

## 10. INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION AGAINST APARTHEID IN SPORTS

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**REGISTRATION:** 3 April 1988, No. 25822.  
**STATUS:** Signatories: 72. Parties: 62.  
**TEXT:** United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1500, p. 161.

*Note:* The Convention was adopted by [resolution 40/64 G](#)<sup>1</sup> of 10 December 1985 at the fortieth session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

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Algeria .....	16 May 1986	27 Oct 1988	Gabon.....	16 May 1986	
Angola .....		9 Aug 1990 a	Ghana.....	16 May 1986	24 Mar 1988
Antigua and Barbuda.....	28 May 1986	9 Sep 1987	Guinea.....	16 May 1986	10 Oct 1989
Bahamas.....	20 May 1986	13 Nov 1986	Guinea-Bissau.....	16 May 1986	
Barbados .....	16 May 1986	2 Oct 1986	Guyana.....	1 Oct 1986	1 Oct 1986
Belarus .....	16 May 1986	1 Jul 1987	Haiti .....	16 May 1986	
Benin.....	16 May 1986	2 Nov 2017	Hungary .....	25 Jun 1986	
Bolivia (Plurinational State of).....	16 May 1986	27 Apr 1988	India .....		12 Sep 1990 a
Bosnia and Herzegovina <sup>3</sup> .....		1 Sep 1993 d	Indonesia.....	16 May 1986	23 Jul 1993
Bulgaria .....	10 Jun 1986	18 Aug 1987	Iran (Islamic Republic of).....	16 May 1986	12 Jan 1988
Burkina Faso.....	16 May 1986	29 Jun 1988	Iraq.....		30 Jan 1989 a
Burundi .....	16 May 1986		Jamaica .....	16 May 1986	2 Oct 1986
Cabo Verde .....	16 May 1986		Jordan.....	16 May 1986	26 Aug 1987
Cameroon.....	21 Mar 1988		Kenya.....	16 May 1986	
Central African Republic .....	16 May 1986		Kuwait .....		28 Aug 1998 a
China.....	21 Oct 1987		Kyrgyzstan.....		19 Jul 2005 a
Colombia .....	31 Jul 1986		Latvia.....		14 Apr 1992 a
Croatia <sup>3</sup> .....		12 Oct 1992 d	Lebanon .....	7 Nov 1986	
Cuba.....	16 May 1986	11 Dec 1990	Liberia.....	2 May 1986	
Cyprus.....	9 Jul 1987		Libya.....	16 May 1986	29 Jun 1988
Czech Republic <sup>4</sup> .....		22 Feb 1993 d	Madagascar.....	16 May 1986	
Democratic Republic of the Congo.....	16 May 1986		Malaysia.....	16 May 1986	
Ecuador.....	16 May 1986	12 Jun 1991	Maldives .....	3 Oct 1986	
Egypt.....	16 May 1986	2 Apr 1991	Mali.....		7 Feb 1989 a
Equatorial Guinea .....		27 Mar 1987 a	Mauritania.....	18 Jan 1988	13 Dec 1988
Estonia .....		21 Oct 1991 a	Mauritius.....		26 Jun 1990 a
Ethiopia.....	16 May 1986	22 Jul 1987	Mexico .....	16 May 1986	18 Jun 1987
			Mongolia.....	16 May 1986	16 Dec 1987 AA
			Montenegro <sup>5</sup> .....		23 Oct 2006 d

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Morocco.....	16 May 1986		St. Lucia.....	29 May 1987	
Nepal.....	24 Jun 1986	1 Mar 1989	State of Palestine .....		22 Mar 2018 a
Nicaragua.....	16 May 1986		Sudan .....	16 May 1986	23 Feb 1990
Niger .....	27 May 1986	2 Sep 1986	Syrian Arab Republic ....	16 Mar 1986	28 Nov 1988
Nigeria .....	16 May 1986	20 May 1987	Togo.....	29 May 1986	23 Apr 1987
Panama.....	16 May 1986		Trinidad and Tobago ....	21 May 1986	11 Oct 1990
Peru.....	30 May 1986	7 Jul 1988	Tunisia .....	16 May 1986	25 Sep 1989
Philippines .....	16 May 1986	27 Jul 1987	Uganda.....	16 May 1986	29 Aug 1986
Poland .....	16 May 1986	4 Mar 1988	Ukraine .....	16 May 1986	19 Jun 1987
Qatar .....	3 Dec 1987	19 Jan 1988	United Republic of		
Russian Federation .....	16 May 1986	11 Jun 1987	Tanzania.....	16 May 1986	13 Jan 1989
Rwanda .....	16 May 1986		Uruguay .....	28 May 1986	26 Jan 1988
Senegal.....	16 May 1986	15 Oct 1986	Venezuela (Bolivarian		
Serbia <sup>3</sup> .....		12 Mar 2001 d	Republic of) .....	16 May 1986	3 Oct 1989
Sierra Leone.....	16 May 1986		Yemen <sup>6</sup> .....	16 May 1986	
Somalia .....	4 Jun 1986		Zambia .....	10 Feb 1988	8 Mar 1988
St. Kitts and Nevis .....	16 May 1986	5 Dec 1988	Zimbabwe .....	16 May 1986	14 Jul 1987

### ***Declarations and Reservations***

***(Unless otherwise indicated, the declarations and reservations were made upon ratification, acceptance, approval, accession or succession.)***

#### **CUBA**

The Government of the Republic of Cuba considers, with respect to the provisions of article 19 of the

Convention, that any dispute arising between Parties should be resolved by direct negotiations through the diplomatic channel.

#### **Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly of the United Nations, Fortieth session, Supplement No. 53 (A/40/53), p. 37.*

<sup>2</sup> The German Democratic Republic had signed and ratified the Convention on 16 May 1986 and 15 September 1986, respectively. See also note 2 under "Germany" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>3</sup> The former Yugoslavia had signed and ratified the Convention on 16 May 1986 and 22 December 1989, respectively. See also note 1 under "Bosnia and Herzegovina", "Croatia", "former Yugoslavia", "Slovenia", "The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia" and "Yugoslavia" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>4</sup> Czechoslovakia had signed and ratified the Convention on 25 February 1987 and 29 July 1987, respectively. See also note 1 under "Czech Republic" and note 1 under "Slovakia" in the

"Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>5</sup> See note 1 under "Montenegro" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>6</sup> The formality was effected by Democratic Yemen. See also note 1 under "Yemen" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume

