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No. 7449. PROTOCOL¹ RELATING TO AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONVENTION ON INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION.² DONE AT MONTREAL, ON 21 JUNE 1961

The Assembly of the International Civil Aviation Organization,

HAVING MET in its Thirteenth (Extraordinary) Session, at Montreal, on the nineteenth day of June, 1961,

HAVING NOTED that it is the general desire of Contracting States to enlarge the membership of the Council,

¹ Came into force on 17 July 1962, the date of deposit of the fifty-sixth instrument of ratification with the International Civil Aviation Organization, in accordance with the provisions of the Protocol. The instruments of ratification were deposited as follows :

	<i>1961</i>		<i>1962</i>		<i>1962</i>
Mali	12 July	Thailand	17 Jan.	Republic of Viet-Nam	16 Apr.
Jordan	27 July	Australia	19 Jan.	Ghana	16 Apr.
Indonesia	28 July	Venezuela	6 Feb.	Pakistan	30 Apr.
Guinea	21 Aug.	Israel	12 Feb.	Netherlands	8 May
Niger	14 Sept.	South Africa	13 Feb.	New Zealand	14 May
Finland	18 Sept.	Belgium	15 Feb.	Sierra Leone	15 May
Malaya, Federation of	3 Oct.	Republic of Korea	16 Feb.	Denmark	15 May
Norway	10 Oct.	United Arab Republic	27 Feb.	Switzerland	22 May
Canada	17 Oct.	Yugoslavia	5 Mar.	Central African Republic	22 May
Dominican Republic	24 Oct.	Senegal	5 Mar.	Poland	23 May
Cameroon	14 Nov.	Nigeria	7 Mar.	Congo (Brazzaville)	26 May
Ivory Coast	14 Nov.	Laos	7 Mar.	Ceylon	28 May
Nicaragua	17 Nov.	Czechoslovakia	9 Mar.	Portugal	29 May
India	18 Dec.	United States of America	23 Mar.	Sudan	31 May
Tunisia	27 Dec.	Dahomey	30 Mar.	Japan	4 June
Sweden	28 Dec.	Spain	2 Apr.	Lebanon	18 June
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	<i>1962</i> 4 Jan.	Mauritania	2 Apr.	Kuwait	3 July
		Ireland	9 Apr.	Panama	9 July
		Mexico	9 Apr.	Syrian Arab Republic	16 July
				Austria	17 July

Subsequently, the Protocol came into force in respect of the following States on the respective dates of deposit of their instruments of ratification as indicated below :

	<i>1962</i>		<i>1962</i>		<i>1963</i>
Cyprus	31 July	France	20 Nov.	Jamaica	18 Oct.
Republic of China	10 Aug.	Madagascar	7 Dec.	Argentina	19 Nov.
		Honduras	20 Dec.		<i>1964</i>
Federal Republic of Germany	16 Aug.		<i>1963</i>	Costa Rica	9 Jan.
Libya	17 Aug.	El Salvador	22 Jan.	Peru	12 Mar.
Cuba	29 Oct.	Ethiopia	23 Jan.	Kenya	31 May
Philippines	12 Nov.	Tanganyika	10 Apr.	Chad	28 Aug.
		Italy	17 May	Somalia	30 Sept.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 15, p. 295 ; for subsequent actions relating to this Convention, see references in Cumulative Indexes Nos. 1 to 4, as well as Annex B in volumes 409 and 472.

HAVING CONSIDERED it proper to provide for six additional seats in the Council and, accordingly, to increase the membership from twenty-one to twenty-seven,

AND HAVING CONSIDERED it necessary to amend for the purpose aforesaid the Convention on International Civil Aviation done at Chicago on the seventh day of December, 1944,¹

APPROVED, on the twenty-first day of June of the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, in accordance with the provisions of Article 94 (a) of the Convention aforesaid, the following proposed amendment to the said Convention :

In Article 50 (a) of the Convention the expression "twenty-one" shall be deleted and substituted by "twenty-seven",

SPECIFIED, pursuant to the provisions of the said Article 94 (a) of the said Convention, fifty-six as the number of Contracting States upon whose ratification the proposed amendment aforesaid shall come into force, and

RESOLVED that the Secretary General of the International Civil Aviation Organization draw up a protocol, in the English, French and Spanish languages, each of which shall be of equal authenticity, embodying the proposed amendment above mentioned and the matter hereinafter appearing.

CONSEQUENTLY, pursuant to the aforesaid action of the Assembly,

This Protocol has been drawn up by the Secretary General of the Organization ;

This Protocol shall be open to ratification by any State which has ratified or adhered to the said Convention on International Civil Aviation ;

The instruments of ratification shall be deposited with the International Civil Aviation Organization ;

This Protocol shall come into force in respect of the States which have ratified it on the date on which the fifty-sixth instrument of ratification is so deposited ;

The Secretary General shall immediately notify all Contracting States of the date of deposit of each ratification of this Protocol ;

The Secretary General shall immediately notify all States parties or signatories to the said Convention of the date on which this Protocol comes into force ;

With respect to any Contracting State ratifying this Protocol after the date aforesaid, the Protocol shall come into force upon deposit of its instrument of ratification with the International Civil Aviation Organization.

¹ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 15, p. 295 ; for subsequent actions relating to this Convention, see references in Cumulative Indexes Nos. 1 to 4, as well as Annex B in volumes 409 and 472.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, the President and the Secretary General of the Thirteenth (Extraordinary) Session of the Assembly of the International Civil Aviation Organization, being authorized thereto by the Assembly, sign this Protocol.

DONE at Montreal on the twenty-first day of June of the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one in a single document in the English, French and Spanish languages, each of which shall be of equal authenticity. This Protocol shall remain deposited in the archives of the International Civil Aviation Organization; and certified copies thereof shall be transmitted by the Secretary General of the Organization to all States parties or signatories to the Convention on International Civil Aviation done at Chicago on the seventh day of December, 1944.

H. DA CUNHA MACHADO
President of the Assembly

R. M. MACDONNELL
Secretary General of the Assembly