kitts & Nevis¹
 St. Lucia¹
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines¹
 Seychelles¹
 Sierra Leone¹
 Slovak Rep.
 Solomon Is.¹
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sri Lanka¹
 Sudan
 Suriname¹
 Switzerland
 Tanzania¹
 Tonga¹
 Trinidad & Tobago¹
 Turkey
 Tuvalu¹
 United Kingdom⁵
 United States
 Yugoslavia⁶

NOTES:

- ¹ See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
² See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.
³ With reservation.
⁴ Extended to Curacao.
⁵ Extended to Ascension Is., Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Montserrat, St. Helena, Turks and Caicos Is.
⁶ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention for the regulation of whaling with schedule of whaling regulations. Signed at Washington December 2, 1946; entered into force November 10, 1948.
 62 Stat. 1716; TIAS 1849; 4 Bevans 248; 161 UNTS 72.

Protocol to the international convention for the regulation of whaling. Done at Washington November 19, 1956; entered into force May 4, 1959.
 10 UST 952; TIAS 4228; 338 UNTS 366.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda
 Argentina¹
 Australia
 Austria
 Brazil
 Chile¹
 China^{2,3}
 Costa Rica
 Denmark
 Dominica
 Ecuador^{1*}
 Finland

WHALING (Cont'd)

France
 Germany, Fed. Rep.^{2,4}
 Grenada
 India
 Ireland
 Italy
 Japan
 Kenya
 Korea
 Mexico
 Monaco
 Netherlands⁵
 New Zealand
 Norway²
 Oman
 Peru²
 St. Kitts & Nevis
 St. Lucia
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines
 Senegal
 Seychelles
 Solomon Is.
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁶
 United Kingdom
 United States
 Venezuela

Amendments to the Schedule:
 June 7, 1949 (1 UST 506; TIAS 2092; 161 UNTS 100).
 July 21, 1950 (2 UST 11; TIAS 2173; 161 UNTS 108).
 July 27, 1951 (3 UST 2999; TIAS 2486; 177 UNTS 396).
 June 6, 1952 (3 UST 5094; TIAS 2699; 181 UNTS 364).
 June 26, 1953 (4 UST 2179; TIAS 2866; 252 UNTS 316).
 July 23, 1954 (6 UST 645; TIAS 3198; 252 UNTS 324).
 July 23, 1955 (7 UST 657; TIAS 3548; 252 UNTS 330).
 July 20, 1956 (8 UST 69; TIAS 3739; 278 UNTS 278).
 June 28, 1957 (8 UST 2203; TIAS 3944; 300 UNTS 376).
 June 27, 1958 (10 UST 330; TIAS 4193; 337 UNTS 408).
 July 1, 1959 (11 UST 32; TIAS 4404; 361 UNTS 272).
 June 24, 1960 (13 UST 493; TIAS 5014; 435 UNTS 324).
 June 23, 1961 (13 UST 497; TIAS 5015; 435 UNTS 328).
 July 6, 1962 (14 UST 112; TIAS 5277; 495 UNTS 254).
 July 5, 1963 (14 UST 1690; TIAS 5472; 495 UNTS 256).
 June 26, 1964 (15 UST 2547; TIAS 5745; 586 UNTS 248).
 July 2, 1965 (17 UST 35; TIAS 5953; 586 UNTS 252).
 July 1, 1966 (17 UST 1640; TIAS 6120; 675 UNTS 384).
 June 30, 1967 (18 UST 2391; TIAS 6345; 723 UNTS 280).

June 28, 1968 (19 UST 6030; TIAS 6562; 723 UNTS 282).
 June 27, 1969 (20 UST 4063; TIAS 6794).
 June 26, 1970 (21 UST 2460; TIAS 6985; 772 UNTS 442).
 June 25, 1971 (23 UST 179; TIAS 7293).
 June 30, 1972 (23 UST 2820; TIAS 7471).
 June 29, 1973 (25 UST 2591; TIAS 7936).
 June 28, 1974 (25 UST 2978; TIAS 7960).
 June 27, 1975 (27 UST 1885; TIAS 8286).
 June 25, 1976 (27 UST 4015; TIAS 8422).
 June 24, 1977 (29 UST 1452; TIAS 8886).
 December 7, 1977 (29 UST 2874; TIAS 8983).
 June 30, 1978 (30 UST 1639; TIAS 9271).
 December 20, 1978 (30 UST 2852; TIAS 9366).
 July 13, 1979 (31 UST 4815; TIAS 9642).
 July 26, 1980 (32 UST 4241; TIAS 9946).
 July 25, 1981.
 July 24, 1982.
 July 23, 1983.
 June 22, 1984.
 July 19, 1985.
 June 13, 1986.
 June 26, 1987 (TIAS 11951).
 June 3, 1988 (TIAS 11951).
 June 16, 1989 (TIAS 11951).
 July 6, 1990 (TIAS 11951).
 May 31, 1991 (TIAS 11951).
 July 3, 1992 (TIAS 11951).
 May 14, 1993.

NOTES:

¹ With reservation.
² With statement.
³ Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
⁴ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁵ Applicable to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
⁶ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

WHEAT

Agricultural commodities agreement for the sale of wheat, with memorandum of understanding. Signed at Dar-es-Salaam February 18 and at Nairobi February 19 and 22 and March 4, 1966; entered into force March 4, 1966. 17 UST 628; TIAS 6010; 578 UNTS 57.

Parties:
 East African Common Services Organization
 Kenya
 Tanzania
 Uganda
 United States

Wheat trade convention, 1986.¹ Done at London March 13, 1986; entered into force July 1, 1986; definitively for the United States January 27, 1988.
 TIAS
 Parties:
 Algeria
 Argentina
 Australia
 Austria
 Barbados
 Belgium
 Bolivia

Brazil*
 Canada
 Cuba
 Denmark
 Ecuador
 Egypt
 El Salvador*
 European Economic Community
 Finland
 France
 Germany, Fed. Rep.²
 Greece
 Hungary
 India
 Iraq
 Ireland
 Israel
 Italy
 Japan
 Korea
 Luxembourg
 Malta
 Mauritius
 Morocco*
 Netherlands³
 Norway
 Pakistan
 Panama*
 Portugal
 Russian Fed.
 South Africa
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Tunisia
 Turkey
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁴
 United Kingdom⁵
 United States
 Vatican City

Extension:
 June 26, 1991.

NOTES:

¹ Part of the international wheat agreement, 1986. See also FOOD AID.
² See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
³ For the Kingdom in Europe.
⁴ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
⁵ Applicable to British Virgin Islands, Gibraltar and St. Helena.
 * Provisional application.

WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC
(See TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN)

WILDLIFE PRESERVATION
(See CONSERVATION; FISHERIES; POLAR BEARS; WHALING)

WINE

Agreement for the creation, in Paris of an International Wine Office.¹ Done at Paris November 29, 1924; entered into force October 29, 1927; for the United States July 24, 1984. 80 LNTS 293.

States which are parties:

Algeria
 Argentina
 Australia²
 Austria
 Belgium
 Bulgaria
 Chile
 Cyprus
 Czechoslovakia³
 Denmark
 Finland
 France
 Germany, Fed. Rep.⁴
 Greece
 Hungary
 Israel
 Italy
 Luxembourg
 Moldova
 Morocco
 Netherlands
 Norway
 Portugal
 Romania
 Slovak Rep.
 South Africa
 Spain
 Switzerland
 Syrian Arab Rep.
 Tunisia
 Ukraine
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁵
 United Kingdom
 United States²
 Uruguay
 Yugoslavia⁶

NOTES:

¹ Renamed International Vine and Wine Office in 1958.

² With reservation.

³ See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

⁴ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

⁶ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

WOMEN—POLITICAL RIGHTS

(See also NATIONALITY)

Inter-American convention on the granting of political rights to women. Done at Bogota May 2, 1948; entered into force March 17, 1949; for the United States May 24, 1976. 27 UST 3301; TIAS 8365.

States which are parties:

Argentina

Bolivia
 Brazil
 Canada
 Chile
 Colombia
 Costa Rica
 Cuba
 Dominica
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 El Salvador
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Mexico
 Nicaragua
 Panama
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Suriname
 United States
 Uruguay
 Venezuela

Convention on the political rights of women. Done at New York March 31, 1953; entered into force July 7, 1954; for the United States July 7, 1976.

27 UST 1909; TIAS 8289; 193 UNTS 135.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan
 Albania^{1 2}
 Angola
 Antigua & Barbuda¹
 Argentina¹
 Australia¹
 Austria¹
 Bahamas, The
 Bangladesh²
 Barbados
 Belarus^{1 2}
 Belgium
 Belize³
 Bolivia
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Brazil
 Brunei³
 Bulgaria²
 Burundi
 Canada^{1 4}
 Central African Rep.
 Chile
 China (Taiwan)^{4 5}
 Colombia
 Congo
 Congo, Dem. Rep.
 Costa Rica
 Cote d'Ivoire
 Croatia
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czech Rep.
 Denmark^{1 4}
 Dominica³
 Dominican Rep.⁴
 Ecuador¹
 Egypt
 Ethiopia^{4 6}
 Fiji¹
 Finland¹
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
 France
 Gabon
 German Dem. Rep.^{1 2 7}
 Germany, Fed. Rep.^{1 7}

Ghana
 Greece
 Grenada³
 Guatemala¹
 Guinea
 Haiti
 Hong Kong⁸
 Hungary²
 Iceland
 India¹
 Indonesia¹
 Ireland¹
 Israel⁴
 Italy¹
 Jamaica
 Japan
 Jordan
 Kazakhstan
 Kiribati³
 Korea⁴
 Kyrgyz Rep.
 Laos
 Latvia
 Lebanon
 Lesotho¹
 Libya
 Luxembourg
 Madagascar
 Malawi
 Mali
 Malta¹
 Mauritania
 Mauritius¹
 Mexico
 Moldova
 Mongolia²
 Morocco¹
 Nepal¹
 Netherlands¹
 New Zealand¹
 Nicaragua
 Niger
 Nigeria
 Norway⁴
 Pakistan^{1 4}
 Papua New Guinea
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Philippines⁴
 Poland^{1 2}
 Romania^{1 2}
 Russian Fed.
 St. Kitts & Nevis³
 St. Lucia³
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines
 Senegal
 Seychelles³
 Sierra Leone¹
 Slovak Rep.^{1 2 4}
 Slovenia
 Solomon Is.¹
 Spain²
 Suriname³
 Swaziland¹
 Sweden⁴
 Tajikistan
 Tanzania
 Thailand
 Tonga³
 Trinidad & Tobago
 Tunisia¹
 Turkey
 Turkmenistan
 Tuvalu³
 Uganda

WOMEN—POLITICAL RIGHTS (Cont'd)

Ukraine^{1 2}
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.^{1 2 9}
 United Kingdom^{1 10}
 United States
 Uzbekistan
 Venezuela¹
 Yemen (Aden)¹¹
 Yugoslavia^{4 12}
 Zambia
 Zimbabwe

NOTES:

- ¹ With reservation(s).
² With declaration(s).
³ See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
⁴ With statement(s).
⁵ See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.
⁶ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.
⁷ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁸ CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.
⁹ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
¹⁰ Extended to territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.
¹¹ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
¹² See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

WORLD BANK

(See under FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS)

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

(See HEALTH)

WORLD HERITAGE

Convention concerning the protection of the world cultural and natural heritage. Done at Paris November 23, 1972; entered into force December 17, 1975.

27 UST 37; TIAS 8226.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan
 Albania
 Algeria
 Andorra
 Angola
 Antigua & Barbuda
 Argentina
 Armenia
 Australia

Austria
 Azerbaijan
 Bahrain
 Bangladesh
 Belarus
 Belgium
 Belize
 Benin
 Bolivia
 Bosnia-Herzegovina
 Botswana
 Brazil¹
 Bulgaria¹
 Burkina Faso
 Burma
 Burundi
 Cambodia
 Cameroon
 Canada
 Cape Verde²
 Central African Rep.
 Chile
 China³
 Colombia
 Comoros
 Congo
 Congo, Dem. Rep.
 Costa Rica
 Cote d'Ivoire
 Croatia
 Cuba
 Cyprus
 Czech Rep.
 Denmark¹
 Dominica
 Dominican Rep.
 Ecuador
 Egypt
 El Salvador
 Estonia
 Ethiopia⁴
 Fiji
 Finland
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
 France¹
 Gabon
 Gambia
 Georgia
 German Dem. Rep.⁵
 Germany, Fed. Rep.⁵
 Ghana
 Greece
 Grenada
 Guatemala
 Guinea
 Guyana
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Hungary
 Iceland
 India
 Indonesia
 Iran
 Iraq
 Ireland
 Israel
 Italy
 Jamaica
 Japan
 Jordan
 Kazakhstan
 Kenya
 Kiribati
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.
 Korea, Rep.

Kyrgyz Rep.
 Laos
 Latvia
 Lebanon
 Libya
 Lithuania
 Luxembourg
 Madagascar
 Malawi
 Malaysia
 Maldives
 Mali
 Malta
 Mauritania
 Mauritius
 Mexico
 Monaco
 Mongolia
 Morocco
 Mozambique
 Namibia
 Nepal
 Netherlands⁶
 New Zealand⁷
 Nicaragua
 Niger
 Nigeria
 Norway¹
 Oman¹
 Pakistan
 Panama
 Papua New Guinea
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Philippines
 Poland
 Portugal
 Qatar
 Romania
 Russian Fed.
 St. Kitts & Nevis
 St. Lucia
 San Marino
 Saudi Arabia
 Senegal
 Seychelles
 Slovak Rep.
 Slovenia
 Solomon Is.
 South Africa⁸
 Spain
 Sri Lanka
 Sudan
 Suriname
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 Syrian Arab Rep.²
 Tajikistan
 Tanzania
 Thailand
 Togo
 Tunisia
 Turkey
 Turkmenistan
 Uganda
 Ukraine
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.⁹
 United Kingdom¹⁰
 United States¹
 Uruguay
 Uzbekistan
 Vatican City
 Venezuela
 Vietnam
 Yemen (Aden)¹¹

WORLD HERITAGE (Cont'd)

Yemen (Sanaa)¹¹
Yugoslavia¹²
Zambia
Zimbabwe

NOTES:

¹ With reservation.

² With statement.

³ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

⁴ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

⁵ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

⁶ For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

⁷ Extended to Cook Is. and Niue.

⁸ With declaration(s).

⁹ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

¹⁰ Extended to the Isle of Man, Anguilla, Bailiwick of Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is., and United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia on the Island of Cyprus.

¹¹ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

¹² See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

WORLD INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANIZATION (See INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY)

WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION

Convention of the World Meteorological Organization, with related protocol. Done at Washington October 11, 1947; entered into force March 23, 1950.

1 UST 281; TIAS 2052; 77 UNTS 143.

Members:

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Angola
Antigua & Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia¹
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bahamas, The
Bahrain

Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bolivia
Bosnia-Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
British Caribbean Territories
Brunei
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Rep.
Chad
Chile
China^{2,3}
Colombia
Comoros
Congo
Congo, Dem. Rep.
Cook Is.
Costa Rica
Cote d'Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Rep.
Denmark⁴
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Rep.
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Eritrea
Estonia
Ethiopia⁵
Fiji
Finland
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
France⁶
French Polynesia
Gabon
Gambia, The
Georgia
German Dem. Rep.⁷
Germany, Fed. Rep.⁷
Ghana
Greece
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hong Kong
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan

Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.
Korea, Rep.
Kuwait
Kyrgyz Rep.
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia
Libya
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia
Maldives
Mali
Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Micronesia
Moldova
Monaco
Mongolia
Morocco
Mozambique
Namibia
Nepal
Netherlands
Netherlands Antilles (Curacao)⁸
New Caledonia
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Niue
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal⁹
Qatar
Romania
Rwanda
St. Lucia
Sao Tome & Principe
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovak Rep.
Slovenia
Solomon Is.
Somalia
South Africa¹⁰
Spain¹¹
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Rep.
Tajikistan
Tanzania

WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION (Cont'd)

Thailand
Togo
Tonga
Trinidad & Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Uganda
Ukraine
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.¹²
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom¹³
United States
Uruguay
Uzbekistan
Vanuatu
Venezuela
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.
Western Samoa
Yemen (Aden)¹⁴
Yemen (Sanaa)¹⁴
Yugoslavia¹⁵
Zambia
Zimbabwe

Amendments:

April 11, 1963 (16 UST 2069; TIAS 5947).
April 27, 1963 (16 UST 2073; TIAS 5947).
April 11 and 26, 1967 (18 UST 2795; TIAS 6364).
April 26, 1967 (18 UST 2800; TIAS 6364).
April 28–May 25, 1975 (26 UST 2580; TIAS 8175).

NOTES:

- ¹ Extended to Norfolk Is.
² With reservation.
³ Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
⁴ Including Greenland.
⁵ See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.
⁶ Extended to French Guiana, French West Indies, Reunion, Valleys of Andorra, St. Pierre and Miquelon.
⁷ See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
⁸ Also applicable to Aruba.
⁹ Extended to all Portuguese territories.
¹⁰ Extended to Namibia.
¹¹ Extended to African territories and Valleys of Andorra.
¹² See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
¹³ Extended to Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar.
¹⁴ See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
¹⁵ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

WORLD WAR II (See also ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS; PEACE TREATIES; REPARATIONS; WAR CRIMINALS)

Agreement regarding Japan. Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945; entered into force February 11, 1945.
59 Stat. 1823; EAS 498; 3 Bevens 1022.

Protocol of the proceedings of the Crimea conference. Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945; entered into force February 11, 1945.

3 Bevens 1013; *Foreign Relations: The Conferences at Malta and Yalta*, 1945, p. 975 ff.

Protocol of the proceedings of the Berlin conference. Signed at Berlin August 2, 1945; entered into force August 2, 1945.

3 Bevens 1207; *Foreign Relations: Conference of Berlin (Potsdam) 1945*, Vol. II, p. 1478 ff.

Communique on the Moscow conference of Foreign Ministers. Signed at Moscow December 27, 1945; entered into force December 27, 1945.

60 Stat. 1899; TIAS 1555; 3 Bevens 1341; 20 UNTS 259.

States which are parties:

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.¹
United Kingdom
United States

NOTE:

¹ See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.