

Reference: C.N.83.2026.TREATIES-XVIII.16 (Depositary Notification)

UNITED NATIONS CONVENTION AGAINST CYBERCRIME;
STRENGTHENING INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION FOR COMBATING
CERTAIN CRIMES COMMITTED BY MEANS OF INFORMATION AND
COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS AND FOR THE SHARING OF
EVIDENCE IN ELECTRONIC FORM OF SERIOUS CRIMES
NEW YORK, 24 DECEMBER 2024

QATAR: RATIFICATION

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

The above action was effected on 4 February 2026, with:

Reservations (Courtesy Translation) (Original: Arabic)

- (1) The State of Qatar does not consider itself bound by the provisions of Articles (16), (15), and (14) of the Convention, as they contradict the provisions of Islamic Sharia, national legislation, and the social and cultural values of the State of Qatar.
- (2) The State of Qatar does not consider itself bound by paragraph (2) of Article (63) of the Convention regarding recourse to the International Court of Justice.

12 February 2026

