

Reference: C.N.140.2023.TREATIES-XI.B.24 (Depositary Notification)

EUROPEAN AGREEMENT SUPPLEMENTING THE CONVENTION ON ROAD
SIGNS AND SIGNALS

GENEVA, 1 MAY 1971

TÜRKIYE: 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 2023, with:

Reservations (Courtesy Translation) (Original: Turkish)

1. In relation to paragraph 1 of Article 11 of the European Agreement, the Republic of Türkiye declares that it does not consider itself bound by Article 9 of the Agreement.
2. With respect to point 22 of the Annex of the European Agreement (amendment to Annex 1, section E, subsection II, paragraph 7, subparagraphs (a) and (b) of the Convention), the Republic of Türkiye reserves the right to use signs E, 7^d and E, 8^d.
3. With respect to point 23 of the Annex of the European Agreement (amendment to Annex 1, section F, subsection II, paragraph 1 of the Convention), the Republic of Türkiye reserves the right to use symbol F, 1^b.
4. With respect to point 25 of the Annex of the European Agreement (amendment to Annex 1, section G, subsection III, paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Convention), the Republic of Türkiye reserves the right to use signs G, 4^c and G, 6^c.

Declaration (Courtesy Translation) (Original: Turkish)

Türkiye's decision to become a party to the Convention on Road Signs and Signals, and its supplements, should in no way be construed as implying any form of recognition of the Greek Cypriot Administration's pretention to represent the "Republic of Cyprus", nor as implying any obligation on the part of Türkiye to enter into any dealing with authorities or institutions of the so-called "Republic of Cyprus" within the framework of the activities specified in the said Convention and its supplements.

The Agreement shall enter into force for Türkiye on 17 May 2024 in accordance with its article 4 (2) which reads as follows:

“For each State ratifying, or acceding to, this Agreement after the deposit of the tenth instrument of ratification or accession, the Agreement shall enter into force twelve months after the date of deposit by such State of its instrument of ratification or accession.”

25 May 2023

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized 'D' and 'N' with a horizontal line underneath.