

**7. a) Protocol of the Reconvened Plenipotentiary Meeting on the  
Establishment of the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and  
Biotechnology**

*Vienna, 4 April 1984*

**ENTRY INTO FORCE:** 3 February 1994 , in accordance with article 21 of the Statutes, for all Parties to the Statutes\*.

**REGISTRATION:** 3 February 1994, No. 30673.

**STATUS:** Signatories: 7. Parties: 33.

**TEXT:** United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1763, p. 92; Depository notification C.N.96.1984.TREATIES-3 of 12 June 1984.

*Note:* The Reconvened Plenipotentiary Meeting on the Establishment of the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology held at Vienna, Austria, from 3 to 4 April 1984, adopted the said Protocol, in the English language only, in order to complete article 1(2) of the Statutes of the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, concluded at Madrid on 13 September 1983. The Protocol was opened for signature to all Contracting Parties to the Statutes at Vienna, from 4 to 12 April 1984, and shall remain open for signature at the Headquarters of the United Nations, New York, until the entry into force of the Statutes.

The Protocol, for all legal and practical purposes, completes the Statutes and is therefore considered as an integral part thereto and shall become effective upon the entry into force of the Statutes in accordance with article 21 thereof.

\* See chapter XIV-7 for the complete list of Parties to the Statutes of the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology.

<i>Participant<sup>1</sup></i>	<i>Signature ad referendum (s)</i>	<i>Definitive signature(s), Confirmation of signature</i>	<i>Participant<sup>1</sup></i>	<i>Signature ad referendum (s)</i>	<i>Definitive signature(s), Confirmation of signature</i>
Afghanistan.....		15 Aug 1984 s	Italy.....		4 Apr 1984 s
Algeria.....		4 Nov 1985 s	Mauritius.....		19 Sep 1984 s
Argentina.....		4 Apr 1984 s	Mexico.....	25 Oct 1984	21 Jan 1988
Bhutan.....		31 May 1984 s	Morocco.....		19 Oct 1984 s
Brazil.....	5 May 1986	9 Mar 1990	Nigeria.....		2 May 1985 s
Bulgaria.....		4 Apr 1984 s	Panama.....		11 Dec 1984 s
Chile.....		4 Apr 1984 s	Peru.....		4 Apr 1984 s
Colombia.....		14 Sep 1987 s	Poland.....	1 Aug 1990	
Costa Rica.....	14 Aug 1990	11 Oct 1996	Russian Federation.....		18 Sep 1992 s
Croatia.....		26 Aug 1993 s	Senegal.....		29 Jun 1984 s
Cuba.....		4 Apr 1984 s	Sri Lanka.....		1 Oct 1993 s
Ecuador.....	17 Jul 1990		Sudan.....		29 Jan 1993 s
Egypt.....	2 Jan 1986	13 Jan 1987	Trinidad and Tobago.....		8 Feb 1985 s
Greece.....		4 Apr 1984 s	Tunisia.....		5 Aug 1992 s
Hungary.....		14 Sep 1987 s	Türkiye.....		22 Sep 1987 s
India.....		4 Apr 1984 s	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).....		4 Apr 1984 s
Iran (Islamic Republic of).....	29 Apr 1988	18 Dec 2001	Viet Nam.....		17 Sep 1984 s
Iraq.....		23 Oct 1984 s			

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***Notes:***

<sup>1</sup> The former Yugoslavia had signed the Protocol definitively on 4 April 1984. 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.

