

INTERNATIONAL AND REGIONAL TREATIES TO WHICH SEYCHELLES IS PARTY
(As of March 2013)

	TITLE	SIGNATURE or ACCESSION	RATIFICATION	ENTRY INTO FORCE
1.	Charter of the United Nations, San Francisco, USA, 26/06/1945 EF: 24/10/45	21.09.76 Acceptance	-	21.09.76 (registration date)
1.	Agreement establishing the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD), Rome, 13/06/1976, Entered into force 01/12/1981	13.12.1978 A	-	01.12.1981
	Constitution of the United Nations Development Organization (UNIDO), 1979 Vienna, 08.04.1979, Entered into force 21/06/1985	21.04.1982 S	21.04.1982 R	19.08.1985
	Constitution of the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization, London, 16/11/1945 Entered into force 12/04/1950	18.10.1976 Acceptance	-	18.10.1976
	Agreement to establish the South Centre, Geneva, 01/09/1994, EF: 30/07/1995	30.09.1994 Definitive Signature	-	30.07.1995
	Statute of the International Court of Justice, San Francisco, USA, 26/06/1945 EF: 24/10/45 [the ICJ is an integral part of the United Nations Charter, as specified by Chapter XIV of the United Nations Charter. Is the primary judicial organ of the UN. According with Art 93 of the UN Charter, all UN members are automatically parties to the Court's Statute]	21.09.76 Acceptance	-	21.09.76 (Registration date)
	Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (ICC), Rome, 17/07/1998 EF: 1/07/02	28.12.00 S	10. 08.10 R	60 days after deposit of ratification (October 2010)
	Statutes of the Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission (IOC) UNESCO, done in 1960 revised in 1970, 1987 and 1999. Revised version EF on 16/11/1999	27 .02. 79 (by Notification)		27 .02.79
	a) Convention on the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict, The Hague, 14/05/1954 b) Regulations for the execution of the Convention.	8.10.03 A	-	8.01.04
	Convention for the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage. Paris, 17/10/03, EF: 20/04/06	The convention doesn't provide	15.02.05 Ratification	20.04. 06

		for signature of		
	Convention on the Means of Prohibiting and Preventing the Illicit Import, Export and Transfer of Ownership of Cultural Property, Paris, 17/11/70 EF: 24/04/72	UNESCO members, only ratification or acceptance	28.05.04 R	28.08.04
	Convention for the Protection of the World Cultural and Natural Heritage, Paris 1972	9.04.80 Acceptance	-	9.07.80
	International Convention against Doping in Sport, UNESCO, Paris,19/10/05 EF: 1/02/07	No provision for signature	5.07.06 R	1.02.07
	Convention against Discrimination in Education. UNESCO 14/12/1960. EF: 22/05/1962	27.07.10 Acceptance	-	27.10.10
	Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions, Paris, 20/10/05 EF: 18/03/07	20.06.08 Accession	-	20.09.08
	Statutes of the International Centre for the Study of the Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property (ICCROM). UNESCO, 21/11/03. EF: 21/11/03.	5.09.06 A	-	5.10.06
	UN Convention for the Suppression of Terrorist Bombings, GAUN, 15/12/97	22.08.03 A	-	21.09.03
	International Convention against Recruitment, Use, Financing and Training of Mercenaries GAUN 4/12/89 EF: 20/10/01	12.03.90 A	-	20.10.01
	International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism, New York, 9/12/99.	15.11.01 S	30.03.04 R	29.04.04 (30 days later)
I	Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Maritime Navigation (SUA), Rome 10/03/88. EF: 1/03/92 [IMO Convention]	24.01.89 S	24.01.89 R	1.03.92
II	Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Fixed Platforms Located on the Continental Shelf. UNODC. Rome 10/03/88 [IMO Convention]	24.01.89 S	24.01.89 R	1.03.92
I	Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Civil Aviation. Montreal, 23/09/1971, EF : 26/01/73 [ICAO Convention]	29.12.78 A	-	28.01.79
II	Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts of Violence at Airports Serving ICA 1988, Supplementary to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the safety of CA 1971. Montreal 24/02/88. EF: 6/08/89 [ICAO Convention]	21.05.04 A	-	20.06.04
	Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft. The Hague, 16/12/70. EF: 14/10/71 [ICAO Convention]	29.12.78 Accession	-	28.01.79
	Convention on the Marking of Plastic Explosives for the Purpose of Detection. ICAO, Montreal 1/03/91 EF: 21/06/98	14.08.03 Accession	-	13.10.03
	International Convention against the Taking of Hostages GAUN 17/12/79 EF:	13.10.03 A	-	12.11.03

	3/06/83			
	Universal Declaration of Human Rights, GAUN, 10/12/1948	Not legally binding		21.09.76 [on the date when Seychelles became member of the UN]
	International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (CESCR), adopted by GA Res. on 16/12/66. EF: 3/1/76	05.08.92 A	-	05. 11. 92 (Three months after dep.)
I	International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR). Adopted by GA Res. on 16/12/66, EF: 23/03/76	05.05.92 A	-	05.08.92 (Three months after dep.)
II	Optional Protocol to the ICCPR (CCPR-OP1), UN General Assembly, 16 December 1966. EF: 23/3/1976	05.08.92 A	-	5.11.92 (Three months after dep.)
III	Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights aiming at the Abolition of the Death Penalty. GAUN 15/12/89 (CCPR- OP2-DP)	15.12.94 A	-	15.03.95
I	UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC), GAUN, New York, 20/11/89. EF: 2/09/90	07.09.90 A	-	7.10.90 (30 days after deposit)
II	Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Involvement of Children in Armed Conflicts, New York 25/05/00 EF: 12/02/02	23.01.01 S	10.08.10 R	10.09.10 (One month later)
III	Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on Sale of Children, Prostitution and Pornography (CRC-OP-SC), New York, 25 May 2000.	23.01.01 S	11.12.12 R	11.01.2013
I	Convention against Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, GAUN 10/12/84. EF: 26/06/87	04.06.92 A	-	04.06.92
II	Amendments to Article 17.7 and 18.5 of the Convention against Torture, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, 1992.	23.07.93 A	-	23.07.93
III	Acceptance of Article 22 to the Convention against Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, 1984 [related to the competence of the Committee against Torture]	6.08.01 Acceptance	-	6.08.01
I	International Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Racial Discrimination (CERD) UNGA, 21 December 1965, EF: 4 January 1969	07.03.78 A	-	07.04.78
II	Amendment to Article 8 of the International Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Racial Discrimination, GAUN 16 December 1992	23.07.1993 Acceptance	-	Not yet in force

	International Convention on the Suppression and Punishment of the Crime of Apartheid. GAUN 30.11.73 EF: 18/07/1976	13.12.78 A	-	15.03.78
	International Convention against Apartheid in Sports. GAUN 10/12/85	11.12.89 A [date of Instrument]		10.01.90
I	Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW) New York 18.12.79. EF: 3/09/1981	5.05.92 A	-	04.06.92 (30 days after deposit)
II	Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW-OP), 6/10/1999. EF: 22/12/2000	22.07.02 S	1.03.11 R	1.06.11
	International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of all Migrant Workers and members of their Families. GAUN 18.12.90 EF: 1/07/2003	15.12.94 A	-	1.07.03
	United Nations Convention against Corruption, New York 31/10/03 EF: 14/12/2005	27.2.04 S	16.03.06 R	15.04.06
	Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD), New York, 13/12/06 [opened for signature on 30/03/07] EF: 3/05/08	30.03.07 S	2.10.09 R	1.11.09
	Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space. GAUN, 12.11.74	28.12.77 A	-	28.12.77
	Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of other States. ICSID. EF: 14/10/66	15.02.78	20.03.78	19.04.78
I	Vienna Convention on the Diplomatic Relations, Vienna, 18/4/1961	29.05.79 A	-	28.06.79
II	Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations concerning Compulsory Settlement of Disputes, 18.04.61. EF: 24/04/1964	29.05.79 A	-	28.06.79
I	Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, Vienna, 24/04/63	29.05.79 A	-	28.06.79
II	Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes, Vienna, 24/04/63. EF: 19/03/67	29.05.79 A	-	28.06.79
1	Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations, New York, 13/2/1946 EF: 17/9/46	26.08.80 A	-	26.08.80
	Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialised Agencies, GAUN 21/11/47	26.08.85 Accession [also on this date, acceptance of second revised text of Annex II]		24.07.85
	Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of Crimes Against Internationally Protected Persons, including Diplomatic Agents. GAUN, 14/12/73.	29.05.80 A	-	28.06.80

	Convention relating to the Status of Refugees, Geneva, 28/07/1951. EF: 22/04/1954	23.04.80 Accession	-	23.07.80 (90 days later)
	Protocol relating to the Status of Refugees, New York, 31/01/1967. EF: 4/10/1967	23.04.80 Accession	-	23.04.80 (on deposit of Instrument)
	Slavery Convention, Geneva 25/9/1926 EF: 9/3/1927	13.04.92		05.05.92
	Supplementary Convention on the Abolition of Slavery, the Slave Trade and Institution and Practices Similar to Slavery Geneva, 7/9/1956 EF: 30/04/1957	05.05.92 A	-	05.05.92
	Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide. GAUN 9/12/48	05.05.92 A	-	05.08.92 (90 days later)
I	Geneva Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and Sick in Armed Forces in the Field, 12/08/1949	8.11.84 Accession	-	8.05. 85 (six months after deposit)
II	Geneva Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of Wounded, Sick and Shipwrecked Members of Armed Forces at Sea. 12/08/1949	8.11.84 Accession	-	8.05. 85 (six months after deposit)
III	Geneva Convention relative to the Treatment of Prisoners of War. 12/08/1949	8.11.84 Accession	-	8.05. 85 (six months after deposit)
IV	Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War. 12/08/1949	8.11.84 Accession	-	8.05. 85 (six months after deposit)
V	Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12/08/49, and relating to the Protection of Victims of International Armed Conflicts. 8/06/1977 [Protocol I]	08.05.85 Accession	-	08.11.86 (six months after deposit)
V. i	Declaration pursuant to Article 90 of Additional Protocol I (recognising the competence of the International Fact Finding Commission)	22.05.92	-	14.01.1993
VI	Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12/08/49, and relating to the Protection of Victims of Non-International Armed Conflicts. 8/06/77. [Protocol II].	08.11.85 A Accession	-	08.11.86 (six months after deposit)
	Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Antipersonnel Mines and their Destruction (Ottawa Treaty) Oslo, Norway, 18/09/97. EF: 03/99	4.12.97 S	2.06.00 R	2.12.00 (6 months after deposit)
	Convention on Cluster Munitions, Dublin, 30/5/08 EF: 1/08/2010	13.04.10 S	11/5/10 R (Date of Instrument)	1/08/10

	Constitution of the World Health Organization (WHO), 22/07/46. EF: 7/04/1948	11.09.79 A	-	11.09.79
	Amendments to Articles 24 and 25 of the Constitution of the WHO, 1986	30.07.93 Acceptance	-	11.07.94
	Revised Text of Annex VII- World Health Organization to the Convention on Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies, Geneva, 26/05/1950	24.07.85 A	-	24.07.85
I	Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs. New York 30/03/61 (UNDCP) EF: 8/08/1975	27.02.92 A	-	28.3.92
II	Protocol Amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs. Geneva 25/03/72. EF: 8/08/75	27.02.92 A	-	27.5.92
	Convention on Psychotropic Substances. Vienna, 21/12/71 (UNDCP) EF : 16/08/2012	27.02.92 A	-	28.3.92
	Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psycho-tropic Substances, (UNDCP). Vienna 20/12/1988. EF: 11/11/1990	27.02.92 A	-	27.5.92
	Framework Convention on Tobacco Control. Geneva. WHO Assembly, 21/05/03 EF: 27/02/05	11.9.2003 S	12.11.03 R	27.02.05
	Convention Establishing the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO). Stockholm, Sweden, 14/7/1967 [Amended on 28/09/1979] EF: 26/04/1970	16.02.99 A	-	16.03.00
	Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, WIPO, 20/03/1883 EF: 7/7/1884. [Last amendment 28/09/1979]	7.08.02 A	-	7.11.02
	Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT). Washington, 19 June 1970, amended in 1979, modified in 1984 and 2001.	7.08.02 A	-	7.11.02
	Convention on Road Traffic, Vienna, 8/11/68. EF: 21/05/77	11.04.77 A	-	21.05.77
	Convention on Road Signs and Signals, UNESCO, Vienna, 8/11/1968 EF: 6/6/1978	11.04.77 A	-	06.06.78
I	Convention establishing the International Maritime Organisation (IMO), 6/03/1948 [The present name was adopted in 1982. Previously was "Convention Establishing the Intergovernmental Maritime Consultative Organization" (IMCO)]	13.06.78 A	-	13.06.78
II	Amendments to Articles 10, 16, 17, 18, 20, 28, 31, 32 of the Convention of the IMO, London 17/10/74. EF: 1/04/78	13.06.78 A	-	13.06.78
III	Amendment to the Title and Substantive Provisions of the Convention on the IMO,	13.06.78 A		

	London, 14/11/1975. EF: 22/05/82		-	22.05.82
IV	Amendment to the Title and Substantive Provisions of the Convention on the IMO, London, 9/11/1977. EF: 22/05/82	29.06.82 Acceptance	-	
V	Amendments to articles 17, 18, 20 and 51 of the Convention on the IMO. London 15/11/1979. EF: 10/11/1984.	29.06.82 Acceptance	-	10.11.84
VI	Amendments to the Convention relating to the Institutionalisation of the Committee on Technical Co-operation in the Convention	07.07.82 A	-	10.11.84
VII	Amendments to the IMO Convention relating to the Institutionalisation of the Facilitation Committee in the Convention, 1991	14.07.92 A		07.12.2008
VIII	Annex XII, IMO to the Convention on Privileges and Immunities	24.07.85 A	-	24.07.85
	International Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules of Law relating to Bills of Lading (“Hague Rules) and Protocol of Signature, Brussels, 25/08/24	2.12.30 Extension	-	2.06.31
	Convention on the Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic (FAL), London 9/04/65, as amended. IMO. EF: 5/03/67 [In 1973 the “Tacit Acceptance” (of Amendments) was adopted. The following amendments are already in Force: 1973, 1986, 1987, 1990, 1992, 1993, 1996, 1999, 2002 and 2005]	13.12.89 A	-	31.07.90
I	United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea(UNCLOS), Montego Bay, 10/12/1982 EF: 16/11/94	28.11.84 S	16.09.91 R	16.11.94
II	Agreement relating to the implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982. EF: 28/0796	29.07.94 S	15.12.94 R	15.12.94
III	Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the UNCLOS relating to the Conservation and Management of the Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks. New York, 4/8/95 EF: 11/12/01	4.12.96 S	20.03.98 R	11.12.2001
	Convention on the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, London 20/10/1972 (COLREG) [of IMCO]. EF: 15/07/77	22.08.88 A	-	22.08.88
I	International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watch keeping for Seafarers 1978 (STCW) EF: 1984	22.08.88 A	-	22.11.1988 (3 months after Accession)
II	Amendments to the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watch keeping for Seafarers 1978 (STCW) as amended. 4/06/97	01.07.98 Acceptance	-	01.01.99
III	Amendments to the Seafarers’ Training Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW) Code, 4/06/97	01.07.98 Acceptance	-	01.01.99
	International Convention Relating to the Limitation of the Liability of Owners of Sea Going Ships. Brussels 10/10/1957	21.08.64 A	-	31.05/68
I	International Convention on Load Lines, London, 5/04/1966, IMCO (or IMO)	01.10.76 A	-	1.01.77

II	Amendments adopted on 12/10/71 to the International Convention on Load Lines of 1966. IMO	1.10.80 Acceptance	-	The Amendment did not come into force as it did not get two-thirds acceptance
III	Amendment adopted on 12/11/75 to the International Convention on Load Lines 1966. IMO	1.10.80 Acceptance	-	“
IV	Amendment adopted on 15 November 1979 to the International Convention on Load Lines 1966. IMO	1.10.80 Acceptance	-	“
V	Amendment adopted on 17/11/83 to the International Convention on Load Lines, 1966. IMO	21/06/84 Acceptance	-	“
VI	Protocol of 1988 relating to the International Convention on Load Lines, 1966. IMO. Entry into force 03.02.2000	26.09.89 S	27.09.89 R	03.02.2000
VII	Amendments to the International Convention on Load Lines, 1966. IMO, proposed by UK during the 24 th Session of the Assembly.	30.03.06 Acceptance	-	3.02. 2010
	Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules of Law Relating to Assistance and Salvage at Sea. Brussels 23.09.1910 [From colonial times. Seychelles is considered Party]	1.02.1913 A	-	3.03.1913
	International Convention on Maritime Search and Rescue, Hamburg, 27/04/1979, as amended by Resolutions MSC.70 and MSC.155. EF: 22/06/1985	9.09.2010 A	-	9.10.10
I	Convention on International Civil Aviation (Chicago Convention) 7/12/44	25.04.77 A	-	25.05.77
IV	Article 93bis, Montreal 27/5/47 [Expulsion or suspension]	22.01.81 A	-	22.01.81
V	Article 45bis, Montreal 14/06/54 [Seat of Organization]	22.01.81 A	-	22.01.81
VI	Articles 48 a), 49 e), and 61bis, Montreal 14/06/54 [Frequency of assembly sessions and budget]	22.01.81 A	-	22.01.81
VII	Article 50 a), Montreal, 21/06/61 [Increase of number of members of the Council]	22.01.81 A	-	22.01.81
VIII	Article 48 a), Rome 15/09/62 [Extraordinary assembly at request of 5 th parties]	22.01.81 A	-	22.01.81
IX	Article 50 a) New York, 12/03/71 [Increase of number of members of Council]	22.01.81 A	-	22.01.81
X	Article 56, Vienna 7/07/71 [Increase of Members of ANC]	22.01.81 A	-	22.01.81
XI	Article 50 a), Montreal 16/10/74 [Increase of number of members of the Council]	22.01.81 A	-	22.01.81
I	Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules Relating to International Carriage by Air. (Warsaw Convention) Warsaw, 12/10/1929	24.06.80 A	-	22.09.80
II	Protocol Amending the Warsaw Convention of 1929, The Hague 1955	24.06.80 A	-	22.09.80

II	Convention Supplementing the Warsaw Convention, Guadalajara 1961	19.06.80 A	-	17.09.80
	International Air Services Transit Agreement, Chicago 7/12/44	16.10.79	-	16.10.79
	Convention on the International Recognition of Rights in Aircraft, Geneva, 19/06/48	16.01.79 A	-	16.04.79
	Convention on Damage caused by Foreign Aircraft to Third Parties on the Surface, Rome 07/10/52	15.09.80 A	-	14.12.80
	Convention on Offences and Certain Other Acts Committed on Board of Aircraft. Tokyo 14/09/1963. (Tokyo Convention)	04.01.79 A	-	04.04.79
	Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules for International Carriage by Air, done in Montreal on 28 May 1999 EF: 04/11/2003	13.09.10 A	-	12.11.10
	Montreal Protocol No. 4 to amend the Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules Relating to International Carriage by Air (Warsaw Convention of 12 October 1929) done on 25 September 1975	28.02.12 A	-	28.05.12
	Treaty on the Prohibition of the Emplacement of Nuclear weapons and other Weapons of Mass Destruction on the Seabed and the Ocean and in the Subsoil Thereof (Seabed Treaty), done in triplicate at London, Moscow and Washington on 11/02/1971. EF: 18/05/1972	12.03.85 A	-	21.10.87
	Treaty Banning Nuclear Weapons Test in the Atmosphere, in Outer Space and under Water, Moscow, 5/08/1963. EF: 10/10/1963	12.03.85 A	-	21.10.83
	Convention on the Prohibition of Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on their Destruction, Paris 13/01/93. Depositary: OPCW. EF: 29/04/97	15.01.93 S	7.04.93 R	29.04.97
	Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (biological) and Toxin Weapons and on their Destruction. (Biological Weapons Convention or BTWC) Washington, London, Moscow, 10/04/1972 EF: 26/03/1975.	11.10.79 Accession	-	10.11.79 (Art. 14.4 on date of deposit of Instrument)
	The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation (HCOC), 25/11/2002 EF: Nov 2002 [formerly/also known as the International Code of Conduct Against Ballistic Missile Proliferation (ICOC)]	25.11.02	-	25.11.2002
I	Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May be Deemed to be Excessively Injurious to have Indiscriminate Effects (CCW), Geneva, 10/10/1980. EF: 2/12/83	8.06.00 A	-	08.12.00 (6 months after accession)

II	Protocol I on non detectable fragments (CCW Prot. I) 1980	8.06.00 A	-	“
III	Protocol II on Prohibitions or Restriction on the Use of Mines, Bobby-traps and other Devices as Amended on 3/05/1996 (CCW Prot. II a)	8.06.00 A	-	“
IV	Protocol III on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Incendiary Weapons (CCW Prot. III) 1980	8.06.00 A	-	“
V	Protocol IV on Blinding Laser Weapons (CCW Prot. IV) 13/10/1995	8.06.00 A	-	“
I	Convention on Biological Diversity. Rio de Janeiro, 5/06/1992. EF: 29/12/1993	10.06.92 S	22.09.92 R	29.12.93
II	Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety to the Convention on Biological Diversity, Montreal, 29/01/00 EF: 11/09/03	23.01.01 S	13.05.04 R	11.08.04 (90 days after deposit)
III	Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity, done in Nagoya on 29/10/2010	15.04.11 S	20.04.12	Expected to enter into force in 2014
I	International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS), 1960. IMO EF: 26/05/1965	1.10.76 Acceptance	-	1.01.77
I. i	International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS), London, 1/11/1974, as Amended. EF: 25/05/1980 IMO	10.05.88 A	-	10.08.88
I. ii	Amendment to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) 1974 adopted on 21/04/88. IMO	21.04.89 Acceptance	-	22.10.89
I. iii	Amendment to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) 1974 adopted on 28/10/88. IMO	28.10.89 Acceptance	-	29.04.90
I. iv	Amendment to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) 1974 adopted on 25/05/90. IMO	31.07.91 Acceptance	-	01.02.92
I. v	Amendment to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) 1974 adopted on 4/06/96. IMO	01.01.98 Acceptance	-	01.07.98
II	Protocol 1978 to International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea. (SOLAS) 1974. IMO	10.05.88 A	-	10.08.88
II. i	Amendments to the Protocol of 1978 to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea. (SOLAS) 1974, concerning Radiocommunications for the Global Maritime Distress and Safety System. London, 11/11/88 IMO	1.02.90 Acceptance	-	1.02.92
III	Protocol of 1988 to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea of 1974. (SOLAS). IMO	26.09.89 S	27.09.89 R	03.02.00
I	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL) 1973/1978. IMO	28.11.90 A	-	18.03.91

II	1989 Amendments to the Annex of the Protocol of 1978 relating to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL) 1973	17.08.90 Acceptance	-	18.02.91
	Convention on the Prevention of Marine Pollution by Dumping of Wastes and other Matter 1972 (London Dumping Convention)	29.10.84 A	-	29.11.84 (30 days after deposit)
	Protocol of 1992 to amend the International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil pollution Damage, 1969. IMO [The International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage 1969 (CLC) has been denounced]	27.07.99 A	-	23.07.00
	Protocol of 1992 to amend the International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage, 1971 (1992 Fund Protocol) [The International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage 1971 has been denounced].	23.07.99 A	-	23.07.00
	International Convention on Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Co-operation 1990 (OPRC)	26.06.92 A	-	18.10.95
	Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPS) Stockholm, 22/05/2001 EF: 17/05/2004	25.03.02 S	3.06.08 R	3.09.08 (90 days after deposit)
I	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) New York, 9/05/92. EF: 21/03/1994	10.06.92 S	22.09.02 R	21.03.94
II	Kyoto Protocol to the UNFCCC, 11/12/1997. EF: 16/02/05 [The first commitment period applies to emissions between 2008-2012, and the second commitment period applies to emissions between 2013-2020. The Protocol was amended in 2012 to accommodate the second commitment period, but this amendment has (as of January 2013) not entered into force]	20.03.98 S	22.07.02 R	16.02.05
I	International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC), Rome, 6/12/51, EF: 3/04/52	31.10.96 Adherence	-	31.10.96 (On date of deposit)
II	Revised Text of the IPPC, FAO Conference, November 1979 EF: 4/04/1991 [New amendments in 1997 entered into force for all parties on 2/10/05]	14.12.04 Acceptance	-	2.10.05
	Convention on the Wetlands of International Importance Especially as Waterfowl Habitat. Ramsar, Iran 2/2/71 as amended by the Protocol of 3.12.82 and the Amendments of 28.15.87	22.11.04 A	-	22.03.05
	UN Convention to Combat Desertification in those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or desertification particularly in Africa. Paris 1994	14.10.94 S	26.06.97 R	24.09.97
I	Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES). Washington 3.03.73	8.02.77 A	-	9.05.77
II	Amendment to Article 11 of the Convention (CITES), Bonn, 22/06/1979, EF:	18.11.82	-	13.04.87

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I	Montreal Protocol on Substances that Depletes the Ozone Layer, Montreal, 16/09/1987, EF: 01/01/1989	06.01.93 A	-	06.04.93
II	Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone layer, London, 1990	06.01.93 A	-	06.01.93
III	Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Depletes the Ozone Layer, Copenhagen, 1992	27.05.93 A	-	14.06.94
IV	Montreal Amendment to the Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, 17/09/1997	26/08/02 A	-	24.11.02
V	Beijing Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, 3/12/1999	26/08/02 A	-	25.11.02
	Basel Convention on the Control of Trans-boundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal, Geneva, Date 22/03/1989, EF: 05/05/1992	11.05.93 A	-	11.05.93
	International Convention for the regulation of Whaling. Washington, 2/12/46. EF: 10/11/48, as Amended by the Protocol of Washington 19/11/56	19.03.79 Adherence	-	19.03.79
	Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS). Bonn, 23/06/1979.	26.05.05 A	-	1.08.05
	International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA) done in Bonn, on the 26 th January 2009. EF: 8/07/2010	8.06.09 S	3.05.11 R	3.6.11
	Annex XIII International Finance Corporation (IFC) to the Convention on Privileges and Immunities of the Specialised Agencies, Washington, 02/04/1959	24.07.85 A	-	24.07.85
	Agreement Establishing the Agency for International Trade Information and Co-operation (AITIC) as an Intergovernmental Organization, Geneva, 9/12/2002	11. 03. 08 A (Date of Instrument)	-	8.05.08
	Convention Establishing a Customs Cooperation Council, and Annex, Brussels, 15/12/1950 [Modified on 19/03/08 and 22/04/08]	25.07.00 Accession		25.07.00
	Agreement Establishing the Advisory Centre on World Trade Organization Law, Seattle, 30/11/99 EF: 15/7/2001	12.09.12 A	-	12.10.12
I	Statute of the International Atomic Energy Agency, Vienna, 23/10/1956. EF: 29/7/1957	12. 03.03 Acceptance	-	12.04.03
II	Amendment of Article XIV.A of the Statute of the IAEA, Vienna 1/10/99	November 2005 Acceptance		Not yet in force as required number of acceptance has

				not been reached yet
	Treaty on the Non Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT), New York, 12/06/68 EF: 5/03/70 [signed in triplicate in Moscow, London, Washington on 1/07/68]	12.03.85 A	-	21.10.87
	Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (CTBT) New York, 10/09/96. Depository: SG of the UN	24.09.96 S	20.04.04 R	Treaty not in force yet
I	Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material (CPPNM). Vienna 26/10/79 and New York 3/03/80	13.08.03 A	-	12.09.03
II	Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities [this is the same CPPNM as amended by Amendment adopted on 8/07/05]	9.01.06 Acceptance	-	Not in Force by February 2013
	African Regional Cooperative Agreement for Research, Development and Training Related to Nuclear Science and Technology (AFRA), of 21 February of 1990 (Fourth Extension of the Agreement)	20.01.2011 Acceptance	-	20.01.11 (on date of receipt)
	Constitutive Act of the African Union, Lome, Togo 11.07.2000 [amended on 10/12/02] [the OAU was established on 25/05/63]	11.07.00 Adoption	20.03.01	26.05.01
I	Agreement Establishing the African Development Bank (ADB) 1963	1978 (Bank started operations in Seychelles) 20/04/1977 A		20.04.1977
II	Amendment to the Agreement establishing the ADB, 1979	14.12.79 A		07.05.82
	Charter of the Eastern and Southern African Trade and Development Bank. Bujumbura, Burundi, 12/7/85. [This is the Bank for the Treaty for the Establishment of the Preferential Trade Area, that's why it is known as the Preferential Trade Area (PTA) Bank]	14.02.05 A	-	As notified by the Bank
	Treaty Establishing the African Economic Community. (Abuja Treaty) EF: 12/05/94	03.06.91 S	07.11.91 R	12.05.94
	OAU Convention on the Prevention and Combating of Terrorism, Algiers, Algeria. 13/07/99	7.07.03 S	21.09.03 R	5.08.03
	OAU Convention for the elimination of Mercenarism in Africa. Libreville, Gabon 3/07/77	Signature	15.10.79	15.11.79
	OAU Convention Governing the Specific Aspects of Refugees Problems in Africa. Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 10/09/69.	Signature	24.09.80 R	24.09.80
	African Convention on the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources. Algiers, Algeria, 15/09/68. [There is a final revised text on 2/06/02]	14.10.77 A	-	14/11/77

	Convention for the Protection, Management and Development of the Marine and Coastal Environment of the Eastern African Region, Nairobi, 21/06/1985 EF: 30/05/1996 [Not supposed to be in force anymore, replaced by the Amended Convention of 31 March 2010] MFA/362/23/1	22.06.85 S	16.11.94 R	30.05.96
I	African Charter on Human and Peoples Rights (ACHPR). Nairobi, Kenya, 06/1981 [Establishes the Commission in its Article 30]	06.05.92 A	-	06.08.92 (3 months latter)
II	African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 11/07/90. EF: 29/11/99	Signature (Article 47)	27.02.92 R	29.11.99
III	Protocol to the ACHPR on the Rights of Women in Africa, Maputo 11/07/03 EF: 25/11/05	9.03.06 A Date of Instrument	-	25.04.06 EF this date of deposit
	Cultural Charter for Africa, Port Louis, Mauritius, 05/07/1976, EF: 19/9/1990	03.03.77 A	-	14 days after notice
	African Union Youth Charter, Banjul 2 July 2006, EF: 8/08/09	11.02.11 Accession	-	11.02.11
	African Union Convention on Preventing and Combating Corruption, Maputo 11/07/03. EF: 5/08/2006	1/06/08 A		18.06.08
	Regional Convention on the Recognition of Studies, Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees and other Academic Qualifications in Higher Education in the African States. Arusha, 5 December 1981	27.08.98 A		27.09.98
	Declaration and Treaty of the Southern African Development Community (SADC) EF: 30/09/93 [Withdrawal EF: 30.6.04]	17.08.2008 (Readmission)		
	SADC Protocol on Combating Illicit Drugs. Maseru 24/08/96 EF: 20/03/99	28.11.00 A	-	28.12.00
	IBRD (International Bank for Reconstruction and Development) Annex VI for International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) 27 December 1945, Privileges and Immunities	24.07.85 (As it is an Annex, the term Application is used)	-	24.07.85
I	UN Convention against Trans-national Organised Crime. Palermo, Italy, 15/11/00 EF: 29/09/03	12.12.00 S	22.04.03 R	29.09.03
II	Protocol Against Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, Supplementing the UN Convention against TOC, New York, 15/11/00 EF: 28/10/04	2.07.02 S	22/06/04 R	21/07/04
III	Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, Supplementing the UN Convention against TOC. New York, 15/11/00	22.07.02 S	22.06.04 R	21.07.04 (30 days Latter)

	EF: 25.12.03			
	Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others, GAUN. Lake Success, New York 21/03/50	05.05.92 A	-	05.08.92 (90 days later)
	The Djibouti Code of Conduct concerning the Repression of Piracy and Armed Robbery against Ships in the Western Indian Ocean and the Gulf of Aden, which was signed on 29 January 2009 E.F on date of signature: 29.01.2009	29.01.2009		29.01.2009
I	Constitution of the International Labour Organization, April 1919 [Amended in 1922, 1945, 1946, 1953, 1962, 1972 (all in force) 1964, 1986 and 1997 (the three of them not in force yet)]	28.11.84 Acceptance	-	28.11.84
II	Constitution of the International Labour Organization Instrument of Amendment, 1997	No provision for Signature	28.10.05 R	Not yet in force generally
# 2	Unemployment Convention No. 2 (1919). EF: 6/02/78	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#8	Unemployment Indemnity Shipwreck Convention No. 8 (1920). EF: 6/02/78	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#11	Right of Association Agriculture Convention No.11. EF: 11.5.1923	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#16	Medical examination of Young Persons Sea Convention No. 16 (1921). EF: 20.11.1922	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#22	Seamen's Articles of Agreement Convention, 1926 No 22	“	28.10.05 R	28.10.05
#26	Minimum Wage Fixing Machinery Convention No. 26 (1928). EF: 14.6.1930	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#29	Forced Labor Convention No. 29. EF: 01.05.1932	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#50	Recruiting on Indigenous Workers Convention, 1936 No. 50. EF: 08.09.1939	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#64	Contracts of Employment (indigenous workers) Convention No. 64. EF: 08.07.1948	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#65	Penal Sanctions (indigenous workers) Convention No. 65. EF: 08.07.1948	-	06.02.78	06.02.78
#73	The Medical Examination (Seafarers) Convention, 1946 No. 73	“	28.10.05 R	28.04.06 [6 months later]
#87	Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organize Convention No. 87, 1948. EF: 04.07.1950	-	06.02.78	06.02.79
#81	The Labour Inspection Convention, 1947 No 81	“	28.10.05 R	28.10.06
#98	Right to Organize and Collective Bargaining Convention No. 98, 1949. EF:	“	04.10.99 R	04.10.00
#99	Minimum Wage Fixing Machinery (Agriculture) Convention No. 99, 1951 EF: 23.08.1953	-	06.02.78	06.02.79

#100	Convention concerning Equal Remuneration for Men and Women Workers for Work of Equal Value (Equal Remuneration Convention) EF: 23:05:1953. No. 100, 1951.	“	23.11.99 R	23.11.00
#105	Abolition of Forced Labor Convention No 105, 1957. EF: 17.01.1959,	-	06.02.78	06.02.79
#108	Seafarers Identity Documents Convention No. 108, 1958. EF: 19.02.1961	-	06.02.78	06.02.79
#111	Convention Concerning Discrimination in Respect of Employment and Occupation EF: 15/06/60 No. 111, 1958.	“	23.11.99 R	23.11.00
#138	Minimum Age Convention No. 138, 1973. EF:	“	07.03.00 R	7.03.2001
#144	The Tripartite Consultation (International Labour Standards) Convention , 1976 No 144	“	28.10.05 R	28.10.06
#147	The Merchant Shipping (Minimum Standards) Convention, 1976 No 147.	“	28.10.05 R	28.10.06
#148	Working Environment (Air Pollution, Noise and Vibration) Convention No. 148, 1977. EF:	“	23.11.99 R	23.11.2000
#149	Nursing Personnel Convention No. 149, 1977. EF:	“	12.10.93 R	12.10.94 [12 months after]
#150	Labour Administration Convention, 1978 No 150	“	23.11.99 R	
#151	Labour Relations (Public Service) Convention No. 151, 1978. EF:	“	23.11.99 R	23.11.00
#152	The Occupational Safety and Health (Dock Work) Convention, 1979 No 152	“	28.10.05 R	28.10.06
#155	The Occupational Safety and Health Convention, 1981 No 155	“	28.10.05 R	28.10.06
#161	The Occupational Health Services Convention, 1985 No 161	“	28.10.05 R	28.10.06 [12 months later]
#180	The Seafarers’ Hours of Work and the Manning of Ships Convention, 1996 No 180	“	28.10.05 R	28.04.06 [six months after]
#182	Worst Forms of Child Labour No. 182, 1999. EF: 19/11/2000	“	28.09.99 R	19.11.2000
	Convention of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU), Geneva 1992. EF: 1/07/94 [Abrogated as between members the 1982 Nairobi Convention]	17.09.99 Accession	-	17.09.99 (Became effective on date of deposit)
	Convention on the taking of evidence abroad in civil and commercial matters. The Hague 18.03.70	7.01.04 A	-	07.03.04
	Convention on the Recovery Abroad of Maintenance. UN, New York 20/06/56	1.11.04 A	-	1.12.04
	Convention on Succession of States in Respect of Treaties. GAUN Vienna, 23.08.78	22.02.80 A	-	22.03.80 (30 days after deposit)
	Convention Abolishing the Requirement of Legalization for Foreign Public	09.06.78 A	-	31.03.79

	Documents, The Hague 5.10.61. [Apostille Convention]			
	Convention on the Service Abroad of Judicial and Extrajudicial Documents in Civil or Commercial Matters. The Hague 15.11.65	18.11.80 Accession	-	18.05.81
	Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction, The Hague, 25/10/80	10.09.08 Accession	-	1.12.08
	Convention on Protection of Children and Co-operation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption. The Hague 29/05/1993	26 .06.08 Accession	-	1.10.08 (Notification from depositary)
	Constitution of the Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO), Quebec, 16/10/1954 EF: 16/10/1945	14.11.77 Acceptance	-	Upon receipt of Interim Commission of the Organization
	International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture, November 2001. EF: 29/06/04	30.05.06 A	-	29.08.06
	Agreement for the Establishment of the Indian Ocean Tuna Commission (IOTC), Rome 25/11/1993 EF: 27/03/1996	26.07.95 Acceptance	-	27/03/1996
	Southern Indian Ocean Fisheries Agreement (SIOFA), 7/07/06, [Depositary: FAO]	7.07.06 S	14.01.08 R	14.02.08 (30 days after deposit)
I	Accord général de coopération entre les états membres de la Commission de L' Océan Indien, Port Louis, Maurice, 10/01/84 [signé par Maurice, Madagascar et Seychelles]	10.01.84 S	20.06.84 R	January 1986 [As Comoros and Mauritius ratified]
II	Protocole d'adhésion de la république française à l' Accord Général de Coopération entre les Etats Membres de la COI, Port Louis, 10/01/86	-	28.01.87 R	[EF on date of last ratification]
III	Protocole d'Adhesión de la République Fédérale Islamique des Comores, Port Louis, 10/01/86	-	28.01.87 R	[EF on date of last ratification.]
	International Organization for Migration (IOM) [formed in 1951, became the IOM in 1989]	16 Nov 2011 (Letter of Application)	-	05.12.2011
	Convention on the World Meteorological Organization, Washington 11/10/47. EF: 23/03/50	15.02.77 A	-	15.03.77 (30 days after deposit)