

**Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of
Greece and Turkey**

Done: London October 17, 1951

Opened For Signature:

Entry into Force: February 15, 1952

In accordance with Article III, the Protocol entered into force when each of the Parties to the North Atlantic Treaty notified the Government of the United States of America of its acceptance of the Protocol.

Note: Article II of the Protocol states:

If the Republic of Turkey becomes a Party to the North Atlantic Treaty, Article 6 of the Treaty shall, as from the date of the deposit by the Government of the Republic of Turkey of its instrument of accession with the Government of the United States of America, be modified to read as follows:—
“For the purpose of Article 5, an armed attack on one or more of the Parties is deemed to include an armed attack— (i) on the territory of any of the Parties in Europe or North America, on the Algerian Departments of France, on the territory of Turkey or on the islands under the jurisdiction of any of the Parties in the North Atlantic area north of the Tropic of Cancer; (ii) on the forces, vessels or aircraft of any of the Parties, when in or over these territories or any other area in Europe in which occupation forces of any of the Parties were stationed on the date when the Treaty entered into force or the Mediterranean Sea or the North Atlantic area north of the Tropic of Cancer.”

The Republic of Turkey deposited its instrument of accession to the North Atlantic Treaty on February 18, 1952.

Legend: (no mark) = ratification; **a**= accession; **d**= succession; **c** = acceptance; **p**= approval; **h**=adherence

Participant	Signature	Consent to be Bound		EIF date	Note
Belgium	October 17, 1951	February 14, 1952		February 15, 1952	
Canada	October 17, 1951	January 21, 1952	c	February 15, 1952	
Denmark	October 22, 1951	February 2, 1952		February 15, 1952	
France	October 22, 1951	February 14, 1952		February 15, 1952	
Iceland	October 17, 1951	January 29, 1952	c	February 15, 1952	
Italy	October 22, 1951	February 15, 1952	c	February 15, 1952	
Luxembourg	October 22, 1951	February 5, 1952		February 15, 1952	
Netherlands	October 17, 1951	February 7, 1952	c	February 15, 1952	
Norway	October 17, 1951	January 24, 1952	c	February 15, 1952	
Portugal	October 17, 1951	February 8, 1952	c	February 15, 1952	
United Kingdom	October 17, 1951	December 6, 1951	c	February 15, 1952	
United States	October 17, 1951	February 11, 1952		February 15, 1952	