2. **Protocol for extending the period of validity of the Convention on the Declaration of Death of Missing Persons***

*New York, 16 January 1957*

**ENTRY INTO FORCE:** 22 January 1957, in accordance with article III(a).

**REGISTRATION:** 22 January 1957, No. 1610.

**STATUS:** Parties: 7.


**TERMINATION:** of the Convention of 6 April 1950 (see chapter XV.1).

*Note:* In accordance with article 17 (1), the Convention was to cease to have effect on 23 January 1957. However, the Convention was extended as a result of the adoption of the Protocols of 16 January 1957 and 15 January 1967, and remained in force until 24 January 1972.