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PALAU: ACCESSION

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

The above action was effected on 31 March 2020, with:

Declarations (Original: English)

- "- the Republic of Palau [...] undertakes to apply [the provisions of the Convention], on the basis of reciprocity, only to the recognition and enforcement of arbitral awards made in the territory of another Contracting State;
- the Republic of Palau will apply the Convention only to differences arising out of legal relationships, whether contractual or not, which are considered as commercial under the laws of the Republic of Palau; and
- the Convention will be applied only to those arbitral awards which were adopted after the coming of the Convention into effect."

The Convention shall enter into force for Palau on 29 June 2020 in accordance with its article XII (2) which reads as follows:

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

1 April 2020