

16. 11) United Nations Regulation No. 11. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to door latches and door retention components

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Contracting Parties applying Regulation No. 11²

<i>Participant</i>	<i>Application of regulation, Succession(d)</i>	<i>Participant</i>	<i>Application of regulation, Succession(d)</i>
Albania.....	6 Sep 2011	Italy.....	19 Jul 1975
Armenia.....	1 Mar 2018	Japan.....	3 Jul 2002
Austria.....	12 Feb 1998	Kyrgyzstan.....	1 Sep 2023
Belarus.....	3 May 1995	Latvia.....	19 Nov 1998
Belgium ³	1 Jun 1969	Lithuania.....	28 Jan 2002
Bosnia and Herzegovina ⁴	28 Sep 1998	Luxembourg.....	2 Mar 1984
Croatia ⁴	17 Mar 1994	Malaysia.....	3 Feb 2006
Czech Republic ⁵	2 Jun 1993	Montenegro ⁸	23 Oct 2006 d
Denmark.....	21 Oct 1976	Netherlands (Kingdom of the) ⁹	1 Jun 1969
Egypt.....	5 Dec 2012	New Zealand ¹⁰	18 Jan 2002
Estonia.....	26 May 1999	Nigeria.....	18 Oct 2018
European Union ⁶	23 Jan 1998	North Macedonia ⁴	1 Apr 1998
Finland.....	15 Dec 1977	Norway.....	23 Dec 1987
France ³	1 Jun 1969	Pakistan.....	24 Feb 2020
Germany ⁷	25 Mar 1970	Philippines.....	3 Nov 2022
Greece.....	4 Oct 1995	Poland.....	14 Sep 1992
Hungary.....	19 Aug 1976	Republic of Moldova.....	21 Sep 2016

<i>Participant</i>	<i>Application of regulation, Succession(d)</i>
Romania.....	23 Dec 1976
Russian Federation	19 Dec 1986
San Marino	27 Nov 2015
Serbia ⁴	12 Mar 2001
Slovakia ⁵	28 May 1993
Slovenia ⁴	3 Nov 1992

<i>Participant</i>	<i>Application of regulation, Succession(d)</i>
Spain	29 Oct 1975
Sweden.....	7 May 1971
Türkiye.....	9 Dec 1999
Uganda.....	23 Aug 2022
Ukraine	9 Aug 2002
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	1 Jun 1969

Notes:

¹ For additional references to the texts of the annexed regulations and their amendments, see doc. [TRANS/WP.29/343](#) as updated annually.

² For technical reasons and in order to align this chapter with all others in the publication, the date indicated is no longer the date of effect of the regulation for the Contracting Party, but the date of receipt of the notification of application by the Secretary-General.

³ Contracting State having proposed the Regulation and date of entry into force of the Regulation for that State in accordance with article 1 (3).

⁴ The former Yugoslavia applied Regulation No. 11 as from 18 October 1983. 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.

⁵ Czechoslovakia applied Regulation No. 11 as from 14 April 1972. See also note 1 under “Czech Republic” and note 1 under “Slovakia” in the “Historical Information” section in the front matter of this volume.

⁶ In a letter dated 29 July 1998, the European Community informed the Secretary-General of the following:

"The accession of the EC has the effect that the [...] regulations adhered to are not (in cases where a Member State already applied a regulation: no longer) applied by Member States by virtue of their status as Contracting Parties to the Agreement but exclusively in their capacity as Member States of the Contracting Party European Community. Thus, the 14 Member States already Contracting Parties themselves, now apply all [these] regulations by virtue of the EC's accession."

... By the EC accession, Ireland has not become a Contracting Party. Only the EC has become a Contracting Party. Ireland being a Member State of this Contracting Party applies the [...] regulations [adhered to by the EC] by virtue of the EC's accession.

It will be recalled that, as at 29 July 1999, States Members of the EC are: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France,

Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom.

⁷ The German Democratic Republic applied Regulation No. 11 as from 26 September 1977.

With regard to the above, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany in a communication received on 14 January 1991, informed the Secretary-General, *inter alia*, of the following:

- [Regulation No. 11 which has] been applied by both the Federal Republic of Germany and the German Democratic Republic shall continue to apply...

The notification further states that it “. . . does not constitute a general statement of position by the Federal Republic of Germany on the question of state succession in relation to treaties.”

See also note 2 under “Germany” in the “Historical Information” section in the front matter of this volume.

⁸ See note 1 under "Montenegro" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

⁹ For the Kingdom in Europe.

¹⁰ See note 1 under "New Zealand" regarding Tokelau in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

