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## AGREEMENT ON THE PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES OF THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT

## NEW YORK, 9 SEPTEMBER 2002

## REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA: ACCESSION

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

The above action was effected on 17 May 2017, with:

Declaration (Courtesy Translation) (Original: Moldovan)

With reference to article 23 of the Agreement on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Criminal Court:

Without prejudice to paragraph 6 of article 15 and paragraph 1 (d) of article 16, a person referred to in articles 15, 16, 18, 19 and 21, if they are nationals of the Republic of Moldova or are permanent residents in the Republic of Moldova, shall enjoy in the territory of the Republic of Moldova only the privileges and immunities provided for in article 23 (a), to the extent necessary for the independent performance of his or her functions or his or her appearance or testimony before the Court.

The persons referred to in articles 20 and 22, if they are nationals of the Republic of Moldova or are permanent residents in the Republic of Moldova, shall enjoy in the territory of the Republic of Moldova only the privileges and immunities provided for in article 23 (b) to the extent necessary for his or her appearance before the Court.

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The Agreement will enter into force for the Republic of Moldova on 16 June 2017 in accordance with its article 35 (2) which reads as follows:

"For each State ratifying, accepting, approving or acceding to the present Agreement after the deposit of the tenth instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession, the Agreement shall enter into force on the thirtieth day following the deposit with the Secretary-General of its instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession."

17 May 2017

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