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## Part I.—GENERAL TREATIES

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
<b>AALAND ISLANDS—</b>		
Treaty ... ..	Geneva, Oct. 20, 1921	6/1922 Cmd. 1680
Re-applied to the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
<b>AERIAL NAVIGATION—</b>		
Convention. Regulation of Aerial Navigation ...	Paris, Oct. 13, 1919	2/1922 Cmd. 1609
Denunciation—		
Japan ... ..	Oct. 8, 1953	
Convention and Additional Protocol. International Carriage by Air ... ..	Warsaw, Oct. 12, 1929	11/1933 Cmd. 4284
Ratification—		
Japan ... ..	May 20, 1953	
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Belgium by Allied High Commission Note of June 25, 1953.		
Convention. Sanitary Control ... ..	The Hague, Apr. 12, 1933	19/1935 Cmd. 4938
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of October 13, 1953.		
Convention. International Civil Aviation ... ..	Chicago, Dec. 7, 1944	8/1953 Cmd. 8742
Ratification—		
Honduras ... ..	May 7, 1953	
Accessions—		
Japan ... ..	Sept. 8, 1953	
Libya ... ..	Jan. 29, 1953	
Denunciation withdrawn by—		
Guatemala ... ..	Dec. 8, 1952 Chicago,	8/1953 Cmd. 8742
Agreement. International Air Services Transit ...	Dec. 7, 1944	
Accession—		
Japan ... ..	Oct. 20, 1953	
Denunciation withdrawn by—		
Guatemala ... ..	Dec. 8, 1952	
Convention. Sanitary Control, 1944, modifying the Convention of April 12, 1933 ... ..	Washington, Jan. 5/15, 1945	64/1946 Cmd. 6999
Correction—		
Entry regarding Finland in "Treaty Series No. 78 (1949)" should be deleted.		

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<b>ARBITRATION—</b>		
Protocol. Arbitration Clauses . . . . .	Geneva, Sept. 24, 1923	4/1925 Cmd. 2312
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and—		
United Kingdom, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Pakistan, by Allied High Commission Note of October 5, 1953.		
Austria, as from April 1, 1952, by Allied High Commission Note of April 15, 1953.		
Brazil, as from September 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of October 13, 1953.		
Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
Netherlands, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of October 5, 1953.		
Convention. Foreign Arbitral Awards . . . . .	Geneva, Sept. 26, 1927	28/1930 Cmd. 3655
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and—		
United Kingdom, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Pakistan, by Allied High Commission Note of October 5, 1953.		
Austria, as from April 1, 1952, by Allied High Commission Note of April 15, 1953.		
Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
Netherlands, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of October 5, 1953.		
<b>BANK FOR INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENTS—</b>		
Convention . . . . .	The Hague, Jan. 20, 1930	6/1931 Cmd. 3766
Re-applied to the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
<b>BILLS OF EXCHANGE AND PROMISSORY NOTES—</b>		
Convention and Protocol. Stamp Laws . . . . .	Geneva, June 7, 1930	14/1934 Cmd. 4594
Extension—		
Portuguese overseas territories . . . . .	Aug. 16, 1953	
Re-applied to the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
<b>BILLS OF HEALTH—</b>		
[See also Health]		
Agreement. Consular Visas on Bills of Health . . . . .	Paris, Dec. 22, 1934	12/1935 Cmd. 4869
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
<b>BILLS OF LADING—</b>		
Convention and Protocol . . . . .	Brussels, Aug. 25, 1924	17/1931 Cmd. 3806
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		

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<b>CABLES—</b>		
Convention. Submarine Cables ... ..	Paris, Mar. 14, 1884	C. 4384
Declaration and Protocol. Submarine Cables ... Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.	Paris, Dec. 1, 1886/ July 7, 1887	C. 5245
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
<b>CHEQUES—</b>		
Convention and Protocol. Stamp Laws ... ..	Geneva, Mar. 19, 1931	26/1933 Cmd. 4443
Re-applied to the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Extension— Portuguese overseas territories ... ..	Aug. 16, 1953	
<b>CULTURAL RELATIONS—</b>		
Constitution. United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation ... ..	London, Nov. 16, 1945	50/1946 Cmd. 6963
Signatures—		
Libya ... ..	June 27, 1953	
Nepal ... ..	May 1, 1953	
Spain ... ..	Jan. 30, 1953	
Acceptances—		
Chile ... ..	July 7, 1953	
Libya ... ..	Mar. 9, 1953	
Nepal ... ..	May 1, 1953	
Spain ... ..	Jan. 30, 1953	
<b>CUSTOMS FORMALITIES—</b>		
Convention and Protocol. Simplification of Formalities Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.	Geneva, Nov. 3, 1923	16/1925 Cmd. 2347
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
<b>CUSTOMS TARIFFS—</b>		
Convention ... ..	Brussels, July 5, 1890	C. 6430
Re-applied to the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Protocol. Modification of the 1890 Convention ...	Brussels, Dec. 16, 1949	59/1950 Cmd. 8050
Acceptance—		
Yugoslavia ... ..	Mar. 28, 1950	
Accessions—		
Greece ... ..	Jan. 16, 1953	
Thailand ... ..	Apr. 7, 1953	
<b>DEBTS—</b>		
Convention. Limitation of Employment of Force for Recovery of Contract Debts ... ..	The Hague, Oct. 18, 1907	7/1910 Cd. 5028
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		

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<b>DENGUE FEVER—</b>		
Convention ... ..	Athens, July 25, 1934	37/1935 Cmd. 5008
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
<b>DRUGS—</b>		
Convention. Dangerous Drugs ... ..	Geneva, Feb. 19, 1925	27/1928 Cmd. 3244
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
Convention. Narcotic Drugs ... ..	Geneva, July 13, 1931	31/1933 Cmd. 4413
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Protocol. Amendment of certain Agreements and Conventions on Narcotic Drugs ... ..	New York, Dec. 11, 1946	35/1947 Cmd. 7135
Acceptance—		
Japan ... ..	Mar. 27, 1952	
Protocol. Control of Drugs outside scope of 1931 Convention as amended by 1946 Protocol ...	Paris, Nov. 19, 1948	4/1950 Cmd. 7874
Acceptance—		
Switzerland (with reservation) ... ..	Mar. 18, 1953	
Extension—		
Belgian Congo and Ruanda Urundi ... ..	Jan. 27, 1953	
<b>EDUCATION—</b>		
Convention. Student Employees ... ..	Brussels, Apr. 17, 1950	8/1952 Cmd. 8478
Ratifications—		
Belgium ... ..	May 29, 1953	
France ... ..	Apr. 21, 1953	
Extensions—		
Channel Islands ... ..	} Feb. 1, 1953	
Isle of Man ... ..		
<b>EUROPE—</b>		
Statute. Council of Europe ... ..	London, May 5, 1949	51/1949 Cmd. 7778
Article 26 of the Statute has been amended to read as follows:—		
“Members shall be entitled to the number of Representatives given below:—		
Belgium ... .. 7	Italy ... .. 18	
Denmark ... .. 5	Luxembourg ... 3	
France ... .. 18	Netherlands ... 7	
Germany, Federal Republic of 18	Norway ... .. 5	
Greece... .. 7	Saar ... .. 3	
Iceland ... .. 3	Sweden ... .. 6	
Ireland [Irish Republic] 4	Turkey ... .. 10	
	United Kingdom 18.”	
This Amendment was approved by the Consultative Assembly on December 11, 1951, and entered into force on December 18, 1951.		

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<b>EUROPE—(continued)—</b>		
Agreement. Council of Europe. Privileges and Immunities of ... ..	Paris, Sept. 2, 1949	34/1953 Cmd. 8852
Ratifications—		
Denmark ... ..	Sept. 2, 1953	
Greece ... ..	Nov. 17, 1953	
<b>EXHIBITIONS—</b>		
Protocol. Modification of 1928 Convention ... ..	Paris, May 10, 1948	57/1951 Cmd. 8311
Ratifications—		
Finland ... ..	Oct. 1, 1953	
Italy ... ..	Dec. 26, 1952	
<b>FINANCIAL—</b>		
Agreement. International Monetary Fund ... ..	Washington, Dec. 27, 1945	21/1946 Cmd. 6885
Signatures and Acceptances—		
Austria ... ..	Aug. 27, 1948	
Burma ... ..	Jan. 3, 1952	
Finland ... ..	Jan. 14, 1948	
Germany, Federal Republic of ... ..	Aug. 14, 1952	
Japan ... ..	Aug. 13, 1952	
Jordan ... ..	Aug. 29, 1952	
Thailand ... ..	May 3, 1949	
Withdrawal—		
Poland ... ..	Mar. 14, 1950	
Agreement. International Bank for Reconstruction and Development ... ..	Washington, Dec. 27, 1945	21/1946 Cmd. 6885
Signatures and Acceptances—		
Austria ... ..	Aug. 27, 1948	
Burma ... ..	Jan. 3, 1952	
Finland ... ..	Jan. 14, 1948	
Germany, Federal Republic of ... ..	Aug. 14, 1952	
Japan ... ..	Aug. 13, 1952	
Jordan ... ..	Aug. 29, 1952	
Thailand ... ..	May 3, 1949	
Withdrawal—		
Poland ... ..	Mar. 14, 1950	
<b>FISHERIES—</b>		
Convention. Police of North Sea Fisheries ... ..	The Hague, May 6, 1882	Commercial No. 24/1882
Declaration. North Sea Fisheries ... ..	The Hague, Feb. 1, 1889	Commercial No. 4/1890
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and the United Kingdom, Belgium, Denmark, France and the Netherlands, as from July 1, 1952, by Allied High Commission Note of December 23, 1952.		
Convention. North-West Atlantic Fisheries ... ..	Washington, Feb. 8, 1949	62/1950 Cmd. 8071
Ratifications—		
France ... ..	Jan. 27, 1953	
Norway ... ..	July 2, 1952	
Agreement. Establishment of a General Mediterranean Fisheries Council ... ..	Rome, Sept. 24, 1949	15/1952 Cmd. 8508
Acceptance—		
Spain ... ..	Oct. 19, 1953	

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<b>FLAG—</b>		
Declaration. Right to a Flag of States having no Sea-coast ... ..	Barcelona, Apr. 20, 1921	29/1923 Cmd. 1994
Re-applied to the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
<b>HEALTH—</b>		
[See also Bills of Health].		
Agreement. Office of Public Health ... ..	Rome, Dec. 9, 1907	6/1909 Cd. 4532
Withdrawal— Uruguay ... ..	July 21, 1953	
Constitution. World Health Organisation ... ..	New York, July 22, 1946	43/1948 Cmd. 7458
Acceptances— Irish Republic ... ..	Oct. 20, 1947 (Amended date)	
Nepal ... ..	Sept. 2, 1953	
Sweden ... ..	Mar. 28, 1947	
Yemen ... ..	Nov. 20, 1953	
<b>HUMAN RIGHTS—</b>		
Convention. Protection of Human Rights ... ..	Rome, Nov. 4, 1950	71/1953 Cmd. 8969
Extensions—		
Aden Colony ... ..	Oct. 23, 1953.	
Bahamas ... ..		
Barbados ... ..		
Basutoland ... ..		
Bechuanaland ... ..		
Bermuda ... ..		
British Guiana ... ..		
British Honduras ... ..		
British Solomon Islands ... ..		
Channel Islands—		
Bailiwick of Jersey ... ..		
Bailiwick of Guernsey ... ..		
Cyprus ... ..		
Falkland Islands ... ..		
Fiji ... ..		
Gambia ... ..		
Gilbert and Ellice Islands ... ..		
Gold Coast ... ..		
Isle of Man ... ..		
Jamaica ... ..		
Kenya ... ..		
Gibraltar ... ..		
Leeward Islands ... ..		
Malaya, Federation of ... ..		
Malta ... ..		
Mauritius ... ..		
Nigeria ... ..		
Northern Rhodesia ... ..		
North Borneo ... ..		
Nyasaland ... ..		
St. Helena ... ..		
Sarawak ... ..		

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<b>HUMAN RIGHTS—(continued)—</b>		
Extensions—(continued)—		
Seychelles ... ..	Oct. 23, 1953	
Sierra Leone ... ..		
Singapore ... ..		
Somaliland ... ..		
Swaziland ... ..		
Tanganyika ... ..		
Trinidad ... ..		
Uganda ... ..		
Windward Islands—		
Dominica ... ..		
Grenada ... ..		
St. Lucia ... ..		
St. Vincent ... ..		
Zanzibar ... ..		
Tonga (at her request) ... ..		
 <b>INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY—</b>		
Agreement. False Indications of Origin on Goods ...	London, June 2, 1934	54/1938 Cmd. 5832
Accessions—		
Japan ... ..	Apr. 21, 1953	
Sweden ... ..	Mar. 31, 1953	
 Convention. Protection of Industrial Property ...		
Accessions—		
Finland ... ..	London, June 2, 1934	55/1938 Cmd. 5833
Greece ... ..	Apr. 1, 1953	
Sweden ... ..	Oct. 5, 1953	
	Mar. 31, 1953	
 Agreement. Preservation and Restoration of Industrial Property affected by the Second World War ...		
Accession—		
Ceylon ... ..	Neuchâtel, Feb. 8, 1947	54/1949 Cmd. 7784
(This Agreement had previously been extended to Ceylon by the United Kingdom under Article 10.)		
	Feb. 9, 1953	
 Agreement. German-owned Patents. 1946 Accord, as amended by 1947 Protocol. Extension to Italy ...		
Ratification—		
Italy ... ..	Rome, Nov. 29, 1950	14/1951 Cmd. 8156
Accessions—		
Canada ... ..	May 30, 1953	
India ... ..	May 30, 1953	
Denmark ... ..	Mar. 4, 1953	
Norway ... ..	Dec. 22, 1952	
Turkey ... ..	Mar. 2, 1953	
	Dec. 10, 1952	
 <b>INLAND NAVIGATION—</b>		
Convention. Measurement of Vessels ... ..	Paris, Nov. 27, 1925	26/1927 Cmd. 2952
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		



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<b>JUSTICE—</b>		
Statute. International Court of Justice ... ..	San Francisco, June 26, 1945	67/1946 Cmd. 7015
Acceptances of Compulsory Jurisdiction—		
Israel ... ..	Oct. 11, 1950	
For five years. Subject to reciprocity and subject to ratification. Not applicable (a) to any dispute in respect of which the parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another means of peaceful settlement; (b) to any dispute relating to matters which are essentially within the domestic jurisdiction of the State of Israel; (c) to any dispute between the State of Israel and another State which refuses to establish or maintain normal relations with it.		
Japan ... ..	Dec. 10, 1951	
Without special agreement, under Article 22 of the Treaty of Peace with Japan of September 8, 1951 (see "Treaty Series, No. 33 (1952), Cmd. 8601).		
Liechtenstein ... ..	Mar. 29, 1950	
Subject to one year's notice.		
Ratifications—		
Israel ... ..	Oct. 25, 1951	
(On understanding that reservation (c) of acceptance is intended in principle to apply in cases where the absence of relations existed prior to and independently of the dispute. Nevertheless, any divergence of views which may arise in a given case will come under the jurisdiction of the Court in accordance with Article 36, paragraph 6 of its Statute. Taking into account this provision of the Statute, the Government of Israel cannot commit itself or its successors to abide strictly by this interpretation should a difference arise as to the competence of the Court under this declaration and, should such a dispute arise, full freedom of action is hereby reserved as to the way in which the jurisdiction of the Court may be invoked.)		
Liberia ... ..	Apr. 17, 1953	
For five years and thereafter until notice of termination. Subject to reciprocity. Not applicable (a) to any dispute which Liberia considers essentially within its domestic jurisdiction; and (b) to any dispute in regard to which the parties have agreed or may agree to bring before other tribunals as a result of agreements already existing or which may be made in the future.		
<b>LABOUR—</b>		
Convention. International Labour Organisation (I.L.O.) Final Articles Revision ... ..	Montreal, Oct. 9, 1946	64/1948 Cmd. 7516
Ratifications—		
Cuba ... ..	July 20, 1953	
Vietnam ... ..	June 6, 1953	
[Convention. Student Employees, see Education.]		
<b>LIQUOR TRAFFIC (NORTH SEA)—</b>		
Convention ... ..	The Hague, Nov. 16, 1887	13/1894 C. 7354
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of April 30, 1953.		

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<b>LOAD LINES—</b>		
Convention ... ..	London, July 5, 1930	35/1932 Cmd. 4199
Accession—		
Costa Rica ... ..	July 1, 1953	
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and—		
United Kingdom, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Brazil, Denmark, France, Italy, Netherlands, Peru, and Union of South Africa, as from June 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of December 17, 1953.		
<b>MARITIME CONVENTIONS—</b>		
Conventions. Unification of certain Rules of Law regarding—	Brussels, Sept. 23, 1910	4/1913 Cd. 6677
(1) Collisions between Vessels, and (2) Assistance and Salvage at Sea.		
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and—		
United Kingdom, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
Netherlands, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of October 5, 1953.		
<b>MARITIME PORTS—</b>		
[See Ports.]		
<b>MATCHES—</b>		
Convention. White Phosphorus in Matches ... ..	Berne, Sept. 26, 1906	4/1909 Cd. 4530
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
<b>METEOROLOGY—</b>		
Convention. World Meteorological Organisation ...	Washington, Oct. 11, 1947	36/1950 Cmd. 7989
Accession—		
Japan ... ..	Aug. 11, 1953	
Extensions—		
British Caribbean Territories—		
Bahamas ... ..	} Sept. 24, 1953	
Barbados ... ..		
British Guiana ... ..		
British Honduras ... ..		
Jamaica (including Turks and Caicos Islands)		
Leeward Islands—		
Antigua ... ..		
Montserrat ... ..		
St. Christopher and Nevis. ... ..		
Virgin Islands ... ..		
Trinidad and Tobago ... ..		

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<b>METEOROLOGY—(continued)—</b>		
Convention. World Meteorological Organisation— (continued)—	Washington, Oct. 11, 1947	36/1950 Cmd. 7989
Extensions—(continued)—		
British Carribean Territories—(continued)—		
Windward Islands—		
Dominica ... ..	} Sept., 24, 1953	
Grenada ... ..		
St. Lucia ... ..		
St. Vincent ... ..		
British Somaliland ... ..	Nov. 2, 1953	
Applied by United Kingdom and France to—		
New Hebrides ... ..	Sept. 1, 1953	
<b>METRIC SYSTEM—</b>		
Convention ... ..	Sèvres, Oct. 6, 1921	24/1923 Cmd. 1982
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
<b>MOTOR CARS—</b>		
Convention. International Circulation ... ..	Paris, Apr. 24, 1926	11/1930 Cmd. 3510
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and the Argentine Republic, as from May 1, 1952, by Allied High Commission Note of March 16, 1953.		
<b>NATIONALITY—</b>		
Convention. Conflict of Nationality Laws ... ..	The Hague, Apr. 12, 1930	33/1937 Cmd. 5553
Accepted by Pakistan—by reason of Article 4 of the Schedule to the Indian Independence (International Arrangements) Order, 1947—by notification received by the United Nations on July 29, 1953.		
Protocol. A certain case of Statelessness ... ..	The Hague, Apr. 12, 1930	31/1937 Cmd. 5552
Accepted by Pakistan—by reason of Article 4 of the Schedule to the Indian Independence (International Arrangements) Order, 1947—by notification received by the United Nations on July 29, 1953.		
<b>OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS—</b>		
Agreement. Suppression ... ..	Paris, May 4, 1910	11/1911 Cd. 5657
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of October 13, 1953.		
Convention. Suppression ... ..	Geneva, Sept. 12, 1923	1/1926 Cmd. 2575
Ratification—		
Hayti ... ..	Aug. 26, 1953	
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of October 13, 1953.		

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<b>OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS—(continued)—</b>		
Protocol. Amending 1923 Convention ... ..	Lake Success, Nov. 12, 1947	2/1952 Cmd. 8438
Signature—		
Iran (subject to approval) ... ..	July 16, 1953	
Protocol. Amending 1910 Agreement ... ..	Lake Success, May 4, 1949	13/1951 Cmd. 8152
Acceptance—		
Yugoslavia ... ..	Apr. 29, 1953	
<b>OPIUM—</b>		
Convention and Protocol ... ..	The Hague, Jan. 23, 1912	17/1921 Cmd. 1520
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
<b>PEACE—</b>		
Treaty. Japan ... ..	San Francisco, Sept. 8, 1951	33/1952 Cmd. 8601
Ratifications—		
Egypt ... ..	Dec. 30, 1952	
Honduras ... ..	Sept. 4, 1953	
Liberia ... ..	Dec. 29, 1952	
Panama ... ..	Apr. 10, 1953	
Paraguay ... ..	Jan. 15, 1953	
Syria ... ..	Dec. 29, 1952	
Protocol to the Treaty of Peace with Japan ... ..	San Francisco, Sept. 8, 1951	33/1952 Cmd. 8601
Signature—		
New Zealand ... ..	Oct. 3, 1951	
Agreement. Settlement of disputes arising under Article 15 (a) of the Treaty of Peace with Japan ...	Washington, June 12, 1952	54/1952 Cmd. 8675
Signatures—		
South Africa, Union of ... ..	Jan. 7, 1953	
Netherlands (subject to ratification) ... ..	Mar. 5, 1953	
Ratification—		
Netherlands ... ..	Sept. 10, 1953	
<b>PORTS—</b>		
Convention and Statute. International Régime of Maritime Ports ... ..	Geneva, Dec. 9, 1923	24/1925 Cmd. 2419
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.		
<b>PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES—</b>		
[See Europe and also United Nations.]		
<b>RHINE—</b>		
Convention and Protocol. Issue of Rhine Navigation Certificates ... ..	Strasbourg, Dec. 14, 1922/ Dec. 22, 1923	46/1925 Cmd. 2521
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of October 1953.		

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<b>RICE—</b>		
Constitution. International Rice Commission ...	Washington, Nov. 1948	75/1950 Cmd. 8118
Acceptances—		
Australia, Commonwealth of ... ..	July 1, 1953	
Korea, Republic of ... ..	Nov. 21, 1953	
<b>ROAD TRAFFIC—</b>		
Declaration. Constitution of Main International Traffic Arteries ... ..	Geneva, Sept. 16, 1950	12/1952 Cmd. 8490
Withdrawal of reservation regarding ratification of signature by—		
Netherlands ... ..	Dec. 4, 1952	
<b>SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEA—</b>		
Convention ... ..	London, May 31, 1929	34/1932 Cmd. 4198
Denunciations—		
India ... ..	Nov. 27, 1953	X
Irish Republic ... ..	Nov. 19, 1953	X
Finland ... ..	Nov. 11, 1953	X
France ... ..	Nov. 19, 1952	
Philippine Republic ... ..	Sept. 18, 1953	
Vietnam ... ..	Sept. 15, 1953	
Re-applied between the United Kingdom and the Federal Republic of Germany, as from January 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of January 30, 1953.	Aug. 19, 1953	
Re-applied between the Federal Republic of Germany and Denmark, as from October 1, 1953, by Allied High Commission Note of November 27, 1953.		
Convention ... ..	London, June 10, 1948	1/1953 Cmd. 8720
Acceptances—		
Irish Republic ... ..	Aug. 19, 1953	X
Chile ... ..	June 5, 1953	
Finland ... ..	Aug. 13, 1953	
Liberia ... ..	Jan. 13, 1953	
Spain ... ..	Dec. 26, 1952	
Vietnam ... ..	Sept. 12, 1953	
Extensions—		
Hong Kong ... ..	Apr. 7, 1953	
Alaska ... ..		
Hawaii ... ..	Nov. 19, 1952	
Puerto Rico ... ..		
Italian Somaliland ... ..	July 6, 1953	
Spanish Protectorate of Morocco ... ..		
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