

Reference: C.N.301.2022.TREATIES-IV.11.d (Depositary Notification)

OPTIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE  
CHILD ON A COMMUNICATIONS PROCEDURE

NEW YORK, 19 DECEMBER 2011

NEW ZEALAND: ACCESSION<sup>1</sup>

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

The above action was effected on 22 September 2022.

The Protocol shall enter into force for New Zealand on 22 December 2022 in accordance with  
article 19 (2) which reads as follows:

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

22 September 2022



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<sup>1</sup> Refer to depositary notification C.N.303.2022.TREATIES-IV.11.d of 22 September 2022  
(Territorial exclusion in respect of Tokelau: New Zealand).