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OPTIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF
ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN

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SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE: RATIFICATION

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary,
communicates the following:

The above action was effected on 23 March 2017.

The Protocol will enter into force for Sao Tome and Principe on 23 June 2017 in accordance
with its article 16 (2) which reads as follows:

“For each State ratifying the present Protocol or acceding to it after its entry into force, the
present Protocol shall enter into force three months after the date of the deposit of its own instrument or
ratification or accession.”

23 March 2017

