

**7. CONVENTION FOR LIMITING THE MANUFACTURE AND REGULATING THE DISTRIBUTION OF NARCOTIC DRUGS**

*Geneva, 13 July 1931, and Lake Success, New York, 11 December 1946<sup>1</sup>*

**ENTRY INTO FORCE:** 21 November 1947, the date on which the amendments to the Convention, as set forth in the annex to the Protocol of 11 December 1946, entered into force, in accordance with paragraph 2 of article VII of the Protocol.

**REGISTRATION:** 9 July 1933, No. 3219.

**TEXT:** League of Nations, Treaty Series, vol. 139, p. 303.

*Note: In accordance with its article 44 (1), the provisions of the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961, as amended by the Protocol amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961 of 8 August 1975, as between the parties thereto, terminates and replaces the provisions of the above Convention. See chapter VI.18.*

<i>Participant<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>Definitive signature of the Protocol, Acceptance of the Protocol, Succession to the Convention and the Protocol, Ratification of the Convention and the Protocol</i>	<i>Ratification of the Convention as amended, Accession to the Convention as amended(a), Succession to the Convention as amended(d)</i>	<i>Participant<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>Definitive signature of the Protocol, Acceptance of the Protocol, Succession to the Convention and the Protocol, Ratification of the Convention and the Protocol</i>	<i>Ratification of the Convention as amended, Accession to the Convention as amended(a), Succession to the Convention as amended(d)</i>
Afghanistan.....	11 Dec 1946		Denmark .....	15 Jun 1949	
Albania.....	23 Jun 1947		Dominican Republic .....	11 Dec 1946	
Algeria .....		31 Oct 1963 a	Ecuador.....	8 Jun 1951	
Argentina .....	11 Dec 1946		Egypt.....	13 Sep 1948	
Australia.....	28 Aug 1947		Ethiopia.....		9 Sep 1947
Austria .....	17 May 1950		Fiji .....	1 Nov 1971	
Bahamas.....	13 Aug 1975		Finland .....	3 Feb 1948	
Belgium .....	11 Dec 1946		France .....	10 Oct 1947	
Benin.....		5 Dec 1961 d	Germany <sup>5</sup> .....	12 Aug 1959	
Brazil .....	17 Dec 1946		Ghana.....		7 Apr 1958 d
Burkina Faso.....		26 Apr 1963 a	Greece.....	21 Feb 1949	
Cambodia <sup>2</sup> .....		3 Oct 1951 d	Guinea.....		26 Apr 1962 d
Cameroon.....		20 Nov 1961 d	Haiti .....	31 May 1951	
Canada .....	11 Dec 1946		Honduras.....	11 Dec 1946	
Central African Republic .....		4 Sep 1962 d	Hungary .....	16 Dec 1955	
Chile.....	11 Dec 1946		India.....	11 Dec 1946	
China <sup>3</sup> .....	11 Dec 1946		Indonesia.....		3 Apr 1958 a
Colombia .....	11 Dec 1946		Iran (Islamic Republic of).....	11 Dec 1946	
Congo.....		15 Oct 1962 d	Iraq.....	14 Sep 1950	
Côte d'Ivoire .....		8 Dec 1961 d	Ireland.....	18 Feb 1948	
Czech Republic <sup>4</sup> .....		30 Dec 1993 d	Israel .....		16 May 1952 a
Democratic Republic of the Congo.....		31 May 1962 d	Italy.....	25 Mar 1948	
			Jamaica .....		26 Dec 1963 d

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Japan .....	27 Mar 1952		Romania.....	11 Oct 1961	
Jordan.....		12 Apr 1954 a	Russian Federation .....	25 Oct 1947	
Lao People's Democratic Republic <sup>2</sup> .....		7 Oct 1950 d	Rwanda .....		5 May 1964 d
Lebanon .....	13 Dec 1946		Saudi Arabia .....	11 Dec 1946	
Lesotho .....		4 Nov 1974 d	Senegal.....		2 May 1963 d
Liechtenstein <sup>6</sup> .....	25 Sep 1947		Serbia <sup>9</sup> .....		12 Mar 2001 d
Malawi.....		22 Jul 1965 d	Sierra Leone.....		13 Mar 1962 d
Malaysia.....		21 Aug 1958 d	Slovakia <sup>4</sup> .....		28 May 1993 d
Mauritius.....		18 Jul 1969 d	South Africa.....	24 Feb 1948	
Mexico .....	11 Dec 1946		Spain .....	26 Sep 1955	
Monaco .....	21 Nov 1947		Sri Lanka.....		4 Dec 1957 a
Montenegro <sup>7</sup> .....		23 Oct 2006 d	Sweden.....	17 Oct 1947	
Morocco.....		7 Nov 1956 d	Switzerland <sup>6</sup> .....	25 Sep 1947	
Netherlands (Kingdom of the).....	10 Mar 1948		Syrian Arab Republic ....	11 Dec 1946	
New Zealand <sup>8</sup> .....	11 Dec 1946		Thailand.....	27 Oct 1947	
Nicaragua.....	24 Apr 1950		Togo.....		27 Feb 1962 d
Niger .....		25 Aug 1961 d	Trinidad and Tobago .....		11 Apr 1966 d
Nigeria .....		26 Jun 1961 d	Türkiye.....	11 Dec 1946	
Norway .....	2 Jul 1947		Uganda.....		20 Oct 1965 a
Panama.....	15 Dec 1946		United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	11 Dec 1946	
Papua New Guinea .....	28 Oct 1980		United Republic of Tanzania.....		3 Jul 1964 a
Philippines .....	25 May 1950		United States of America.....	12 Aug 1947	
Poland .....	11 Dec 1946		Zambia.....		9 Apr 1973 d

### ***Territorial Application***

<i>Participant</i>	<i>Date of receipt of the notification</i>	<i>Territories</i>
France	17 Mar 1950	Archipelago of the New Hebrides under French and British Condominium
United Kingdom	5 Apr 1949	Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony
	17 Mar 1950	New Hebrides
	13 Feb 1952	Basutoland, Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland

**Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> The Agreement was amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 11 December 1946.

<sup>2</sup> The Republic of Viet-Nam had succeeded to the Convention on 11 August 1950.

By joint notifications received from the Governments of France and Viet-Nam on 11 August 1950; from the Governments of France and Laos, on 7 October 1950; and from the Governments of France and Cambodia on 3 October 1951, notice was given of the transfer of functions by the French Government to the Government of the Republic of Viet-Nam, Laos and Cambodia of the duties and obligations arising from the application of the Convention in these countries. It should be noted that the Republic of Viet-Nam succeeded to the Convention on 11 August 1950. See also note 1 under "Viet Nam" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>3</sup> See note concerning signatures, ratifications, accessions, etc. on behalf of China (note 1 under "China" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume).

<sup>4</sup> Czechoslovakia, by virtue of its definitive signature on 11 December 1946 of the Protocol of 11 December 1946 amending the Convention of 1931, became a party to the Convention on the date of that signature. 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 2 under "Germany" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>6</sup> The instrument of acceptance of the Protocol by the Government of the Swiss Confederation stipulates that the declaration of acceptance is also valid for the Principality of Liechtenstein.

<sup>7</sup> See note 1 under "Montenegro" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>8</sup> See note 1 under "New Zealand" regarding Tokelau in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>9</sup> The former Yugoslavia had acceded to the Convention as amended on 10 June 1949. 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.

