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CONVENTION ON THE REDUCTION OF STATELESSNESS
NEW YORK, 30 AUGUST 1961

TOGO: ACCESSION

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

The above action was effected on 14 July 2021, with:

Declaration (Translation) (Original: French)

... in accordance with the provisions of Article 8, paragraph 3, of the Convention, the Togolese Republic retains the right to deprive a person of the Togolese nationality, in application of Togolese legislation relating to Togolese nationality, in particular for the following reasons:

- if the person who has acquired Togolese nationality engages in activities prejudicial to the interests of Togo;
- if the person who has acquired Togolese nationality has been sentenced, for an act qualified as a crime under Togolese law, to more than five years of imprisonment without parole.

The Convention shall enter into force for Togo on 12 October 2021 in accordance with article 18 (2) of the Convention which reads as follows:

“For each State ratifying or acceding to this Convention after the deposit of the sixth instrument of ratification or accession, it shall enter into force on the ninetieth day after the deposit by such State of its instrument of ratification or accession or on the date on which this Convention enters into force in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 1 of this Article, whichever is the later.”

15 July 2021

