

CHAPTER XVII
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

1. CONVENTION ON THE INTERNATIONAL RIGHT OF CORRECTION

New York, 31 March 1953

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 24 August 1962, in accordance with article VIII.

REGISTRATION: 24 August 1962, No. 6280.

STATUS: Signatories: 12. Parties: 17.

TEXT: United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 435, p. 191.

Note: The Convention was adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations in resolution [630 \(VII\)](#)¹ of 16 December 1952, and it was opened for signature at the closing of the seventh session of the General Assembly.

<i>Participant</i>	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Ratification, Accession(a), Succession(d)</i>	<i>Participant</i>	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Ratification, Accession(a), Succession(d)</i>
Argentina	11 Jun 1953		Guatemala ³	1 Apr 1953	9 May 1957
Bosnia and Herzegovina ²		12 Jan 1994 d	Guinea	19 Mar 1975	
Burkina Faso		23 Mar 1987 a	Jamaica		15 Jun 1967 a
Chile	22 Apr 1953		Latvia		14 Apr 1992 a
Cuba		17 Nov 1954 a	Liberia		16 Sep 2005 a
Cyprus	20 Jun 1972	13 Nov 1972	Montenegro ⁴		23 Oct 2006 d
Ecuador	31 Mar 1953		Paraguay	16 Nov 1953	
Egypt	27 Jan 1955	4 Aug 1955	Peru	12 Nov 1959	
El Salvador	11 Mar 1958	28 Oct 1958	Serbia ²		12 Mar 2001 d
Ethiopia	31 Mar 1953	21 Jan 1969	Sierra Leone		25 Jul 1962 a
France	2 Apr 1954	16 Nov 1962	Syrian Arab Republic ...		4 Aug 1955
			Uruguay		21 Nov 1980 a

Notes:

¹ *Official Records of the General Assembly, Seventh Session, Supplement No. 20 (A/2361), p. 22.*

² The former Yugoslavia had acceded to the Convention on 31 January 1956. See also note 1 under "Bosnia and Herzegovina", "Croatia", "former Yugoslavia", The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia", "Slovenia" and "Yugoslavia" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

³ The Convention was signed on behalf of Guatemala with reservation to article V of the Convention. Upon ratification, the Government of Guatemala did not maintain the said reservation.

⁴ See note 1 under "Montenegro" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

