

**8. GENERAL AGREEMENT ON ECONOMIC REGULATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL  
ROAD TRANSPORT (A) ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL (B) PROTOCOL OF SIGNATURE**

*Geneva, 17 March 1954*

**NOT YET IN FORCE:** [With the exception of the Additional Protocol (paragraph 3 of the Additional Protocol provides that it shall enter into force on the date of its signature and shall be considered an integral part of the General Agreement on the date of entry into force of the Agreement)], see article 10 which reads as follows: "1. The present Agreement shall come into force on the ninetieth day after five of the countries referred to in paragraph 1 of Article 8 (i.e. Countries participating in the work of the Economic Commission for Europe, and countries granted the right to do so by a resolution of the Commission) have signed it without reservation or ratification, have ratified it or have acceded to it. 2. For any country ratifying or acceding to it after that date, the present Agreement shall enter into force on the ninetieth day after the said country has deposited its instrument of ratification or accession. 3. The present Agreement shall terminate if at any time the number of Contracting Parties thereto is less than five."<sup>1</sup>

**STATUS:** Signatories: 11. Parties: 4.

**TEXT:** Doc. E/ECE/186 (E/ECE/TRANS/460), 22 March 1954.

<i>Participant</i>	<i>Signature, Succession to signature(d)</i>	<i>Definitive signature(s), Ratification, Accession(a)</i>	<i>Participant</i>	<i>Signature, Succession to signature(d)</i>	<i>Definitive signature(s), Ratification, Accession(a)</i>
Belgium .....	17 Mar 1954		Netherlands (Kingdom of the).....	17 Mar 1954	
Denmark .....	17 Mar 1954		Norway .....		17 Jan 1956 a
France .....		17 Mar 1954 s	Serbia <sup>3</sup> .....	12 Mar 2001 d	
Greece.....	17 Mar 1954	11 Dec 1956	Sweden.....	17 Mar 1954	
Italy.....	17 Mar 1954	18 Oct 1957	Switzerland .....	17 Mar 1954	
Luxembourg.....	17 Mar 1954		United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	17 Mar 1954	
Montenegro <sup>2</sup> .....	23 Oct 2006 d				

**Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> Paragraph 3 of the Additional Protocol provides that it "shall enter into force on the date of its signature and shall be considered as an integral part of the General Agreement on the date of entry into force of the Agreement".

<sup>2</sup> See note 1 under "Montenegro" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>3</sup> The former Yugoslavia had signed the Agreement on 17 March 1954. 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.

