

**28. CONVENTION REGARDING THE MEASUREMENT OF VESSELS EMPLOYED IN
INLAND NAVIGATION**

Paris, 27 November 1925

ENTRY INTO FORCE
REGISTRATION:
TEXT:

1 October 1927, in accordance with article 12.
1 October 1927, No. 1539.¹
League of Nations, *Treaty Series*, [vol.67, p.63](#).

Ratifications or definitive accessions

Belgium	(July 2nd, 1927)	being withdrawn; and that, if new plates are affixed, the old plates shall be placed at the same level and near to the new ones. In the case provided for above, the notification provided for in the third paragraph of Article 5 and in Article 6 of the Convention shall also be addressed to the original office of inscription.
Albania		
British Empire (for Great Britain and Northern Ireland)		
Denmark	(July 14th, 1927)	Germany ³
Estonia		Greece
Bulgaria		Hungary
Iran	(July 2nd, 1927)	Italy
Czechoslovakia ²		The Netherlands (for the Kingdom in Europe)
Ireland	(January 17th, 1929)	Poland
France	(July 2nd, 1927)	Romania
It being understood on behalf of the French Government, and as provided for in Article 6 of the Protocol of Signature, that in the event of a re-measurement of a vessel originally measured by its own officials the original indelible marks, when they are not intended solely to indicate that the vessel has been measured, shall have added to them an indelible cross having arms of equal length, and that this addition shall be regarded as equivalent to the removal described in Article 10 of the Annex to the Convention; that the old measurement plates shall be marked with a cross instead of		Spain
		Switzerland
		Yugoslavia (former) ⁴
		Under Clause IV of the Protocol of Signature.

Open to accession by:

Albania	Luxembourg
Denmark	Norway
Estonia	Portugal
Iran	Sweden
Ireland	Turkey
Latvia	
Lithuania	

Signatures not yet perfected by ratification

Finland
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

Actions subsequent to the assumption of depositary functions by the Secretary-General of the United Nations

<i>Participant^{2,4}</i>	<i>Denunciation</i>	<i>Participant^{2,4}</i>	<i>Denunciation</i>
Belgium	[9 Mar 1972]	Netherlands	[14 Aug 1978]
Bulgaria	[4 Mar 1980]	Poland	22 Sep 2017
France	[13 Jun 1975]	Romania	[24 May 1976]
Germany ³	[14 Feb 1975]	Switzerland	[7 Feb 1975]
Hungary	[5 Jan 1978]		

Notes:

¹ League of Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol.67, p.63.

² Czechoslovakia had notified its denunciation on 19 April 1974. See also note 1 under “Czech Republic” and note 1 under “Slovakia” in the “Historical Information” section in the front matter of this volume.

³ In a notification received on 21 February 1974, the Government of the German Democratic Republic stated that the German Democratic Republic has declared the reapplication of the Convention as of 21 August 1958. See also note 2 under “Germany” in the “Historical Information” section in the front matter of this volume.

⁴ The former Yugoslavia deposited its instrument of denunciation to the Convention on 28 July 1975. In a communication received on 24 November 1975, the Government of Yugoslavia informed the Secretary-General that the denunciation should be considered, for the purpose of article 14 of the Convention of 1925, as having taken effect on 19 April 1975, the date when the Convention of 15 February 1966 on the same subject entered into force in respect of Yugoslavia. See also note 1 under “Bosnia and Herzegovina, “Croatia”, “former Yugoslavia” , “The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia”, “Slovenia” and “Yugoslavia” in the “Historical Information” section in the front matter of this volume.

