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CONVENTION RELATING TO THE STATUS OF STATELESS PERSONS NEW YORK, 28 SEPTEMBER 1954

MALTA: ACCESSION

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

The above action was effected on 11 December 2019, with:

Reservations (Original: English)

"The Republic of Malta does not consider itself bound by Article 11 in so far as to the obligation to give consideration to the establishment of stateless seamen in its territory, or to issue said seamen with travel documents.

The Republic of Malta considers itself bound by Article 14 only in so far as in regard to a stateless person who is a permanent resident in the territory of the Republic of Malta.

The Republic of Malta does not consider itself obliged, in terms of Article 32 to provide or to guarantee stateless persons born outside Malta facilities for their naturalisation beyond those accorded to aliens in general."

The Convention shall enter into force for Malta on 10 March 2020 in accordance with its article 39 (2) which reads as follows:

"For each State ratifying or acceding to the Convention after the deposit of the sixth instrument of ratification or accession, the Convention shall enter into force on the ninetieth day following the date of deposit by such State of its instrument of ratification or accession."

11 December 2019

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