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Twenty-six (26) States undertook forty-four (44) treaty actions during the five days of the 2010 Treaty Event. Of that number, three (3) participated at the level of Head of Government, twenty-two (22) participated at the ministerial level and two (2) at the level of Permanent Representative to the United Nations. There were a total of seventeen (17) signatures, fifteen (15) ratifications, nine (9) accessions and three (3) consents to be bound. A breakdown of the actions by treaty appears below.

**Human rights**

- **Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (New York, 10 December 2008) (IV-3a)** (Signatures by the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Kazakhstan; Ratification by Spain)
- **Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (New York, 10 December 1984) (IV-9)** (Signature by the Lao People’s Democratic Republic)
- **Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (New York, 18 December 2002) (IV-9b)** (Signatures by Bulgaria, Panama and Zambia; Ratifications by Gabon and the Netherlands; Accession by the Democratic Republic of the Congo)
- **Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, (New York, 13 December 2006) (IV-15)** (Signature by Bhutan; Ratifications by Armenia and the Republic of Moldova)
- **International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance, (New York, 20 December 2006) (IV-16)** (Signatures by Indonesia, Lesotho and Zambia)

**Transport and Communications**

Penal Matters

- Agreement on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Criminal Court (New York, 9 September 2002) (XVIII-13) (Accession by Gabon)
- International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism (New York, 13 April 2005) (XVIII-15) (Ratifications by Armenia, Chile and Lesotho; Accessions by the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Tunisia)

Commodities


Commercial Arbitration

- Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards (New York, 10 June 1958) (XXII-1) (Accession by Fiji)

Disarmament

- Additional Protocol to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects (Protocol IV, entitled Protocol on Blinding Laser Weapons) (Vienna, 13 October 1995) (XXVI-2a) (Consent to be bound by Gabon)
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(Geneva, 3 May 1996) (XXVI-2b) (Consent to be bound by Gabon)

- Protocol on Explosive Remnants of War to the Convention on
Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons
which may be deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have
Indiscriminate Effects (Protocol V) (Geneva, 28 November 2003) (XXVI-
2d) (Consent to be bound by Gabon)

- Convention on Cluster Munitions, (Dublin, 30 May 2008) (XXVI-6)
(Ratifications by Monaco and Tunisia)

Environment

- Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of
Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal (Basel, 22 March 1989) (XXVII-3)
(Accession by the Lao People’s Democratic Republic)

- Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for
Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade
(Rotterdam, 10 September 1998) (XXVII-14) (Accession by Lao People’s
Democratic Republic)

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