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PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL DISPUTES

Revised General Act for the Pacific Settlement of International Disputes New York, 28 April 1949	20 September 1950		8		
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PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES, DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR RELATIONS, ETC.

Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations New York, 13 February 1946	17 September 1946		151		10 May 1967 a
Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies New York, 21 November 1947	2 December 1948		113		10 May 1967 a
Annex I - International Labour Organisation (ILO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies San Francisco, 10 July 1948	16 August 1949 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex II - Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Washington, 29 November 1948	16 August 1949 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Revised text of Annex II - Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Rome, 20 November 1959	2 August 1960 (registration)	-	-	-	
Second revised text of Annex II - Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Rome, 8 December 1965	3 March 1966 (registration)	-	-	-	
Annex III - International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Geneva, 21 June 1948	16 August 1949 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex IV - United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Paris, 7 February 1949	16 August 1949 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex V - International Monetary Fund (IMF) - to the Convention on the	16 August	-	-	-	10 May 1967

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Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Washington, 11 April 1949	1949 (registration)				(application)
Annex VI - International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Washington, 19 April 1949	16 August 1949 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex VII - World Health Organization (WHO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Geneva, 17 July 1948	16 August 1949 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Revised text of Annex VII - World Health Organization (WHO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Geneva, 26 May 1950	14 September 1950 (registration)	-	-	-	
Second revised text of Annex VII - World Health Organization (WHO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Geneva, 27 May 1957	22 August 1957 (registration)	-	-	-	
Third revised text of Annex VII - World Health Organization (WHO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Minneapolis, 17 July 1958	27 October 1958 (registration)	-	-	-	
Annex VIII - Universal Postal Union (UPU) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Geneva, 25 May 1949	16 August 1949 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex IX - International Telecommunication Union (ITU) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Geneva, 6 October 1950	16 January 1951 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex XI - World Meteorological Organization (WMO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Paris, 17 April 1951	29 December 1951 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex XII - International Maritime Organization (IMO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies London, 16 January 1959	12 February 1959 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Revised text of Annex XII - International Maritime Organization (IMO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies London, 16 May 1968	13 September 1968 (registration)	-	-	-	27 Dec 1967 (application)
Second Revised text of Annex XII - International Maritime Organization (IMO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies London, 22 November 2001	8 April 2002 (registration)	-	-	-	

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Annex XIII - International Finance Corporation (IFC) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Washington, 2 April 1959	22 April 1959 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex XIV - International Development Association (IDA) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Washington, 13 February 1962	15 February 1962 (registration)	-	-	-	10 May 1967 (application)
Annex XV - World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Geneva, 4 October 1977	19 October 1977 (registration)	-	-	-	
Annex XVI - International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Rome, 16 December 1977	16 December 1977 (registration)	-	-	-	
Annex XVII - United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) - to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies Vienna, 3 July 1987	15 September 1987 (registration)	-	-	-	
Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations Vienna, 18 April 1961	24 April 1964	60	184	18 Apr 1961	10 May 1967
Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations, concerning Acquisition of Nationality Vienna, 18 April 1961	24 April 1964	18	51		
Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations, concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes Vienna, 18 April 1961	24 April 1964	29	64	18 Apr 1961	
Vienna Convention on Consular Relations Vienna, 24 April 1963	19 March 1967	48	170	24 Apr 1963	10 May 1967
Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations concerning Acquisition of Nationality Vienna, 24 April 1963	19 March 1967	18	39		
Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes Vienna, 24 April 1963	19 March 1967	37	45	24 Apr 1963	
Convention on special missions New York, 8 December 1969	21 June 1985	12	37		
Optional Protocol to the Convention on Special Missions concerning the compulsory settlement of disputes	21 June 1985	8	16		

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New York, 8 December 1969					
Vienna Convention on the Representation of States in their Relations with International Organizations of a Universal Character Vienna, 14 March 1975	Not yet in force	20	32		
Vienna Convention on Succession of States in Respect of State Property, Archives and Debts Vienna, 8 April 1983	Not yet in force	6	7		
United Nations Convention on Jurisdictional Immunities of States and Their Property New York, 2 December 2004	Not yet in force	18	1		

HUMAN RIGHTS

Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide New York, 9 December 1948	12 January 1951	41	138		22 Jun 1976 a
International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination New York, 7 March 1966	4 January 1969	84	170	21 Mar 1968	29 Dec 2000
Amendment to article 8 of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination New York, 15 January 1992	Not yet in force		41		29 Dec 2000 (acceptance)
International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights New York, 16 December 1966	3 January 1976	66	153	1 Oct 1973	8 Dec 1989
International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights New York, 16 December 1966	23 March 1976	67	156	1 Oct 1973	8 Dec 1989
Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights New York, 16 December 1966	23 March 1976	34	105		8 Dec 1989 a
Convention on the non-applicability of statutory limitations to war crimes and crimes against humanity New York, 26 November 1968	11 November 1970	9	49		
International Convention on the Suppression and Punishment of the Crime of Apartheid New York, 30 November 1973	18 July 1976	31	106		
Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women	3 September	98	182		23 Dec 1985 a

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New York, 18 December 1979	1981				
Amendment to article 20, paragraph 1 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women New York, 22 December 1995	Not yet in force		48		11 Jun 2004 (acceptance)
Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women New York, 6 October 1999	22 December 2000	76	78	7 Sep 2000	7 Sep 2000
Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment New York, 10 December 1984	26 June 1987	74	141	28 Sep 1992	11 Apr 2002
Amendments to articles 17 (7) and 18 (5) of the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment New York, 8 September 1992	Not yet in force		27		
Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment New York, 18 December 2002	Not yet in force	50	18		
International Convention against Apartheid in Sports New York, 10 December 1985	3 April 1988	72	58		
Convention on the Rights of the Child New York, 20 November 1989	2 September 1990	140	192	30 Sep 1990	28 Sep 1992
Amendment to article 43 (2) of the Convention on the Rights of the Child New York, 12 December 1995	18 November 2002		141		18 Nov 2002 (acceptance)
Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the involvement of children in armed conflict New York, 25 May 2000	12 February 2002	121	107	7 Sep 2000	18 Nov 2002
Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography New York, 25 May 2000	18 January 2002	114	107	7 Sep 2000	
Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty New York, 15 December 1989	11 July 1991	33	57		18 Jun 1993 a
International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families New York, 18 December 1990	1 July 2003	27	34		
Agreement establishing the Fund for the Development of the Indigenous Peoples	4 August 1993	23	22		

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of Latin America and the Caribbean Madrid, 24 July 1992					
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REFUGEES AND STATELESS PERSONS

Convention relating to the Status of Refugees Geneva, 28 July 1951	22 April 1954	19	143		29 Nov 1956 a
Convention relating to the status of Stateless Persons New York, 28 September 1954	6 June 1960	22	59		17 Dec 1962 a
Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness New York, 30 August 1961	13 December 1975	5	31		18 Jan 1973 a
Protocol relating to the Status of Refugees New York, 31 January 1967	4 October 1967		143		6 Nov 1968 a

NARCOTIC DRUGS AND PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES

Protocol amending the Agreements, Conventions and Protocols on Narcotic Drugs, concluded at The Hague on 23 January 1912, at Geneva on 11 February 1925 and 19 February 1925, and 13 July 1931, at Bangkok on 27 November 1931 and at Geneva on 26 June 1936 Lake Success, New York, 11 December 1946	11 December 1946	24	63		18 Feb 1948 (acceptance)
Protocol Bringing under International Control Drugs Outside the Scope of the Convention of 13 July 1931 for Limiting the Manufacture and Regulating the Distribution of Narcotic Drugs, as amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 11 December 1946	1 December 1949	39	88		11 Aug 1952 a
Protocol for Limiting and Regulating the Cultivation of the Poppy Plant, the Production of, International and Wholesale Trade in, and use of Opium New York, 23 June 1953	8 March 1963	33	51		
Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961 New York, 30 March 1961	13 December 1964	61	151		16 Dec 1980 a
Convention on psychotropic substances Vienna, 21 February 1971	16 August 1976	34	179		7 Aug 1992 a
Protocol amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961	8 August 1975	54	123		16 Dec 1980 a

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Geneva, 25 March 1972					
Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961, as amended by the Protocol amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961 New York, 8 August 1975	8 August 1975		180		16 Dec 1980
United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Vienna, 20 December 1988	11 November 1990	87	179	14 Dec 1989	3 Sep 1996

TRAFFIC IN PERSONS

Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 12 November 1947, to amend the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women and Children, concluded at Geneva on 30 September 1921, and the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women of Full Age, concluded at Geneva on 11 October 1933 Lake Success, New York, 12 November 1947	12 November 1947	8	42		19 Jul 1961 a
International Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women and Children, concluded at Geneva on 30 September 1921, as amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 12 November 1947 Lake Success, 12 November 1947	24 April 1950		45	19 Jul 1961	
International Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women of Full Age, concluded at Geneva on 11 October 1933, as amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 12 November 1947 Lake Success, 12 November 1947	24 April 1950		31	19 Jul 1961	
Protocol amending the International Agreement for the Suppression of the White Slave Traffic, signed at Paris on 18 May 1904, and the International Convention for the Suppression of the White Slave Traffic, signed at Paris on 4 May 1910 Lake Success, New York, 4 May 1949	4 May 1949	13	33		19 Jul 1961 a
International Agreement for the Suppression of the White Slave Traffic, signed at Paris on 18 May 1904, amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, 4 May 1949 Lake Success, New York, 4 May 1949	21 June 1951			19 Jul 1961	
International Convention for the Suppression of the White Slave Traffic, signed at Paris on 4 May 1910, amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, 4 May 1949	14 August 1951		53	19 Jul 1961	

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Lake Success, New York, 4 May 1949					
Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others Lake Success, New York, 21 March 1950	25 July 1951	24	79		
Final Protocol to the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others Lake Success, New York, 21 March 1950	25 July 1951	26	38		

OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS

Protocol to amend the Convention for the suppression of the circulation of, and traffic in, obscene publications, concluded at Geneva on 12 September 1923 Lake Success, New York, 12 November 1947	12 November 1947	6	34		28 Feb 1952 a
Convention for the Suppression of the Circulation of, and Traffic in, Obscene Publications, concluded at Geneva on 12 September 1923 and amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 12 November 1947 New York, 12 November 1947	2 February 1950		55	28 Feb 1952	
Protocol amending the Agreement for the Suppression of the Circulation of Obscene Publications, signed at Paris, on 4 May 1910 Lake Success, New York, 4 May 1949	4 May 1949	15	35		28 Feb 1952 a
Agreement for the Suppression of the Circulation of Obscene Publications, signed at Paris on 4 May 1910, amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, 4 May 1949 New York, 4 May 1949	1 March 1950		56	28 Feb 1952	

HEALTH

Constitution of the World Health Organization New York, 22 July 1946	7 April 1948	59	192	22 Jul 1946	20 Oct 1947 a
Amendments to articles 24 and 25 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization Geneva, 28 May 1959	25 October 1960		All members		15 Oct 1960 (acceptance)
Amendment to article 7 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization	Not yet in		96		

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Geneva, 20 May 1965	force				
Amendments to articles 24 and 25 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization Geneva, 23 May 1967	21 May 1975		All members		3 Mar 1975 (acceptance)
Amendments to articles 34 and 55 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization Geneva, 22 May 1973	3 February 1977		All members		3 Mar 1975 (acceptance)
Amendments to articles 24 and 25 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization Geneva, 17 May 1976	20 January 1984		All members		16 Feb 1982 (acceptance)
Amendment to article 74 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization Geneva, 18 May 1978	Not yet in force		105		26 Jun 2002 (acceptance)
Amendments to articles 24 and 25 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization Geneva, 12 May 1986	11 July 1994		All members		6 Oct 1993 (acceptance)
Amendments to articles 24 and 25 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization Geneva, 16 May 1998	15 September 2005		All members		26 Jun 2002 (acceptance)
Protocol concerning the Office international d'hygiène publique New York, 22 July 1946	20 October 1947	42	55	22 Jul 1946	20 Oct 1947 a
Agreement on the establishment of the International Vaccine Institute New York, 28 October 1996	29 May 1997	33	15		
WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control Geneva, 21 May 2003	27 February 2005	168	126	16 Sep 2003	7 Nov 2005

INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

Agreement establishing the African Development Bank Khartoum, 4 August 1963	10 September 1964	31	52		
Amendments to the Agreement establishing the African Development Bank Abidjan, 17 May 1979	7 May 1982		48		
Agreement establishing the African Development Bank done at Khartoum on 4 August 1963, as amended by resolution 05-79 adopted by the Board of Governors on 17 May 1979	7 May 1982	24	74		

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Lusaka, 7 May 1982					
Convention on Transit Trade of Land-locked States New York, 8 July 1965	9 June 1967	27	37		
Agreement establishing the Asian Development Bank Manila, 4 December 1965	22 August 1966	30	46		
Articles of Association for the establishment of an Economic Community of West Africa Accra, 4 May 1967	4 May 1967		12		
Agreement establishing the Caribbean Development Bank Kingston, 18 October 1969	26 January 1970	18	27		
Convention on the Limitation Period in the International Sale of Goods New York, 14 June 1974	1 August 1988	12	26		
Protocol amending the Convention on the Limitation Period in the International Sale of Goods Vienna, 11 April 1980	1 August 1988		15		
Convention on the Limitation Period in the International Sale of Goods, as amended by the Protocol of 11 April 1980 New York, 14 June 1974	1 August 1988		19		
Agreement establishing the International Fund for Agricultural Development Rome, 13 June 1976	30 November 1977	77	161	28 Apr 1977	14 Oct 1977
Constitution of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization Vienna, 8 April 1979	21 June 1985			5 Oct 1979	17 Jul 1984
United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods Vienna, 11 April 1980	1 January 1988	18	67		
Charter of the Asian and Pacific Development Centre Bangkok, 1 April 1982	1 July 1983	3	17		
Amendments to the Charter of the Asian and Pacific Development Centre Kuala Lumpur, 16 July 1998	Not yet in force		5		
United Nations Convention on International Bills of Exchange and International Promissory Notes New York, 9 December 1988	Not yet in force	3	5		
United Nations Convention on the Liability of Operators of Transport Terminals in International Trade Vienna, 17 April 1991	Not yet in force	5	4		
Agreement to establish the South Centre	30 July 1995	39	34		

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Geneva, 1 September 1994					
United Nations Convention on Independent Guarantees and Stand-by Letters of Credit New York, 11 December 1995	1 January 2000	4	8		
Agreement Establishing the Bank for Economic Cooperation and Development in the Middle East and North Africa Cairo, 28 August 1996	Not yet in force	9	3		
United Nations Convention on the Assignment of Receivables in International Trade New York, 12 December 2001	Not yet in force	3	1		

TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS – Customs Matters

International Convention to Facilitate the Importation of Commercial Samples and Advertising Material Geneva, 7 November 1952	20 November 1955	6	64		23 Apr 1959 a
Convention concerning Customs Facilities for Touring New York, 4 June 1954	11 September 1957	32	77		14 Aug 1967 a
Additional Protocol to the Convention concerning Customs Facilities for Touring, relating to the Importation of Tourist Publicity Documents and Material New York, 4 June 1954	28 June 1956	25	72		14 Aug 1967 a
Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation of Private Road Vehicles New York, 4 June 1954	15 December 1957	32	78		14 Aug 1967 a
Customs Convention on Containers Geneva, 18 May 1956	4 August 1959	12	43		7 Jul 1967 a
Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation of Commercial Road Vehicles Geneva, 18 May 1956	8 April 1959	12	40		26 Jul 1967 a
Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation for Private Use of Aircraft and Pleasure Boats Geneva, 18 May 1956	1 January 1959	11	25		
Customs Convention concerning spare parts used for repairing EUROP wagons Geneva, 15 January 1958	1 January 1961	8	9		
Customs Convention on the International Transport of Goods under Cover of TIR Carnets (TIR Convention)	7 January 1960	9	37		7 Jul 1967 a

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Geneva, 15 January 1959					
European Convention on Customs Treatment of Pallets used in International Transport Geneva, 9 December 1960	12 June 1962	8	28		
Customs Convention on Containers, 1972 Geneva, 2 December 1972	6 December 1975	15	33		
Customs Convention on the International Transport of Goods under Cover of TIR Carnets (TIR Convention) Geneva, 14 November 1975	20 March 1978	16	66	30 Dec 1976	20 Dec 1982
International Convention on the Harmonization of Frontier Controls of Goods Geneva, 21 October 1982	15 October 1985	13	48	1 Feb 1984	12 Jun 1987
Convention on Customs Treatment of Pool Containers used in International Transport Geneva, 21 January 1994	17 January 1998	7	14		

TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS – Road Traffic

Convention on Road Traffic Geneva, 19 September 1949	26 March 1952	19	91		31 May 1962 a
Protocol concerning countries or territories at present occupied Geneva, 19 September 1949	26 March 1952	17	19		
Protocol on Road Signs and Signals Geneva, 19 September 1949	20 December 1953	14	37		
European Agreement supplementing the 1949 Convention on road traffic and the 1949 Protocol on road signs and signals Geneva, 16 September 1950	20 December 1953	4	13		
European Agreement on the application of article 3 of annex 7 of the 1949 Convention on Road Traffic Concerning the Dimensions and Weights of Vehicles Permitted to Travel on Certain Roads of the Contracting Parties Geneva, 16 September 1950	23 April 1954	2	2		
European Agreement on the application of article 23 of the 1949 Convention on road traffic, concerning the dimensions and weights of vehicles permitted to travel on certain roads of the Contracting Parties Geneva, 16 September 1950	1 July 1952	3	6		

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Declaration on the construction of main international traffic arteries Geneva, 16 September 1950	16 September 1950	2	26		20 May 1968 a
General Agreement on Economic Regulations for International Road transport (a) Additional Protocol (b) Protocol of Signature Geneva, 17 March 1954	Not yet in force	10	4		
Protocol relating to the adoption of Annex C.1 to the Set of Rules annexed to the General Agreement on Economic Regulations for International Road transport Geneva, 1 July 1954	Not yet in force	3	1		
Agreement on Signs for Road Works, amending the European Agreement of 16 September 1950 supplementing the 1949 Convention on Road Traffic and the 1949 Protocol on Road Signs and Signals Geneva, 16 December 1955	Not yet in force	5	12		
Convention on the Taxation of Road Vehicles for Private Use in International Traffic Geneva, 18 May 1956	18 August 1959	8	22		31 May 1962 a
Convention on the Contract for the International Carriage of Goods by Road (CMR) Geneva, 19 May 1956	2 July 1961	9	47		31 Jan 1991 a
Protocol to the Convention on the Contract for the International Carriage of Goods by Road (CMR) Geneva, 5 July 1978	28 December 1980	6	32		
Convention on the Taxation of Road Vehicles engaged in International Goods Transport Geneva, 14 December 1956	29 August 1962	5	19		31 May 1962 a
Convention on the Taxation of Road Vehicles Engaged in International Passenger Transport Geneva, 14 December 1956	29 August 1962	6	18		31 May 1962 a
European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR) Geneva, 30 September 1957	29 January 1968	9	40		
Protocol amending article 14 (3) of the European Agreement of 30 September 1957 concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR) New York, 21 August 1975	19 April 1985		20		
Protocol amending article 1 (a), article 14 (1) and article 14 (3) (b) of the European Agreement of 30 September 1957 concerning the International Carriage of	Not yet in force	9	28		

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Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR) Geneva, 28 October 1993					
European Agreement on Road Markings Geneva, 13 December 1957	10 August 1960	9	17		
Agreement concerning the Adoption of Uniform Technical Prescriptions for Wheeled Vehicles, Equipment and Parts which can be fitted and/or be used on Wheeled Vehicles and the Conditions for Reciprocal Recognition of Approvals Granted on the Basis of These Prescriptions Geneva, 20 March 1958	20 June 1959	4	41		
Agreement on Special Equipment for the Transport of Perishable Foodstuffs and on the Use of such Equipment for the International Transport of some of those Foodstuffs Geneva, 15 January 1962	Not yet in force	6	3		
European Agreement concerning the Work of Crews of Vehicles Engaged in International Road Transport (AETR) Geneva, 19 January 1962	Not yet in force	8			
Convention on Road Traffic Vienna, 8 November 1968	21 May 1977	36	63		
Convention on road signs and signals Vienna, 8 November 1968	6 June 1978	35	53		
European Agreement concerning the Work of Crews of Vehicles Engaged in International Road Transport (AETR) Geneva, 1 July 1970	5 January 1976	13	44		28 Aug 1979 a
Agreement on the International Carriage of Perishable Foodstuffs and on the Special Equipment to be used for such Carriage (ATP) Geneva, 1 September 1970	21 November 1976	7	40		22 Mar 1988 a
European Agreement supplementing the Convention on road traffic opened for signature at Vienna on 8 November 1968 Geneva, 1 May 1971	7 June 1979	12	30		
European Agreement supplementing the Convention on road signs and signals opened for signature at Vienna on 8 November 1968 Geneva, 1 May 1971	3 August 1979	12	28		
Protocol on Road Markings, additional to the European Agreement supplementing the Convention on Road Signs and Signals opened for signature at Vienna on 8 November 1968	25 April 1985	6	23		

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Geneva, 1 March 1973					
Convention on the contract for the international carriage of passengers and luggage by road (CVR) Geneva, 1 March 1973	12 April 1994	2	7		
Protocol to the Convention on the contract for the international carriage of passengers and luggage by road (CVR) Geneva, 5 July 1978	Not yet in force	1	1		
Agreement on minimum requirements for the issue and validity of driving permits (APC) Geneva, 1 April 1975	31 January 1994	1	6		
European Agreement on main international traffic arteries (AGR) Geneva, 15 November 1975	15 March 1983	7	33		
Intergovernmental Agreement on the Establishment of an Inter-African Motor Vehicle Third Party Liability Insurance Card New York, 1 October 1978	Not yet in force	1			
Convention on Civil Liability for Damage caused during Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road, Rail and Inland Navigation Vessels (CRTD) Geneva, 10 October 1989	Not yet in force	2	1		
Agreement concerning the Adoption of Uniform Conditions for Periodical Technical Inspections of Wheeled Vehicles and the Reciprocal Recognition of such Inspections Vienna, 13 November 1997	27 January 2001	23	9	13 Nov 1997	
Agreement concerning the Establishing of Global Technical Regulations for Wheeled Vehicles, Equipment and Parts which can be fitted and/or be used on Wheeled Vehicles Geneva, 25 June 1998	25 August 2000	5	27		
Agreement on International Roads in the Arab Mashreq Beirut, 10 May 2001	19 October 2003	11	7		
Intergovernmental Agreement on the Asian Highway Network Bangkok, 18 November 2003	4 July 2005	24	19		

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TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS – Transport by Rail

International Convention to facilitate the crossing of frontiers for passengers and baggage carried by rail Geneva, 10 January 1952	1 April 1953	7	10		
International Convention to facilitate the crossing of frontiers for goods carried by rail Geneva, 10 January 1952	1 April 1953	7	11		
European Agreement on Main International Railway Lines (AGC) Geneva, 31 May 1985	27 April 1989	11	24		
Agreement on International Railways in the Arab Mashreq Beirut, 14 April 2003	23 May 2005	9	4		

TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS – Water Transport

Convention relating to the limitation of the liability of owners of inland navigation vessels (CLN) Geneva, 1 March 1973	Not yet in force	2	1		
Protocol to the Convention relating to the Limitation of the Liability of Owners of Inland Navigation Vessels (CLN) Geneva, 5 July 1978	Not yet in force	1			
Convention on the contract for the international carriage of passengers and luggage by inland waterway (CVN) Geneva, 6 February 1976	Not yet in force	1	1		
Protocol to the Convention on the Contract for the International Carriage of Passengers and Luggage by Inland Waterway (CVN) Geneva, 5 July 1978	Not yet in force				
United Nations Convention on the Carriage of Goods by Sea, 1978 Hamburg, 31 March 1978	1 November 1992	28	31		
International Convention on Maritime Liens and Mortgages, 1993 Geneva, 6 May 1993	5 September 2004	11	11		
European Agreement on Main Inland Waterways of International Importance	26 July 1999	17	13		

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(AGN) Geneva, 19 January 1996					
European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (ADN) Geneva, 26 May 2000	Not yet in force	10	5		
Memorandum of Understanding on Maritime Transport Cooperation in the Arab Mashreq Damascus, 9 May 2005	Not yet in force	8	4		

TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS – Multimodal Transport

United Nations Convention on International Multimodal Transport of Goods Geneva, 24 May 1980	Not yet in force	6	11		
European Agreement on Important International Combined Transport Lines and Related Installations (AGTC) Geneva, 1 February 1991	20 October 1993	19	28		
Protocol on Combined Transport on Inland Waterways to the European Agreement on Important International Combined Transport Lines and Related Installations (AGTC) of 1991 Geneva, 17 January 1997	Not yet in force	15	7		

NAVIGATION

Convention on the International Maritime Organization Geneva, 6 March 1948	17 March 1958	24	166	6 Mar 1948	26 Feb 1951 a
Amendments to articles 17 and 18 of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization London, 15 September 1964	6 October 1967		All members		14 Jun 1965 (acceptance)
Amendment to article 28 of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization London, 28 September 1965	3 November 1968		All members		23 Jun 1966 (acceptance)
Amendments to articles 10, 16, 17, 18, 20, 28, 31 and 32 of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization	1 April 1978		All members		

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London, 17 October 1974					
Amendments to the title and substantive provisions of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization London, 14 November 1975 and 9 November 1977	22 May 1982		All members		27 Oct 1981 (acceptance)
Amendments to the Convention on the International Maritime Organization relating to the institutionalization of the Committee on Technical Co-operation in the Convention London, 17 November 1977	10 November 1984		All members		27 Oct 1981 (acceptance)
Amendments to articles 17, 18, 20 and 51 of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization London, 15 November 1979	10 November 1984		All members		27 Oct 1981 (acceptance)
Amendments to the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, (institutionalization of the Facilitation Committee) London, 7 November 1991	Not yet in force		98		25 Sep 2003 (acceptance)
Amendments to the Convention on the International Maritime Organization London, 4 November 1993	7 November 2002		All members		16 Nov 1998 (acceptance)
Convention regarding the Measurement and Registration of Vessels Employed in Inland Navigation Bangkok, 22 June 1956	Not yet in force	4			
Convention relating to the unification of certain rules concerning collisions in inland navigation Geneva, 15 March 1960	13 September 1966	5	11		
Convention on the registration of inland navigation vessels Geneva, 25 January 1965	24 June 1982	7	7		
Convention on the measurement of inland navigation vessels Geneva, 15 February 1966	19 April 1975	7	14		
Convention on a Code of Conduct for Liner Conferences Geneva, 6 April 1974	6 October 1983	22	80		
United Nations Convention on Conditions for Registration of Ships Geneva, 7 February 1986	Not yet in force	14	14		
International Convention on Arrest of Ships, 1999 Geneva, 12 March 1999	Not yet in force	6	7		

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ECONOMIC STATISTICS

Protocol amending the International Convention relating to Economic Statistics, signed at Geneva on 14 December 1928 Paris, 9 December 1948	9 December 1948	8	19		28 Feb 1952 a
International Convention relating to economic statistics, signed at Geneva on 14 December 1928, amended by the Protocol signed at Paris on 9 December 1948 Paris, 9 December 1948	9 October 1950		26	28 Feb 1952	

EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL MATTERS

Agreement for Facilitating the International Circulation of Visual and Auditory Materials of an Educational, Scientific and Cultural Character Lake Success, New York, 15 July 1949	12 August 1954	16	37		
Agreement on the importation of educational, scientific and cultural materials Lake Success, New York, 22 November 1950	21 May 1952	28	96		19 Sep 1978 a
International Convention for the Protection of Performers, Producers of Phonograms and Broadcasting Organisations Rome, 26 October 1961	18 May 1964	26	83	30 Jun 1962	19 Jun 1979
Convention for the Protection of Producers of Phonograms against Unauthorized Duplication of their Phonograms Geneva, 29 October 1971	18 April 1973	32	75		
Protocol to the Agreement on the Importation of Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials of 22 November 1950 Nairobi, 26 November 1976	2 January 1982	13	41	18 Jun 1980	18 Jun 1980
International Agreement for the Establishment of the University for Peace New York, 5 December 1980	7 April 1981		37		
Statutes of the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology Madrid, 13 September 1983	3 February 1994	45	54		
Protocol of the Reconvened Plenipotentiary Meeting on the Establishment of the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology Vienna, 4 April 1984	3 February 1994	7	33		
Amendments to Articles 6 (6) and 7 (1) of the Statutes of the International Centre	Not yet in		4		

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for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology Trieste, Italy, 3 December 1996	force				
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DECLARATION OF DEATH OF MISSING PERSONS

Convention on the declaration of death of missing persons Lake Success, New York, 6 April 1950	24 January 1952		6		
Protocol for extending the period of validity of the Convention on the Declaration of Death of Missing Persons New York, 16 January 1957	22 January 1957		6		
Protocol for the further extension of the period of validity of the Convention on the Declaration of Death of Missing Persons New York, 15 January 1967	24 January 1967		5		

STATUS OF WOMEN

Convention on the Political Rights of Women New York, 31 March 1953	7 July 1954	47	119		14 Nov 1968 a
Convention on the Nationality of Married Women New York, 20 February 1957	11 August 1958	29	73	24 Sep 1957	25 Nov 1957
Convention on Consent to Marriage, Minimum Age for Marriage and Registration of Marriages New York, 10 December 1962	9 December 1964	16	53		

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

Convention on the International Right of Correction New York, 31 March 1953	24 August 1962	12	16		
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PENAL MATTERS

Protocol amending the Slavery Convention signed at Geneva on 25 September 1926 New York, 7 December 1953	7 December 1953	11	59		31 Aug 1961 a
Slavery Convention, signed at Geneva on 25 September 1926 and amended by the Protocol New York, 7 December 1953	7 July 1955		95	31 Aug 1961	
Supplementary Convention on the Abolition of Slavery, the Slave Trade, and Institutions and Practices Similar to Slavery Geneva, 7 September 1956	30 April 1957	35	119		18 Sep 1961 a
International Convention Against the Taking of Hostages New York, 17 December 1979	3 June 1983	39	153		30 Jun 2005 a
International Convention Against the Recruitment, Use, Financing and Training of Mercenaries New York, 4 December 1989	20 October 2001	16	28		
Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of Crimes against Internationally Protected Persons, including Diplomatic Agents New York, 14 December 1973	20 February 1977	25	161		30 Jun 2005 a
Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel New York, 9 December 1994	15 January 1999	43	80		28 Mar 2002 a
Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel New York, 8 December 2005	Not yet in force	7	1		
International Convention for the Suppression of Terrorist Bombings New York, 15 December 1997	23 May 2001	58	146	29 May 1998	30 Jun 2005
Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court Rome, 17 July 1998	1 July 2002	139	100	7 Oct 1998	11 Apr 2002
International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism New York, 9 December 1999	10 April 2002	132	153	15 Oct 2001	30 Jun 2005
United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime New York, 15 November 2000	29 September 2003	147	119	13 Dec 2000	
Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against	25 December 2003	117	97	13 Dec 2000	

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Transnational Organized Crime New York, 15 November 2000					
Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime New York, 15 November 2000	28 January 2004	112	89	13 Dec 2000	
Protocol against the Illicit Manufacturing of and Trafficking in Firearms, Their Parts and Components and Ammunition, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime New York, 31 May 2001	3 July 2005	52	52		
Agreement on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Criminal Court New York, 9 September 2002	22 July 2004	62	38	9 Sep 2003	
United Nations Convention against Corruption New York, 31 October 2003	14 December 2005	140	52	9 Dec 2003	
International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism New York, 13 April 2005	Not yet in force	104	2	15 Sep 2005	

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MAINTENANCE OBLIGATIONS

Convention on the Recovery Abroad of Maintenance New York, 20 June 1956	25 May 1957	24	61		26 Oct 1995 a
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LAW OF THE SEA

Convention on the Territorial Sea and the Contiguous Zone Geneva, 29 April 1958	10 September 1964	41	51	2 Oct 1958	
Convention on the High Seas Geneva, 29 April 1958	30 September 1962	46	62	2 Oct 1958	
Convention on Fishing and Conservation of the Living Resources of the High Seas Geneva, 29 April 1958	20 March 1966	35	37	2 Oct 1958	
Convention on the Continental Shelf Geneva, 29 April 1958	10 June 1964	43	57	2 Oct 1958	
Optional Protocol of Signature concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes Geneva, 29 April 1958	30 September 1962	14	37		
United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea Montego Bay, 10 December 1982	16 November 1994	157	149	10 Dec 1982	21 Jun 1996
Agreement relating to the implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 New York, 28 July 1994	28 July 1996	79	123	29 Jul 1994	21 Jun 1996
Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks New York, 4 August 1995	11 December 2001	59	57	27 Jun 1996	19 Dec 2003
Agreement on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea New York, 23 May 1997	30 December 2001	21	22		
Protocol on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Seabed Authority Kingston, 27 March 1998	31 May 2003	28	17		

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COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION

Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards New York, 10 June 1958	7 June 1959	24	137		12 May 1981 a
European Convention on International Commercial Arbitration Geneva, 21 April 1961	7 January 1964	16	30		

LAW OF TREATIES

Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties Vienna, 23 May 1969	27 January 1980	45	105		
Vienna Convention on succession of States in respect of treaties Vienna, 23 August 1978	6 November 1996	19	19		
Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties between States and International Organizations or between International Organizations Vienna, 21 March 1986	Not yet in force	38	40		

OUTER SPACE

Convention on registration of objects launched into outer space New York, 12 November 1974	15 September 1976	25	48		
Agreement governing the Activities of States on the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies New York, 5 December 1979	11 July 1984	11	13		

TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Convention relating to the distribution of programme-carrying signals transmitted by satellite Brussels, 21 May 1974	25 August 1979	18	28		
Constitution of the Asia-Pacific Telecommunity Bangkok, 27 March 1976	25 February 1979	18	36		

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Amendment to article 11, paragraph 2 (a), of the Constitution of the Asia-Pacific Telecommunity Bangkok, 13 November 1981	2 January 1985		19		
Amendments to articles 3 (5) and 9 (8) of the Constitution of the Asia-Pacific Telecommunity Colombo, 29 November 1991	16 March 2000		19		
Amendments to the Constitution of the Asia-Pacific Telecommunity New Delhi, 23 October 2002	Not yet in force		17		
Agreement establishing the Asia-Pacific Institute for Broadcasting Development Kuala Lumpur, 12 August 1977	6 March 1981	14	26		
Amendments to the Agreement establishing the Asia-Pacific Institute for Broadcasting Development Islamabad, 21 July 1999	14 December 2001		18		
Tampere Convention on the Provision of Telecommunication Resources for Disaster Mitigation and Relief Operations Tampere, 18 June 1998	8 January 2005	60	35		

DISARMAMENT

Convention on the prohibition of military or any other hostile use of environmental modification techniques New York, 10 December 1976	5 October 1978	48	72	18 May 1977	16 Dec 1982
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 (with Protocols I, II and III) Geneva, 10 October 1980	2 December 1983	50	100	10 Apr 1981	13 Mar 1995
Additional Protocol to the 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 (Protocol IV, entitled Protocol on Blinding Laser Weapons) Vienna, 13 October 1995	30 July 1998		82	27 Mar 1997 consent to be bound	
Protocol on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Mines, Booby-Traps and Other Devices as amended on 3 May 1996 (Protocol II as amended on 3 May 1996) annexed to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of	3 December 1998		86	27 Mar 1997 consent to be bound	

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Certain Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects Geneva, 3 May 1996					
Amendment to the 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 Geneva, 21 December 2001	18 May 2004		44		
Protocol on Explosive Remnants of War to the 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 (Protocol V) Geneva, 28 November 2003	Not yet in force		18		
Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on their Destruction Geneva, 3 September 1992	29 April 1997	165	178	14 Jan 1993	24 Jun 1996
Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty New York, 10 September 1996	Not yet in force	176	132	24 Sep 1996	15 Jul 1999
Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on their Destruction Oslo, 18 September 1997	1 March 1999	133	151	3 Dec 1997	3 Dec 1997

ENVIRONMENT

Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution Geneva, 13 November 1979	16 March 1983	32	50	13 Nov 1979	15 Jul 1982
Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution on Long-term Financing of the Co-operative Programme for Monitoring and Evaluation of the Long-range Transmission of Air Pollutants in Europe (EMEP) Geneva, 28 September 1984	28 January 1988	22	41	4 Apr 1985	26 Jun 1987
Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution on the Reduction of Sulphur Emissions or their Transboundary Fluxes by at least 30 per cent Helsinki, 8 July 1985	2 September 1987	19	22		
Protocol to the 1979 Convention on long-range transboundary air pollution	14 February	25	30	1 May 1989	17 Oct 1994

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concerning the control of emissions of nitrogen oxides or their transboundary fluxes Sofia, 31 October 1988	1991				
Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution concerning the Control of Emissions of Volatile Organic Compounds or their Transboundary Fluxes Geneva, 18 November 1991	29 September 1997	23	21	17 Oct 1994	4 Sep 1998
Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution on Further Reduction of Sulphur Emissions Oslo, 14 June 1994	5 August 1998	28	27	17 Oct 1994	4 Sep 1998
Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution on Heavy Metals Aarhus, 24 June 1998	29 December 2003	36	28	24 Jun 1998	
Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution on Persistent Organic Pollutants Aarhus, 24 June 1998	23 October 2003	36	25	24 Jun 1998	
Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution to Abate Acidification, Eutrophication and Ground-level Ozone Gothenburg (Sweden), 30 November 1999	17 May 2005	31	20	1 Dec 1999	
Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer Vienna, 22 March 1985	22 September 1988	28	190		15 Sep 1988 a
Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Montreal, 16 September 1987	1 January 1989	46	189	15 Sep 1988	16 Dec 1988
Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer London, 29 June 1990	10 August 1992		181		20 Dec 1991 (acceptance)
Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Copenhagen, 25 November 1992	14 June 1994		172		16 Apr 1996 (acceptance)
Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer adopted by the Ninth Meeting of the Parties Montreal, 17 September 1997	10 November 1999		143		6 Oct 2005 (acceptance)
Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Beijing, 3 December 1999	25 February 2002		110		6 Oct 2005 (acceptance)
Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal Basel, 22 March 1989	5 May 1992	53	168	19 Jan 1990	7 Feb 1994

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Amendment to the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal Geneva, 22 September 1995	Not yet in force		61		
Basel Protocol on Liability and Compensation for Damage Resulting from Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal Basel, 10 December 1999	Not yet in force	13	7		
Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context Espoo, Finland, 25 February 1991	10 September 1997	30	41	27 Feb 1991	25 Jul 2002
Amendment to the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context Sofia, 27 February 2001	Not yet in force		4		
Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment to the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context Kiev, 21 May 2003	Not yet in force	37	4	21 May 2003	
Amendment to the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context Cavtat, 4 June 2004	Not yet in force		1		
Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes Helsinki, 17 March 1992	6 October 1996	26	35		
Protocol on Water and Health to the 1992 Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes London, 17 June 1999	4 August 2005	36	17		
Amendments to Articles 25 and 26 of the Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes Geneva, 17 February 2004	Not yet in force		4		
Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents Helsinki, 17 March 1992	19 April 2000	27	35		
United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change New York, 9 May 1992	21 March 1994	165	189	13 Jun 1992	20 Apr 1994
Kyoto Protocol to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change Kyoto, 11 December 1997	16 February 2005	84	163	29 Apr 1998	31 May 2002
Convention on biological diversity Rio de Janeiro, 5 June 1992	29 December 1993	168	188	13 Jun 1992	22 Mar 1996
Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety to the Convention on Biological Diversity	11 September	103	132	24 May 2000	14 Nov 2003

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Montreal, 29 January 2000	2003				
Agreement on the conservation of small cetaceans of the Baltic and North Seas New York, 17 March 1992	29 March 1994	6	10		
United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa Paris, 14 October 1994	26 December 1996	115	191	15 Oct 1994	31 Jul 1997
Lusaka Agreement on Co-operative Enforcement Operations Directed at Illegal Trade in Wild Fauna and Flora Lusaka, 8 September 1994	10 December 1996	7	7		
Convention on the Law of the Non-Navigational Uses of International Watercourses New York, 21 May 1997	Not yet in force	16	14		
Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision-Making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters Aarhus, Denmark, 25 June 1998	30 October 2001	40	39	25 Jun 1998	
Protocol on Pollutant Release and Transfer Registers Kiev, 21 May 2003	Not yet in force	37	2	21 May 2003	
Amendment to the Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision-Making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters Almaty, 27 May 2005	Not yet in force				
Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade Rotterdam, 10 September 1998	24 February 2004	73	106		10 Jun 2005 a
Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Stockholm, 22 May 2001	17 May 2004	151	124	23 May 2001	
Protocol on Civil Liability and Compensation for Damage Caused by the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents on Transboundary Waters to the 1992 Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes and to the 1992 Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents Kiev, 21 May 2003	Not yet in force	24	1		

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FISCAL MATTERS

Multilateral Convention for the Avoidance of Double Taxation of Copyright Royalties Madrid, 13 December 1979	Not yet in force	3	8		
Additional Protocol to the Multilateral Convention for the Avoidance of Double Taxation of Copyright Royalties Madrid, 13 December 1979	Not yet in force	3	3		

MISCELLANEOUS

Agreement on Succession Issues Vienna, 29 June 2001	2 June 2004	5	5		
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