The Secretary of State, in performance of the depositary duties of the United States of America, communicates the following:

On March 10, 2023, the Republic of Croatia deposited an instrument of accession to the Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in the Exploration and Use of Outer Space, Including the Moon and other Celestial Bodies.

The Treaty entered into force for the Republic of Croatia in accordance with Article XIV, paragraph 4 of the Treaty, which reads: "For States whose instruments of ratification or accession are deposited subsequent to the entry into force of this Treaty, it shall enter into force on the date of the deposit of their instruments of ratification or accession."

Washington, March 13, 2023