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This publication contains information received up to June 30, 1963.

Part I.—GENERAL TREATIES

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
AERIAL NAVIGATION—		
Convention. International Civil Aviation	Chicago, Dec. 7, 1944	8/1953 Cmd. 8742
Accessions—		
Jamaica	Mar. 26, 1963	
Trinidad and Tobago	Mar. 14, 1963	
Algeria	May 7, 1963	
Agreement. International Air Services Transit ...	Chicago Dec. 7, 1944	8/1953 Cmd. 8742
Accessions—		
Trinidad and Tobago	Mar. 14, 1963	
Dahomey	Apr. 23, 1963	
Agreement. Joint Financing of Certain Air Navigation Services in Iceland	Geneva, Sept. 25, 1956	20/1959 Cmnd. 677
Ratification—		
France	Nov. 20, 1962	
Accession—		
Japan	Mar. 28, 1963	
Agreement. Joint Financing of Certain Air Navigation Services in Greenland and the Faroe Islands ...	Geneva, Sept. 25, 1956	21/1959 Cmnd. 678
Ratification—		
France	Nov. 20, 1962	
Accession—		
Japan	Mar. 28, 1963	
ANIMAL DISEASES—		
Agreement. Creation of an International Office for dealing with Contagious Diseases of Animals ...	Paris, Jan. 25, 1924	11/1926 Cmd. 2663
Accession—		
Ecuador	Mar. 8, 1963	

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ATOMIC ENERGY—		
Statute of the International Atomic Energy Agency	New York, Oct. 26, 1956	19/1958 Cmnd. 450
Ratification—		
Bolivia	Mar. 15, 1963	
Convention. Establishment of a Security Control in the Field of Nuclear Energy, and Protocol on the Tribunal established by the Convention	Paris, Dec. 20, 1957	8/1960 Cmnd. 971
Ratification—		
Italy	Apr. 3, 1963	
Agreement on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Atomic Energy Agency	Vienna, July 1, 1959	27/1962 Cmnd. 1675
Acceptances—		
Pakistan	Apr. 16, 1963	
Japan	Apr. 18, 1963	
BILLS OF EXCHANGE—		
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COPYRIGHT—		
International Convention revising the 1886 Berne Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works	Brussels, June 26, 1948	4/1958 Cmnd. 361
Extensions—		
Zanzibar	Jan. 28, 1963 (effective date)	
Bermuda	Jan. 28, 1963 (effective date)	
North Borneo	Jan. 28, 1963 (effective date)	
Universal Copyright Convention	Geneva, Sept. 6, 1952	66/1957 Cmnd. 289
Extensions—		
✓ Bahamas	Apr. 26, 1963	
✓ British Virgin Islands	Apr. 26, 1963	
✓ Zanzibar	Feb. 4, 1963	
✓ Bermuda	Feb. 4, 1963	
✓ North Borneo	Feb. 4, 1963	
COUNTERFEIT CURRENCY—		
International Convention. Suppression of Counter- feiting Currency	Geneva, Apr. 20, 1929	5/1960 Cmnd. 932
Accession—		
United Kingdom on behalf of Barbados and Dependencies	Mar. 7, 1963	
CULTURAL RELATIONS—		
Agreement. Importation of Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials (with Protocol)	Lake Success, Nov. 22, 1950	42/1954 Cmnd. 9185
Acceptance—		
Tanganyika	Mar. 26, 1963	

	Date	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
CUSTOMS—		
Convention. Customs Co-operation Council	Brussels, Dec. 15, 1950	50/1954 Cmd. 9232
Accessions—		
New Zealand	May 16, 1963	
Jamaica	Mar. 29, 1963	
Convention. Valuation of Goods for Customs Purposes	Brussels, Dec. 15, 1950	49/1954 Cmd. 9233
Ratification—		
Norway	Mar. 27, 1963	
Convention. Temporary Importation of Commercial Road Vehicles	Geneva, May 18, 1956	1/1960 Cmd. 919
Ratification—		
Belgium	Feb. 18, 1963	
Convention. Temporary Importation for Private Use of Aircraft and Pleasure Boats	Geneva, May 18, 1956	16/1959 Cmd. 650
Ratification—		
Belgium	Feb. 18, 1963	
Agreement. Temporary Importation, Free of Duty, of Medical, Surgical and Laboratory Equipment for use on free loan in Hospitals and other Medical Institutions for purposes of Diagnosis or Treatment	Strasbourg, Apr. 28, 1960	52/1960 Cmd. 1136
Ratification—		
Italy (with declaration*)	May 14, 1963	
<p>* The instrument of ratification confirmed the interpretative declaration made by the Italian Government at the time of signing the Agreement. The declaration was worded as follows:</p> <p>“ The Italian Government are of opinion that the facilities to be granted under Articles 1 and 2 of this Agreement shall not apply to expendable equipment ”.</p>		
Convention. Customs Treatment of Pallets used in International Transport	Geneva, Dec. 9, 1960	10/1963 Cmd. 1938
Ratification—		
Switzerland	Apr. 24, 1963	

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DRUGS—		
International Convention. Opium	The Hague, Jan. 23, 1912	17/1921 Cmd. 1520
NOTE— By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 2, 1963, the Government of <i>Senegal</i> declared that they consider themselves bound by the Convention, the application of which had been extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
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Convention. Dangerous Drugs (as amended by the Protocol of December 11, 1946, "Treaty Series No. 35 (1947)", Cmd. 7135)	Geneva, Feb. 19, 1925	27/1928 Cmd. 3244
Accession— Upper Volta	Apr. 26, 1963	
NOTE— By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 2, 1963, the Government of <i>Senegal</i> has notified that they consider themselves bound by the Convention as amended by the Protocol of December 11, 1946, the application of which had been extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
Convention for Limiting the Manufacture and Regulating the Distribution of Narcotic Drugs (as amended by the Protocol of December 11, 1946, "Treaty Series No. 35 (1947)", Cmd. 7135) ...	Geneva, July 13, 1931	31/1933 Cmd. 4413
Accession— Upper Volta	Apr. 26, 1963	
NOTE— By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 2, 1963, the Government of <i>Senegal</i> notified that they consider themselves bound by the Convention as amended by the Protocol of December 11, 1946, the application of which was extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
Protocol. Control of Drugs outside the scope of the Convention of July 13, 1931 as amended by the Protocol of December 11, 1946	Paris, Nov. 19, 1948	4/1950 Cmd. 7874
Acceptance— Upper Volta	Apr. 26, 1963	

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DRUGS (continued)—		
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 2, 1963, the Government of <i>Senegal</i> declared that they consider themselves bound by the Protocol, the application of which had been extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION—		
Articles of Agreement of the International Development Association	Washington, Jan. 29, 1960	1/1961 Cmnd. 1244
Acceptance—		
Brazil	Mar. 15, 1963	
EDUCATION—		
Convention. Equivalence of Periods of University Study	Paris, Dec. 15, 1956	71/1957 Cmnd. 301
Ratification—		
Iceland	Apr. 5, 1963	
Convention. Academic Recognition of University Qualifications	Paris, Dec. 14, 1959	7/1962 Cmnd. 1591
Ratifications—		
Iceland	Apr. 5, 1963	
Norway	Apr. 5, 1963	
Convention against Discrimination in Education ...	Paris, Dec. 15, 1960	44/1962 Cmnd. 1760
Ratifications—		
New Zealand	Feb. 12, 1963	
Norway	Jan. 8, 1963	
Acceptance—		
Kuwait	Jan. 15, 1963	
EUROPE—		
See also PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES		
Statute of the Council of Europe	London, May 5, 1949	51/1949 Cmd. 7778
Accession—		
Switzerland	May 6, 1963	
EXHIBITIONS—		
Convention. International Exhibitions	Paris, Nov. 22, 1928	9/1931 Cmd. 3776
Accession—		
Tanganyika	Mar. 26, 1963	
Protocol modifying the Convention relating to International Exhibitions of November 22, 1928 ...	Paris, May 10, 1948	57/1951 Cmd. 8311
Accession—		
Tanganyika	Mar. 26, 1963	

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FINANCE—		
Convention. Stamp Laws in Connection with Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes and Protocol ...	Geneva, June 7, 1930	14/1934 Cmd. 4594
Ratification— Luxembourg (with declaration*)	Mar. 5, 1963	
* The instrument of ratification contained a declaration which specified that, in accordance with Article 1 of the Convention, Luxembourg avail themselves of all the reservations provided in Articles 1, 4, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 18, 19 and 20 of Annex II.		
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 13, 1963, the Government of <i>Austria</i> notified that in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 3 of Article 1 of the Convention they have decided to make the reservation referred to in Article 18 of Annex II, to the effect that certain business days shall be assimilated to legal holidays as regards presentment for acceptance or payment and all other acts relating to bills of exchange.		
Articles of Agreement of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development	Washington, Dec. 27, 1945	21/1946 Cmd. 6885
Acceptances— Ivory Coast	Mar. 11, 1963	
Niger	Apr. 24, 1963	
Upper Volta	May 2, 1963	
Articles of Agreement of the International Monetary Fund	Washington, Dec. 27, 1945	21/1946 Cmd. 6885
Acceptances— Ivory Coast	Mar. 11, 1963	
Niger	Apr. 24, 1963	
Upper Volta	May 2, 1963	
FISHERIES—		
Convention. Regulation of North Sea Fisheries ...	The Hague, May 6, 1882	
Agreement relating to the 1882 Convention for Regulation of North Sea Fisheries	The Hague, June 3, 1955	33/1958 Cmnd. 517
Denunciation— By a letter dated April 26, 1963, to the Government of the Netherlands, the Government of the <i>United Kingdom</i> gave notice of termination of the Convention and the Agreement as between the United Kingdom and the other Contracting Parties.		
FOOD—		
Constitution of the Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations (as amended)	Quebec, Oct. 16, 1945	11/1961 Cmnd. 1299
Accession— Jamaica	Mar. 13, 1963	

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FOOD (continued)—		
International Sugar Agreement	Geneva, Dec. 1, 1958	55/1960 Cmnd. 1146
Accession—		
India (with declaration and reservations*) ...	July 13, 1961	
• The accession is subject to the following declaration and reservations:		
(i) <i>Declaration.</i> Since the Government of India do not recognise the Nationalist Chinese authorities as the competent Government of China, they cannot regard signature of the Agreement by a Nationalist Chinese Representative as a valid signature on behalf of China.		
(ii) <i>Reservations.</i> Without prejudice to the general obligations under present Agreement, the Government of India undertakes to discharge its obligations under Article 3 relating to subsidies, Article 5 relating to private and public controls and fiscal and tax policies, Article 10 relating to the level of production and Article 13 relating to maximum and minimum stocks, only to the extent consistent with its policy in the fields of controls, taxation and pricing, which it is pursuing in the process of developing its economy on a planned basis.		
FORESTRY—		
Agreement. Establishment on a Permanent Basis of a Latin American Forest Research and Training Institute	Rome, Nov. 18, 1959	53/1961 Cmnd. 1395
Acceptance—		
Costa Rica	Jan. 30, 1963	
HEALTH—		
Constitution. World Health Organisation	New York, July 22, 1946	43/1948 Cmd. 7458
Acceptances—		
Jamaica	Mar. 21, 1963	
Uganda	Mar. 7, 1963	
International Sanitary Regulations	Geneva, May 25, 1951	22/1962 Cmnd. 1704
NOTE—		
On May 7, 1963, the Government of the <i>United Kingdom</i> notified the World Health Organisation of the withdrawal of the reservation to Article 100 of the International Sanitary Regulations made on behalf of the Fiji Islands (with dependency).		

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HUMAN RIGHTS—		
Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms	Rome, Nov. 4, 1950	71/1953 Cmd. 8969
NOTE—		
By a <i>Note-Verbale</i> addressed to the Secretary-General of the Council of Europe on March 14, 1963, in accordance with Article 15 of the Convention, the Government of the <i>United Kingdom</i> withdrew the notice of derogation of December 5, 1961, relating to emergency measures taken in the Zanzibar Protectorate and stated that the provisions of the Convention were again being fully complied with in the Protectorate.		
INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY—		
Convention. Protection of Industrial Property (revising the Convention of March 20, 1883) ...	Lisbon, Oct. 31, 1958	38/1962 Cmd. 1715
Ratification—		
Rhodesia and Nyasaland... ..	Mar. 21, 1963	
Accession—		
Tanganyika	Apr. 2, 1963	
NOTE—		
By a communication to the Swiss Government dated June 7, 1963, the Government of the <i>United States of America</i> gave notice of territorial application of the revisions of the Convention to Puerto Rico, the American Virgin Islands, Samoa and Guam.		
LABOUR—		
International Labour Organisation Convention No. 116	Geneva, June 26, 1961	53/1962 Cmd. 1802
Ratifications—		
China (Formosa)	Nov. 16, 1962	
Morocco	Nov. 14, 1962	
Norway	Jan. 22, 1963	
LAW—		
Statute of The Hague Conference on Private International Law	The Hague, Oct. 31, 1951	65/1955 Cmd. 9582
Ratifications—		
Federal Republic of Germany	Dec. 14, 1955	
Finland	Dec. 2, 1955	
LAW OF THE SEA—		
Convention on the High Seas	Geneva, Apr. 29, 1958	5/1963 Cmd. 1929
Ratification—		
Australia (with declaration*)	May 14, 1963	
* The Australian instrument of ratification was accompanied by a statement placing on record formal objections to the reservations which have been made on behalf of other States to the Convention on the High Seas:		
(a) The reservation made to Articles 2, 3 and 4 by Iran on signature.		

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LAW OF THE SEA (continued)—		
(b) The reservation made to paragraph 3 of Article 2 and to paragraphs 1 and 2 of Article 26 by Iran on signature.		
(c) The reservation made to Article 9 by Bulgaria on signature and on ratification.		
(d) The reservations made to Article 9 by the Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Poland, Roumania, the Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on signature and confirmed on ratification.		
(e) The reservation made by Indonesia on ratification.		
In relation to the reservation made by Indonesia, the Government of Australia previously informed the Indonesian Government that they do not recognise the validity in international law of the Regulation referred to in the reservation and that they do not consider themselves bound by it.		
Accession—		
South Africa	Apr. 9, 1963	
MARITIME CONVENTIONS—		
Convention. Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organisation	Geneva, Mar. 6, 1948	54/1958 Cmnd. 589
Acceptance—		
Brazil	Mar. 4, 1963	
International Convention. Safety of Life at Sea ...		
	London, June 10, 1948	1/1953 Cmd. 8720
Acceptance—		
Tunisia	May 20, 1963	
Convention. Certain Rules concerning Civil Jurisdiction in Matters of Collision	Brussels, May 10, 1952	47/1960 Cmnd. 1128
Extensions—		
British Guiana	} Mar. 29, 1963	
Fiji		
Gibraltar		
Hong Kong		
Mauritius		
North Borneo		
Seychelles		
British Virgin Islands	May 29, 1963	
Bermuda	May 30, 1963	

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MARITIME CONVENTIONS (continued)—		
Convention. Unification of Certain Rules relating to Penal Jurisdiction in Matters of Collision or other Incidents of Navigation	Brussels, May 10, 1952	47/1960 Cmnd. 1128
Extensions (with reservation*)—		
British Guiana	} Mar. 29, 1963	
Fiji		
Gibraltar		
Hong Kong		
Mauritius		
North Borneo		
Seychelles		
British Virgin Islands		
Bermuda	May 29, 1963 May 30, 1963	
<p>* The Governments of British Guiana, Fiji, Gibraltar, Hong Kong, Mauritius, North Borneo, Seychelles, British Virgin Islands and Bermuda reserve the right not to observe the provisions of Article 1 of the said Convention in the case of any ship if the State whose flag the ship was flying has as respects that ship or any class of ship to which that ship belongs consented to the institution of criminal or disciplinary proceedings before judicial or administrative authorities in British Guiana, Fiji, Gibraltar, Hong Kong, Mauritius, North Borneo, Seychelles, British Virgin Islands and Bermuda <i>respectively</i>.</p> <p>The Governments of British Guiana, Fiji, Gibraltar, Hong Kong, Mauritius, North Borneo, Seychelles, British Virgin Islands and Bermuda reserve the right under Article 4 of this Convention to take proceedings in respect of offences committed within the territorial waters of British Guiana, Fiji, Gibraltar, Hong Kong, Mauritius, North Borneo, Seychelles, British Virgin Islands and Bermuda <i>respectively</i>.</p>		
Convention relating to the Arrest of Sea-going Ships	Brussels, May 10, 1952	47/1960 Cmnd. 1128
Extensions (with reservation*)—		
British Guiana	} Mar. 29, 1963	
Fiji		
Gibraltar		
Hong Kong		
Mauritius		
North Borneo		
Seychelles		
British Virgin Islands		
Bermuda	May 29, 1963 May 30, 1963	
<p>* The Governments of British Guiana, Fiji, Gibraltar, Hong Kong, Mauritius, North Borneo, Seychelles, British Virgin Islands and Bermuda reserve the right not to apply the provisions of this Convention to warships or to vessels owned by or in the service of a State.</p>		
International Convention. Prevention of Pollution of the Sea by Oil	London, May 12, 1954	56/1958 Cmnd. 595
Acceptances—		
Dominican Republic	May 29, 1963	
Jordan	May 8, 1963	
United Arab Republic	Apr. 22, 1963	

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MEDICAL EQUIPMENT—		
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METEOROLOGY—		
Convention. World Meteorological Organisation ...	Washington, Oct. 11, 1947	36/1950 Cmd. 7989
Accessions—		
Cyprus	Apr. 11, 1963	
Sierra Leone	Mar. 30, 1962	
Uganda	Mar. 15, 1963	
Algeria	Apr. 4, 1963	
Mongolian People's Republic	Apr. 4, 1963	
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MOTOR VEHICLES—		
Convention. Taxation of Foreign Motor Vehicles ...	Geneva, Mar. 30, 1931	4/1933 Cmd. 4246
Denunciation—		
Irish Republic	Mar. 18, 1963	
N.A.T.O.—		
Agreement. Status of Forces of Parties to the North Atlantic Treaty	London, June 19, 1951	3/1955 Cmd. 9363
Accession—		
Federal Republic of Germany	June 1, 1963	
OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS—		
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POSTAL—		
Universal Postal Convention	Ottawa, Oct. 3, 1957	79/1960 Cmd. 1218
Accessions—		
Tanganyika	Mar. 29, 1963	
Burundi	Apr. 6, 1963	
Rwanda	Apr. 6, 1963	
Upper Volta	Mar. 29, 1963	
Agreement. Insured Letters and Boxes	Ottawa, Oct. 3, 1957	80/1960 Cmd. 1219
Accessions—		
Tanganyika	Mar. 29, 1963	
Burundi	Apr. 6, 1963	
Rwanda	Apr. 6, 1963	
Upper Volta	Mar. 29, 1963	
Agreement. Postal Parcels	Ottawa, Oct. 3, 1957	80/1960 Cmd. 1219
Accessions—		
Tanganyika	Mar. 29, 1963	
Burundi	Apr. 6, 1963	
Rwanda	Apr. 6, 1963	
Upper Volta	Mar. 29, 1963	

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PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES—		
Convention. Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations	Adopted, Feb. 13, 1946	10/1950 Cmd. 7891
Accession— Japan	Apr. 18, 1963	
Convention. Privileges and Immunities of the Specialised Agencies of the United Nations ...	Adopted, Nov. 21, 1947	69/1959 Cmdnd. 855
Accessions—		
Brazil	Mar. 22, 1963	
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Japan	Apr. 18, 1963	
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Tanganyika	Mar. 26, 1963	
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Brazil	Apr. 24, 1963	
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Protocol on Legal Capacity, Privileges and Immunities of the European Free Trade Association	Geneva, July 28, 1960	104/1961 Cmdnd. 1546
Accession— Finland	Apr. 1, 1963	
PUBLICATIONS—		
International Agreement. The Suppression of Obscene Publications (as amended by Protocol of May 4, 1949, "Treaty Series No. 13 (1951)", Cmd. 8152)	Paris, May 4, 1910	11/1911 Cd. 5657
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 16, 1963, the Government of <i>Cyprus</i> notified that they consider themselves bound by the Convention, the application of which had been extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		

	Date	Treaty Series and Command Nos.
PUBLICATIONS (continued)—		
Convention. Suppression of the Circulation of and Traffic in Obscene Publications (amended by Protocol of November 12, 1947, "Treaty Series No. 2 (1952)", Cmd. 8438)	Geneva, Sept. 12, 1923	1/1926 Cmd. 2575
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 16, 1963, the Government of <i>Cyprus</i> notified that they consider themselves bound by the Convention as amended by the Protocol, the application of which was extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
Convention. Exchange of Official Publications and Government Documents between States	Paris, Dec. 5, 1958	43/1962 Cmnd. 1758
Ratifications—		
New Zealand	Feb. 5, 1963	
Bulgaria	Mar. 4, 1963	
Panama	July 17, 1962	
Spain	Feb. 1, 1963	
Convention. International Exchange of Publications	Paris, Dec. 5, 1958	41/1962 Cmnd. 1742
Ratifications—		
New Zealand	Feb. 5, 1963	
Bulgaria	Mar. 4, 1963	
Panama	July 17, 1962	
Spain	Feb. 1, 1963	
RED CROSS—		
Convention. Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and Sick in Armed Forces in the Field	Geneva, Aug. 12, 1949	39/1958 Cmnd. 550
Accession—		
Saudi Arabia	May 18, 1963	
Convention. Amelioration of the condition of the Wounded, Sick and Shipwrecked Members of the Armed Forces at Sea	Geneva, Aug. 12, 1949	39/1958 Cmnd. 550
Accession—		
Saudi Arabia	May 18, 1963	
Convention. Treatment of Prisoners of War	Geneva, Aug. 12, 1949	39/1958 Cmnd. 550
Accession—		
Saudi Arabia	May 18, 1963	
Convention. Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War	Geneva, Aug. 12, 1949	39/1958 Cmnd. 550
Accession—		
Saudi Arabia	May 18, 1963	

	Date	Treaty Series and Command Nos.
REFUGEES—		
Convention. Status of Refugees	Geneva, July 28, 1951	39/1954 Cmd. 9171
Accession— Ghana (with declaration*)	Mar. 18, 1963	
<p>* The instrument of accession contained a declaration that the words " Events occurring before 1 January 1951 ", in Article 1, Section A, shall be understood to mean " Events occurring in Europe or elsewhere before 1 January 1951 ".</p>		
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ROAD TRAFFIC—		
Convention. Road Traffic	Geneva, Sept. 19, 1949	49/1958 Cmnd. 578
Accessions— Algeria	May 16, 1963	
Bulgaria (with reservations*)	Feb. 13, 1963	
<p>* The Bulgarian instrument of accession contained the following reservations:</p> <p>(<i>Translation</i>) (a) Article 33 of the Convention on Road Traffic, which provides that any dispute between any two or more Contracting States concerning the interpretation or application of this Convention, which the Parties are unable to settle by negotiation or by another mode of settlement, may be referred to the International Court of Justice for decision.</p> <p>(b) Annex 1 to the Convention on Road Traffic, which provides that cycles fitted with an auxiliary internal combustion engine having a maximum cylinder capacity of 50 cm.³ (3.05 cu. ins.) shall not be considered as motor vehicles, provided that they retain all the normal characteristics of cycles with respect to their structure.</p> <p>(c) Section II, paragraph (c), second sentence, of Annex 6 to the Convention on Road Traffic, which stipulates: " However, motor cycles with an engine of a maximum cylinder capacity of 50 cm.³ (3.05 cu. ins.) may be excluded from this obligation ".</p>		
SANITARY REGULATIONS—		
<i>See</i> HEALTH		

	Date	Treaty Series and Command Nos.
SLAVERY—		
International Agreement. Suppression of the White Slave Traffic (as amended by Protocol of May 4, 1949, "Treaty Series No. 85 (1953)", Cmd. 9042)	Paris, May 18, 1904	24/1905 Cd. 2689
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 2, 1963, the Government of <i>Senegal</i> declared that they consider themselves bound by the Agreement as amended, the application of which was extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 16, 1963, the Government of <i>Cyprus</i> notified that they consider themselves bound by the Agreement as amended, the application of which was extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
International Convention. Suppression of White Slave Traffic (as amended by Protocol signed on May 4, 1949, "Treaty Series No. 85 (1953)", Cmd. 9042)	Paris, May 4, 1910	20/1912 Cd. 6326
Accession— Tanganyika	Mar. 18, 1963	
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General on May 2, 1963, the Government of <i>Senegal</i> declared that they consider themselves bound by the Convention as amended, the application of which had been extended to their territory before attainment of independence.		
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 16, 1963, the Government of <i>Cyprus</i> notified that they consider themselves bound by the Convention as amended, the application of which had been extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
Convention. Suppression of the Traffic in Women and Children, amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success on November 12, 1947	Geneva, Sept. 30, 1921	26/1923 Cmd. 1986
Accession— Malagasy Republic	Feb. 18, 1963	
NOTE—		
By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 16, 1963, the Government of <i>Cyprus</i> notified that they consider themselves bound by the Convention, the application of which had been extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		

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Slavery Convention (as amended by the Protocol signed at New York on December 7, 1953) ...	Geneva, Sept. 25, 1926	24/1956 Cmd. 9797
Accession— Nepal	Jan. 7, 1963	
NOTE— By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 2, 1963, the Government of <i>Senegal</i> notified that they consider themselves bound by the Convention, the application of which had been extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
NOTE— By a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on May 3, 1963, the Government of <i>Ghana</i> declared that they considered themselves bound by the Convention, the application of which had been extended to their territory before the attainment of independence.		
Protocol amending the Slavery Convention signed at Geneva on September 25, 1926	New York, Dec. 7, 1953	24/1956 Cmd. 9797
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Colombia	Apr. 18, 1963	
Ethiopia	Dec. 28, 1962	
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Italy	Dec. 28, 1962	
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Laos	Jan. 17, 1963	
Portugal†	Jan. 14, 1963	
<p>* In ratifying the Convention, Kuwait has confirmed the following reservation, made when signing the Final Protocol:</p> <p>“ Ratification of this Convention is not valid with respect to the Member appearing in Annex No. 1 to this Convention under the name of Israel and in no way implies its recognition ”.</p>		
<p>† A communication registered in the General Secretariat on April 18, 1963, from the Government of Portugal, announced that ratification by Portugal covers Portuguese Overseas Provinces.</p>		
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Spain for the Spanish Provinces in Africa ...	Apr. 25, 1963	
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Second International Tin Agreement	London, Sept. 1, 1960	45/1962 Cmnd. 1759
Ratification—		
Italy	Apr. 10, 1963	
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Arrangement. International Classification of Goods and Services to which Trade Marks apply ...	Nice, June 15, 1957	23/1963 Cmnd. 2007
NOTE—		
By a communication to the Swiss Government, the Government of <i>Belgium</i> made the following declaration with regard to their accession:		
“ Concernant l'application de l'article 2 (3) de l'Arrangement, il est déclaré que pendant une période transitoire, l'Administration belge ne fera pas figurer dans les titres officiels des enregistrements de marque, les numéros des classes de la classification internationale. Cette réserve sera levée dès que les circonstances le permettront ”.		
(Translation)		
“ Concerning the application of Article 2 (3) of the Arrangement, it is declared that during a transitory period the Belgian Administration will not include in the official documents listing the registration of trade marks the numbers of the classes of the international classification. This reservation will be withdrawn as soon as circumstances permit ”.		
TRANSPORT—		
International Convention concerning the Carriage of Goods by Rail (CIM)		
NOTE—		
The revised text of Annex I (RID) which came into force on June 1, 1962, has been published by H.M.S.O. under Code No. 55-368-0-63.		

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