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This publication contains information received up to 31 December, 1981.

	Date	Treaty Series and Command Nos.
ANIMALS—		
<i>See also</i> CONSERVATION		
International Agreement for the Creation at Paris of an International Office for dealing with Contagious Diseases of Animals	Paris, 25 Jan., 1924	11/1926 Cmd. 2663
Accession— Vanuatu	29 June, 1981	
 ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA		
Note—		
In a communication to the Secretary-General of the United Nations dated 4 November 1981 the Government of <i>Antigua and Barbuda</i> made the following declaration:		
“... Antigua and Barbuda became an independent nation on 1st November, 1981, and is now ready to participate with other nations in fulfilling obligations under international law with respect to treaties to which this Government succeeded upon independence. However, it is necessary to examine in depth such treaties to ascertain whether or not under customary international law any may have lapsed. Until this has been done the Government of Antigua and Barbuda wish:		
(a) that it be presumed that each Treaty has been legally succeeded to by Antigua and Barbuda; and		
(b) that future action be based on the presumption in (a) above.		
You will be notified in due course of those treaties this Government regards as having lapsed and those treaties which this Government wishes to terminate. Notice of lapse or termination in an appropriate form will also be given to the country or countries that is or are party to those treaties.”		
 ATOMIC ENERGY—		
<i>See also</i> DISARMAMENT PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES		

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
ATOMIC ENERGY (continued)—		
Convention on Third Party Liability in the Field of Nuclear Energy	Paris, 29 July, 1960	69/1968 Cmnd. 3755
with		
Additional Protocol	Paris, 28 Jan., 1964	
Extension—		
Guernsey	21 Aug., 1979	
AVIATION—		
Convention on International Civil Aviation	Chicago, 7 Dec., 1944	8/1953 Cmd. 8742
Adherence—		
Antigua and Barbuda	10 Dec., 1981	
Convention, supplementary to the Warsaw Convention, for the Unification of Certain Rules relating to International Carriage by Air performed by a Person other than the Contracting Carrier	Guadalajara, Mexico, 18 Sept., 1961	23/1964 Cmnd. 2354
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	17 Sept., 1981	
Convention on Offences and certain other Acts committed on Board Aircraft	Tokyo, 14 Sept., 1963	126/1969 Cmnd. 4230
Accession—		
Qatar	6 Aug., 1981	
Protocol on the authentic Trilingual Text of the Convention on International Civil Aviation (Chicago, 1944)	Buenos Aires, 24 Sept., 1968	115/1969 Cmnd. 4198
Entered into force for—		
Antigua and Barbuda	10 Dec., 1981	
Grenada	30 Sept., 1981	
Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft	The Hague, 16 Dec., 1970	39/1972 Cmnd. 4956
Accession in London—		
Tunisia (with reservation)*... ..	16 Nov., 1981	
* With reservation in respect of Article 12 (1).		
Accession in Washington—		
Qatar (with reservation)*	26 Aug., 1981	
* With reservation in respect of Article 12.		
Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Civil Aviation	Montreal, 23 Sept., 1971	10/1974 Cmnd. 5524
Accession in London—		
Tunisia (with reservation)*... ..	16 Nov., 1981	
* With reservation in respect of Article 14 (1).		

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
AVIATION (continued)—		
Accession in Washington— Qatar (with reservation)*	26 Aug., 1981	
* With reservation in respect of Article 14.		
BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS—		
<i>See</i> DISARMAMENT		
CONSERVATION—		
Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (for revised Appendices <i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 33 (1980), Cmnd. 7857)	Washington, 3 Mar., 1973	101/1976 Cmnd. 6647
Accession— Guinea	21 Sept., 1981	
COPYRIGHT—		
<i>See</i> INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY		
CULTURAL MATERIALS—		
<i>See</i> CUSTOMS		
CUSTOMS—		
International Convention relating to the Simplification of Customs Formalities and Protocol	Geneva, 3 Nov., 1923	16/1925 Cmnd. 2347
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Agreement on the Importation of Educational, Scien- tific and Cultural Materials (with Protocol)... ..	Lake Success, New York, 22 Nov., 1950	42/1954 Cmnd. 9185
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Convention on the Nomenclature for the Classification of Goods in Customs Tariffs, with Protocol of Amendment of 1 July, 1955 (for further amendments <i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 49 (1965), Cmnd. 2681; Treaty Series No. 83 (1965), Cmnd. 2786; Treaty Series No. 11 (1972), Cmnd. 4870; Treaty Series No. 27 (1978), Cmnd. 7120 and Treaty Series No. 57 (1979), Cmnd. 7579)	Brussels, 15 Dec., 1950	29/1960 Cmnd. 1070
Accession— Mauritius	6 July, 1981	
Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation of Private Road Vehicles	New York, 4 June, 1954	1/1959 Cmnd. 602
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	

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CUSTOMS (continued)—		
Convention concerning Customs Facilities for Touring	New York, 4 June, 1954	70/1957 Cmnd. 308
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Additional Protocol to the Convention concerning Customs Facilities for Touring, relating to the Importation of Tourist Publicity Documents and Material	New York, 4 June, 1954	70/1957 Cmnd. 308
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Customs Convention on Containers (with Annexes and Protocol of Signature)	Geneva, 18 May, 1956	80/1959 Cmnd. 905
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Customs Convention on the Temporary Importa- tion for Private Use of Aircraft and Pleasure Boats, with Annexes and Protocol of Signature	Geneva, 18 May, 1956	16/1959 Cmnd. 650
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR RELATIONS—		
Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations	Vienna, 18 Apr., 1961	19/1965 Cmnd. 2565
Note— In a communication received by the Secretary- General of the United Nations on 30 September 1981, the Government of the <i>Federal Republic of Germany</i> referred to the reservations by the Sudan on acceding to the above Convention (<i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 94 (1981), Cmnd. 8461, p. 5 and made the following objection: [<i>Translation</i>] The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany regards the reservations made by the Government of the Democratic Republic of the Sudan in respect of Article 37, paragraph 2, and of Article 38 of the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of 18 April 1961 as incompatible with the object and purpose of the Convention. This declaration is not to be interpreted as preventing the entry into force of the Convention as between the Federal Republic of Germany and the Democratic Republic of the Sudan.		
Vienna Convention on Consular Relations	Vienna, 24 Apr., 1963	14/1973 Cmnd. 5219
Ratification of Convention— Poland	13 Oct., 1981	

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR RELATIONS (continued)—		
Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of Crimes against Internationally Protected Persons, including Diplomatic Agents	New York, 14 Dec., 1973— 31 Dec., 1974	3/1980 Cmnd. 7765
Accession— Gabon	14 Oct., 1981	
DISARMAMENT—		
Treaty for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America with Additional Protocols I and II	Mexico City, 14 Feb., 1967	54/1970 Cmnd. 4409
Ratification of Treaty— Bahamas (with declaration)*	26 Apr., 1977	
* At the time of ratification the Bahamas made a declaration waiving the requirements of Article 28 (1) of the Treaty.		
Ratification of Additional Protocol I— United States of America†	23 Nov., 1981	
† The instrument of ratification states that the Senate of the United States of America, by resolution of 13 November 1981, approved such ratification subject to expressed understandings as follows:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the provisions of the Treaty made applicable by this Additional Protocol do not affect the exclusive power and legal competence under international law of a State adhering to this Protocol to grant or deny transit and transport privileges to its own or any other vessels or aircraft irrespective of cargo or armaments. 2. That the provisions of the Treaty made applicable by this Additional Protocol do not affect rights under international law of a State adhering to this Protocol regarding the exercise of the freedom of the seas, or regarding passage through or over waters subject to the sovereignty of a State. 3. That the understandings and declarations attached by the United States to its ratification of Additional Protocol II (Text attached)† apply also to its ratification of Additional Protocol I. 		
† The text of the understandings and declarations formulated by the United States of America on ratifying Additional Protocol II is as follows:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> I. That the United States Government understands the reference in Article 3 of the treaty to "its own legislation" to relate only to such legislation as it compatible with the rules of international law and as involves an exercise of sovereignty consistent with those rules, and accordingly that ratification of Additional Protocol II by the United States Government could not be regarded as implying recognition, for the purpose of this treaty and its protocols, or for any other purpose, of any legislation which did not, in the view of the United States, comply with the relevant rules of international law. 		

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<p>DISARMAMENT (continued)—</p>		
<p>That the United States Government takes note of the Preparatory Commission's interpretation of the treaty, as set forth in the Final Act, that, governed by the principles and rules of international law, each of the contracting parties retains exclusive power and legal competence, unaffected by the terms of the treaty, to grant or deny non-contracting parties transit and transport privileges.</p>		
<p>That as regards the undertaking in Article 3 of Protocol II not to use or threaten to use nuclear weapons against the Contracting Parties, the United States Government would have to consider that an armed attack by a Contracting Party, in which it was assisted by a nuclear-weapon state, would be incompatible with the Contracting Party's corresponding obligations under Article 1 of the treaty.</p>		
<p>II. That the United States Government considers that the technology of making nuclear explosive devices for peaceful purposes is indistinguishable from the technology of making nuclear weapons, and that nuclear weapons and nuclear explosive devices for peaceful purposes are both capable of releasing nuclear energy in an uncontrolled manner and have the common group of characteristics of large amounts of energy generated instantaneously from a compact source. Therefore the United States Government understands the definition contained in Article 5 of the treaty as necessarily encompassing all nuclear explosive devices. It also understood that Articles 1 and 5 restrict accordingly the activities of the contracting parties under paragraph 1 of Article 18.</p>		
<p>That the United States Government understands that paragraph 4 of Article 18 of the treaty permits, and that United States adherence to Protocol II will not prevent, collaboration by the United States with contracting parties for the purpose of carrying out explosions of nuclear devices for peaceful purposes in a manner consistent with a policy of not contributing to the proliferation of nuclear weapons capabilities. In this connection, the United States Government notes Article V of the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, under which it joined in an undertaking to take appropriate measures to ensure that potential benefits of peaceful applications of nuclear explosions would be made available to non-nuclear-weapons states party to that treaty, and reaffirms its willingness to extend such undertaking, on the same basis, to states precluded by the present treaty from manufacturing or acquiring any nuclear explosive device.</p>		
<p>III. That the United States Government also declares that, although not required by Protocol II, it will act with respect to such territories of Protocol I adherents as are within the geographical area defined in paragraph 2 of Article 4 of the treaty in the same manner as Protocol II requires it to act with respect to the territories of contracting parties.</p>		

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DISARMAMENT (continued)—		
Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons	London, Moscow and Washington, 1 July, 1968	88/1970 Cmnd. 4474
Succession in London— Solomon Islands	17 June, 1981	
Treaty on the Prohibition of the Emplacement of Nuclear Weapons and Other Weapons of Mass Destruction on the Sea-Bed and the Ocean Floor and in the Subsoil Thereof	London, Moscow and Washington, 11 Feb., 1971	13/1973 Cmnd. 5266
Succession in London— Solomon Islands	17 June, 1981	
Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Bio- logical) and Toxin Weapons and on their Destruction	London, Moscow and Washington, 10 Apr., 1972	11/1976 Cmnd. 6397
Succession in London— Solomon Islands	17 June, 1981	
DISPUTES—		
<i>See also</i> LAW OF THE SEA		
Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards	New York, 10 June— 31 Dec., 1958	20/1976 Cmnd. 6419
Accession— Indonesia (with declaration)*	7 Oct., 1981	
* Indonesia's instrument of accession to the Con- vention contains the following declaration: "Pursuant to the provision of Article I (3) of the Convention, the Government of the Republic of Indonesia declares that it will apply the Convention on the basis of reciprocity, to the recognition and enforcement of awards made only in the territory of another Contracting State, and that it will apply the Convention only to differences arising out of legal relationships, whether contractual or not, which are considered as commercial under the Indonesian Law."		
Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of Other States ...	Washington, 18 Mar., 1965	25/1967 Cmnd. 3255
Signature— Costa Rica	29 Sept., 1981	
EDUCATION—		
European Convention on the Equivalence of Diplomas leading to Admission to Universities	Paris, 11 Dec., 1953	38/1954 Cmd. 9168
Ratification— Portugal	3 Nov., 1981	
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EDUCATION (continued)—		
Protocol to the European Convention on the Equivalence of Diplomas leading to Admission to Universities	Strasbourg, 3 June, 1964	8/1965 Cmnd. 2536
Ratification— Portugal	3 Nov., 1981	
EPIZOOTICS—		
<i>See</i> ANIMALS		
FINANCE—		
<i>See</i> DISPUTES INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT INTERNATIONAL FINANCE CORPORATION INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND		
FINLAND—		
Treaty of Commerce and Navigation	Helsinki, 14 Dec., 1923	34/1924 Cmnd. 2243
Note— By an Exchange of Notes between the United Kingdom and Finland dated 28 August, 1981, it was agreed that the provisions of the first paragraph (together with the proviso thereto) of Article 19 of the above Treaty, which provides for mutual assistance in the recovery of merchant seamen deserters, shall cease to have effect on 1 October 1981. On the part of the United Kingdom the termination applies to the United Kingdom and to those territories for whose international relations the United Kingdom is responsible and for which the Treaty was still in force.		
FISHERIES—		
Agreement for the Establishment of the Indo-Pacific Fisheries Council	Baguio, 26 Feb., 1948	73/1949 Cmnd. 7845
Acceptance— Nepal... ..	23 Mar., 1978	
North-East Atlantic Fisheries Convention	London, 24 Jan., 1959	68/1963 Cmnd. 2190
Denunciation— German Democratic Republic	28 Sept., 1982 (effective date)	
Note— Denunciation of the above Convention by <i>Spain</i> (<i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 96 (1980), Cmnd. 8172, p. 10) has been deferred until constitutional procedures have been completed.		

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
FLAGS—		
<i>See</i> SHIPPING		
FOOD—		
Constitution of the International Rice Commission (as later amended)	Washington, Nov., 1948	84/1963 Cmnd. 2222
Acceptances—		
Madagascar	27 Oct., 1966	
Sierra Leone	22 Sept., 1964	
International Wheat Agreement, 1971, incorporating the Wheat Trade Convention and the Food Aid Convention	Washington, 29 Mar.— 3 May, 1971	21/1972 Cmnd. 4953
Wheat Trade Convention, 1971—		
Ratifications—		
Italy	26 June, 1974	
Netherlands*	28 Dec., 1972	
* For Kingdom in Europe, Surinam and Netherlands Antilles.		
Approval—		
France	23 Feb., 1973	
Notification of conclusion—		
European Economic Community	1 July, 1974	
Accession—		
Iran	19 Jan., 1978	
Food Aid Convention, 1971—		
Ratifications—		
Italy	26 June, 1974	
Netherlands (for Kingdom in Europe)	28 Dec., 1972	
Approval—		
France	23 Feb., 1973	
Notification of conclusion—		
European Economic Community	1 July, 1974	
International Coffee Agreement 1976	New York, 31 Jan.— 31 July, 1976	12/1978 Cmnd. 7079
Notification of provisional application—		
Greece	<i>Date of deposit</i> 15 Sept., 1981*	
* In accordance with Resolution No. 317 of the International Coffee Council, adopted on 9 September 1981, Greece is regarded as a provisional member of the International Coffee Organization from the date of deposit of its notification until it deposits its instrument of accession or until and including 30 September 1982 whichever is earlier.		

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FORESTRY		
<i>See also</i> PLANTS		
Agreement for the Establishment on a Permanent Basis of a Latin-American Forest Research and Training Institute under the Auspices of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations ...	Rome, 20 Nov., 1959	53/1961 Cmd. 1395
Denunciation*— Venezuela	20 Aug., 1980 (effective date)	
* In accordance with the provisions of Article XXI (1) the Agreement ceased to have effect on 29 August, 1980, and the Institute was wound up in accordance with Article XXI (2).		
HUMAN RIGHTS—		
Slavery Convention	Geneva, 25 Sept., 1926	16/1927 Cmd. 2910
Accession— Saint Vincent and the Grenadines*	9 Nov., 1981	
Protocol amending the Slavery Convention signed at Geneva on 25 September, 1926 (Treaty Series No. 16 (1927), Cmd. 2910)	New York, 7 Dec., 1953	24/1956 Cmd. 9797
Acceptance— Saint Vincent and the Grenadines*	9 Nov., 1981	
* By virtue of acceding to the above Convention and accepting the above Protocol, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines became on 9 November 1981 a party to the Slavery Convention signed at Geneva on 25 September 1926 and amended by the Protocol done at the Headquarters of the United Nations, New York, on 7 December 1953.		
Succession— Solomon Islands†	3 Sept., 1981	
† By virtue of succeeding to the above Protocol the Solomon Islands is listed as a party to the Slavery Convention signed at Geneva on 25 September, 1926, as amended by the above Protocol.		
Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide	Paris, 9 Dec., 1948	58/1970 Cmd. 4421
Accessions— Luxembourg Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	7 Oct., 1981 9 Nov., 1981	
Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms	Rome, 4 Nov., 1950	71/1953 Cmd. 8969
Declaration made under Article 25— France	2 Oct., 1981 (for five years)	

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HUMAN RIGHTS (continued)—		
Protocol No. 2 to the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, conferring upon the European Court of Human Rights Competence to give Advisory Opinions	Strasbourg, 6 May, 1963	104/1970 Cmnd. 4551
Signature—		
France (without reservation in respect of ratification or acceptance)	2 Oct., 1981	
Convention on the Political Rights of Women ...	New York, 31 Mar., 1953	101/1967 Cmnd. 3449
Accession—		
Egypt	8 Sept., 1981	
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Convention on the Abolition of Slavery, the Slave Trade and Institutions and Practices similar to Slavery, supplementary to the International Convention signed at Geneva on 25 September 1926 ...	Geneva, 7 Sept., 1956	59/1957 Cmnd. 257
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Accession—		
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	9 Nov., 1981	
International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination	New York, 7 Mar., 1966	77/1969 Cmnd. 4108
Ratification—		
Colombia	2 Sept., 1981	
International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights	New York, 19 Dec., 1966	6/1977 Cmnd. 6702
Accessions—		
Korea (North)*	14 Sept., 1981	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	9 Nov., 1981	
* Not recognized by the United Kingdom.		
International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights ...	New York, 19 Dec., 1966	6/1977 Cmnd. 6702
Accessions—		
Korea (North)*	14 Sept., 1981	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	9 Nov., 1981	
* Not recognized by the United Kingdom.		
Note—		
In a communication received by the Secretary-General of the United Nations on 17 September 1981, the Government of the <i>Netherlands</i> referred to the reservations by Australia on ratifying the above Covenant (see Treaty Series No. 91 (1980), Cmnd. 8090, p. 8-11) and made certain remarks with regard to the following reservations:		

	Date	Treaty Series and Command Nos.
HUMAN RIGHTS (continued)—		
<i>"I. Reservation by Australia regarding Articles 2 and 50</i>		
The reservation that Article 2, paragraphs 2 and 3, and Article 50 shall be given effect consistently with and subject to the provisions in Article 2, paragraph 2, is acceptable to the Kingdom on the understanding that it will in no way impair Australia's basic obligation under international law, as laid down in Article 2, paragraph 1, to respect and to ensure to all individuals within its territory and subject to its jurisdiction the rights recognized in the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.		
<i>II. Reservation by Australia regarding Article 10</i>		
The Kingdom is not able to evaluate the implications of the first part of the reservation regarding Article 10 on its merits, since Australia has given no further explanation on the laws and lawful arrangements, as referred to in the text of the reservation. In expectation of further clarification by Australia, the Kingdom for the present reserves the right to raise objection to the reservation at a later stage.		
<i>III. Reservation by Australia regarding 'Convicted Persons'</i>		
The Kingdom finds it difficult, for the same reasons as mentioned in its commentary on the reservation regarding Article 10, to accept the declaration by Australia that it reserves the right not to seek amendment of laws now in force in Australia relating to the rights of persons who have been convicted of serious criminal offences. The Kingdom expresses the hope it will be possible to gain a more detailed insight in the laws now in force in Australia, in order to facilitate a definitive opinion on the extent of this reservation."		
HYDROGRAPHY—		
<i>See OCEANOGRAPHY</i>		
INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY—		
<i>See INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY</i>		
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY—		
Berne Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works of 9 September, 1886, as revised ...	Rome, 2 June, 1928	12/1932 Cmd. 4057
Succession— Zimbabwe	18 Apr., 1980 (effective date)	
Universal Copyright Convention (with Protocols 1, 2 and 3)	Geneva, 6 Sept., 1952	66/1957 Cmdnd. 289
Accession— Guinea (Convention and Protocol 1)	13 Nov., 1981 (effective date)	

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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (continued)—		
International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Paris, 20 March, 1883 (as revised) ...	Lisbon, 31 Oct., 1958	38/1962 Cmnd. 1715
Succession— Zimbabwe	18 Apr., 1980 (effective date)	
International Convention further revising the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property of 20 March, 1883	Stockholm, 14 July, 1967— 13 Jan., 1968	61/1970 Cmnd. 4431
Accessions— Guinea	5 Feb., 1982 (effective date)	
Zimbabwe	30 Dec., 1981 (effective date)	
Convention establishing the World Intellectual Property Organization	Stockholm, 14 July, 1967— 13 Jan., 1968	52/1970 Cmnd. 4408
Accession— Zimbabwe	29 Sept., 1981	
Patent Co-operation Treaty (PCT) (with Regulations)	Washington, 19 June— 30 Oct., 1970	78/1978 Cmnd. 7340
Accession— Sri Lanka	26 Nov., 1981	
Universal Copyright Convention, as revised (with Protocols 1 and 2)	Paris, 24 July, 1971	9/1975 Cmnd. 5844
Accession— Guinea (Convention and Protocols 1 and 2) ...	13 Aug., 1981	
Nice Agreement concerning the International Classification of Goods and Services for the purposes of the Registration of Marks of 15 June, 1957, as revised at Stockholm on 14 July, 1967 and at Geneva on 13 May, 1977	Geneva, 13 May, 1977	72/1979 Cmnd. 7671
Ratification— Federal Republic of Germany (including Berlin (West))	12 Jan., 1982 (effective date)	
INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT—		
Articles of Agreement on the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (for 1965 amendment <i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 78 (1966), Cmnd. 3156)	Washington, 27 Dec., 1945	21/1946 Cmnd. 6885
Signatures and acceptances— Bhutan	28 Sept., 1981	
Vanuatu	28 Sept., 1981	

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INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION—		
Articles of Agreement of the International Development Association	Washington, 29 Jan., 1960	1/1961 Cmnd. 1244
Signature—		
Bhutan	28 Sept., 1981	
Vanuatu	28 Sept., 1981	
INTERNATIONAL FINANCE CORPORATION—		
Articles of Agreement of the International Finance Corporation (for amendments <i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 4 (1963), Cmnd. 1924 and Treaty Series No. 77 (1966), Cmnd. 3155)	Washington, 25 May, 1955	37/1961 Cmnd. 1377
Signature—		
Vanuatu	28 Sept., 1981	
INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANISATION—		
<i>See also</i> LABOUR (ILO)		
Constitution of the International Labour Organisation (as amended) (<i>see also</i> Treaty Series No. 59 (1961), Cmnd. 1428; Treaty Series No. 9 (1964), Cmnd. 2259 and Treaty Series No. 110 (1975), Cmnd. 6207)	Montreal, 9 Oct., 1946	47/1948 Cmnd. 7452
Acceptance—		
Belize	17 Nov., 1981	
Accessions—		
Equatorial Guinea	30 Jan., 1981	
Lesotho	2 June, 1980	
INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND—		
Articles of Agreement of the International Monetary Fund (for amendments <i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 44 (1978), Cmnd. 7205 and Treaty Series No. 83 (1978), Cmnd. 7331)	Washington, 27 Dec., 1945	21/1946 Cmnd. 6885
Signatures and acceptances—		
Bhutan	28 Sept., 1981	
Vanuatu	28 Sept., 1981	
LABOUR (ILO)—		
<i>See also</i> INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANISATION		
International Labour Convention No. 100. Equal Remuneration Convention, 1951	Geneva, 29 June, 1951	88/1972 Cmnd. 5039
Ratifications—		
Rwanda	2 Dec., 1980	
Swaziland	5 June, 1981	

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LABOUR (ILO) (continued)—		
International Labour Convention No. 108. Seafarers' Identity Documents Convention, 1958	Geneva, 13 May, 1958	25/1965 Cmnd. 2575
Ratification— Liberia	8 July, 1981	
International Labour Convention No. 122. Employment Policy Convention, 1964	Geneva, 9 July, 1964	65/1967 Cmnd. 3360
Ratification— Portugal	9 Jan., 1981	
International Labour Convention No. 135. Workers' Representatives Convention, 1971	Geneva, 23 June, 1971	30/1974 Cmnd. 5612
Ratification— Italy	23 June, 1981	
International Labour Convention No. 142. Human Resources Development Convention, 1975	Geneva, 23 June, 1975	17/1978 Cmnd. 7086
Ratifications— Denmark (not applicable to Faroe Islands and Greenland)	5 June, 1981	
Germany, Federal Republic of (also applies to Berlin (West))	29 Dec., 1980	
Portugal	9 Jan., 1981	
International Labour Convention No. 144. Tripartite Consultation (International Labour Standards) Convention, 1976	Geneva, 21 June, 1976	33/1978 Cmnd. 7164
Ratifications— Iceland	30 June, 1981	
Portugal	9 Jan., 1981	
Swaziland	5 June, 1981	
International Labour Convention No. 148. Working Environment (Air Pollution, Noise and Vibration) Convention, 1977	Geneva, 20 June, 1977	40/1980 Cmnd. 7901
Ratifications— Costa Rica	16 June, 1981	
Cuba	29 Dec., 1980	
Portugal	9 Jan., 1981	
Spain (in respect of air pollution and noise only)... ..	17 Dec., 1980	
International Labour Convention No. 150. Labour Administration Convention, 1978	Geneva, 26 June, 1978	32/1981 Cmnd. 8251
Ratifications— Cyprus	6 July, 1981	
Denmark (not applicable to Faroe Islands and Greenland)	5 June, 1981	
Switzerland	3 Mar., 1981	
International Labour Convention No. 151. Labour Relations (Public Service) Convention, 1978	Geneva, 27 June, 1978	33/1981 Cmnd. 8252

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LABOUR (ILO) (continued)—		
Ratifications—		
Cyprus	5 July, 1981	
Denmark (not applicable to Faroe Islands and Greenland)	5 June, 1981	
Switzerland	3 Mar., 1981	
LAW—		
<i>See</i> DISPUTES		
LAW OF THE SEA		
MARITIME LAW		
PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW		
LAW OF THE SEA—		
Convention on the Territorial Sea and the Contiguous Zone	Geneva, 29 Apr.— 31 Oct., 1958	3/1965 Cmnd. 2511
Succession—		
Solomon Islands*	3 Sept., 1981	
* On depositing its instrument of succession the Government of <i>Solomon Islands</i> stated that: "the succession of Solomon Islands to the said Treaty shall be without prejudice to the right of Solomon Islands (1) to employ straight base lines drawn between its islands as the basis for the delimitation of its territorial sea and contiguous zone, and (2) to designate all waters enclosed by the said straight base lines as internal or archipelagic waters."		
These reservations entered into force on 3 October 1981.		
Convention on the High Seas	Geneva, 29 Apr.— 31 Oct., 1958	5/1963 Cmnd. 1929
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Convention on Fishing and Conservation of the Living Resources of the High Seas	Geneva, 29 Apr.— 31 Oct., 1958	39/1966 Cmnd. 3028
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Convention on the Continental Shelf	Geneva, 29 Apr.— 31 Oct., 1958	39/1964 Cmnd. 2422
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Optional Protocol of Signature concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes	Geneva, 29 Apr.— 31 Oct., 1958	60/1963 Cmnd. 2112
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	

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MARITIME LAW—		
<i>See also SHIPPING</i>		
International Conventions for the Unification of Certain Rules of Law respecting:		
(1) Collisions between Vessels; and	Brussels,	4/1913
(2) Assistance and Salvage at Sea	23 Sept., 1910	Cd. 6677
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	7 July, 1978 (effective date)	
International Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules of Law relating to Bills of Lading	Brussels,	17/1931
	25 Aug., 1924	Cmd. 3806
Succession—		
Solomon Islands	7 July 1978 (effective date)	
International Conventions on Maritime Law	Brussels,	47/1960
(1) International Convention on Certain Rules concerning Civil Jurisdiction in Matters of Collision;	10 May, 1952	Cmnd. 1128
(2) International Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules relating to Penal Jurisdiction in Matters of Collision or other Incidents of Navigation;		
(3) International Convention relating to the Arrest of Sea-going Ships.		
Succession—		
Solomon Islands*	7 July, 1978 (effective date)	
<p>* On succeeding to the above Conventions the Solomon Islands maintained the reservations formulated by the United Kingdom on extending Conventions (2) and (3) above to the Solomon Islands (<i>See Treaty Series No. 98 (1965), Cmnd. 2897, p. 10–11.</i>)</p>		
International Convention relating to the Limitation of the Liability of Owners of Seagoing Ships (with Protocol of Signature)	Brussels,	52/1968
	10 Oct., 1957	Cmnd. 3678
Succession—		
Solomon Islands*	7 July, 1978 (effective date)	
<p>* On succeeding to the above Convention the Solomon Islands maintained the reservations formulated by the United Kingdom when the Convention was extended to the Solomon Islands (<i>see Treaty Series No. 38 (1971), Cmnd. 4709, p. 15.</i>)</p>		
Protocol to amend the International Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules of Law relating to Bills of Lading signed at Brussels on 25 August 1924	Brussels,	83/1977
	23 Feb., 1968	Cmnd. 6944
Accession—		
Sri Lanka	21 Oct., 1981	

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NAVIGATION—		
<i>See SHIPPING</i>		
NUCLEAR ENERGY—		
<i>See ATOMIC ENERGY</i>		
NUCLEAR WEAPONS—		
<i>See DISARMAMENT</i>		
OCEANOGRAPHY—		
Convention on the International Hydrographic Organisation	Monaco, 3 May, 1967	30/1971 Cmnd. 4682
Accessions—		
Belgium	10 Mar., 1981	
Uruguay	22 Sept., 1981	
OIL POLLUTION—		
<i>See POLLUTION</i>		
PLANTS—		
<i>See also FORESTRY</i>		
International Plant Protection Convention	Rome, 6 Dec., 1951	16/1954 Cmnd. 9077
Accessions—		
Peru	1 July, 1975	
Senegal	3 Mar., 1975	
POLITICAL RIGHTS—		
<i>See HUMAN RIGHTS</i>		
POLLUTION—		
International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea by Oil, 1954, as amended in 1962 and 1969 (<i>see Treaty Series No. 59 (1967), Cmnd. 3354 and Treaty Series No. 21 (1978), Cmnd. 7094</i>)	London, 12 May, 1954	56/1958 Cmnd. 595
Acceptance—		
Bangladesh	28 Sept., 1981	

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
POLLUTION—		
International Convention relating to Intervention on the High Seas in Cases of Oil Pollution Casualties ...	Brussels, 29 Nov., 1969– 31 Dec., 1970	77/1975 Cmnd. 6056
Accession— Bangladesh	6 Nov., 1981	
International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage	Brussels, 29 Nov., 1969– 31 Dec., 1970	106/1975 Cmnd. 6183
Accession— Singapore	16 Sept., 1981	
International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage, 1971	Brussels, 18 Dec., 1971	95/1978 Cmnd. 7383
Accession— Spain	8 Oct., 1981	
Protocol to the International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage, 1969	London, 19 Nov., 1976	26/1981 Cmnd. 8238
Accession— Spain	22 Oct., 1981	
POSTAL CONVENTIONS—		
<i>See</i> UNIVERSAL POSTAL UNION		
PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW—		
Convention on the Recognition of Divorces and Legal Separations	The Hague, 1 June, 1970	123/1975 Cmnd. 6248
Signature— Luxembourg	6 Nov., 1981	
Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Decisions relating to Maintenance Obligations ...	The Hague, 2 Oct., 1973	49/1980 Cmnd. 7939
Ratification— Italy (with reservation)*	2 Oct., 1981	
* The instrument of ratification of the Government of Italy contained the following reservation:		
[<i>Translation</i>] In accordance with Article 34 of the Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Decisions Relating to Maintenance Obligations, the Italian Republic reserves the right not to recognize or enforce a decision or settlement unless it provides for the periodical payment of maintenance, provided for in Article 26, paragraph 3, except a decision or settlement providing for a single payment of the sum owed upon the dissolution of the marriage, as governed by the final sentence of Article 5, paragraph 4, of the Law of 1 December 1970, No. 898.		

	Date	Treaty Series and Command Nos.
PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES—		
Agreement on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Atomic Energy Agency	Vienna, ⁵ 1 July, 1969	27/1962 Cmnd. 1675
Acceptances—		
Hungary (with reservations)*	14 July, 1967	
Iran	21 May, 1974	
Mongolia (with reservation)†	12 Jan., 1976	
Morocco (with reservations)‡	30 Mar., 1977	
Turkey (with reservations)§	26 June, 1978	
<p>* The Government of Hungary made the following reservations: The Hungarian People's Republic accepts Sections 26 and 34 of the Agreement with the reservation that disputes regarding the interpretation and application of the Agreement shall be referred to the International Court of Justice only with the consent of all parties involved in the given dispute. The Hungarian People's Republic makes a reservation also with regard to the provision in Section 34 making the advisory opinion of the Court decisive in certain cases. (Original Hungarian; certified English translation supplied by the Hungarian Government.)</p>		
<p>† The Government of Mongolia made the following reservation: The Mongolian People's Republic does not consider itself bound by the provisions of Sections 26 and 34 of the Agreement concerning the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice. The Mongolian People's Republic considers that any dispute arising out of the interpretation and application of the Agreement should be referred to the International Court of Justice with the consent of all parties to the dispute in each individual case. This reservation applies equally to the provision of Section 34 which states that the opinion given by the Court shall be accepted as decisive by the parties. (English translation supplied by the Mongolian Government.)</p>		
<p>‡ The Government of Morocco made the following reservations: —The IAEA shall take due account of the national laws and regulations in acquiring and possessing immovable property in Morocco; —The privileges and immunities recognized under the Agreement shall not be extended to the officials of the IAEA who are Moroccan nationals serving in Morocco; —In the case of disputes, any recourse to the International Court of Justice shall be based on the consent of all the parties concerned. (Original Arabic; translation by the Secretariat from a French translation supplied by the Government.)</p>		
<p>§ The Government of Turkey made the following reservations: “(A) With regard to the postponement of national service of Turkish nationals who will be recruited by the International Atomic Energy Agency with reference to Section 19 of the said Agreement, relevant Turkish legislation shall be applied.</p>		

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PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES (continued)—		
<p>“(B) The officials of Turkish nationality who will be missioned in Turkey by the International Atomic Energy Agency, shall be subject to the taxes levied on Turkish nationals. They shall in accordance with the provisions of Part 4, Section 2 of Income Tax Law No. 5421, inform their wages by means of annual declarations.” (Original English.)</p>		
Protocol on INTELSAT Privileges, Exemptions and Immunities	Washington, 19 May– 20 Nov., 1978	2/1981 Cmnd. 8103
Ratification— Italy	25 Sept., 1981	
Accession— Thailand	20 Nov., 1981	
PUBLICATIONS—		
Protocol amending the Agreement for the Suppression of the Circulation of Obscene Publications signed at Paris on 4 May, 1910 (Treaty Series No. 11 (1911), Cd. 5657)	Lake Success, New York, 4 May, 1949	13/1951 Cmd. 8152
Succession— Solomon Islands*	3 Sept., 1981	
<p>* By virtue of succeeding to the above Protocol the Solomon Islands is listed as a party to the Agreement for the Suppression of the Circulation of Obscene Publications, signed at Paris on 4 May 1910, as amended by the above Protocol.</p>		
RACIAL DISCRIMINATION—		
<i>See HUMAN RIGHTS</i>		
RED CROSS—		
Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and Sick in Armed Forces in the Field	Geneva, 12 Aug., 1949	39/1958 Cmnd. 550
Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded, Sick and Shipwrecked Members of Armed Forces at Sea	Geneva, 12 Aug., 1949	39/1958 Cmnd. 550
Convention relative to the Treatment of Prisoners of War	Geneva, 12 Aug., 1949	39/1958 Cmnd. 550
Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War	Geneva, 12 Aug., 1949	39/1958 Cmnd. 550
Successions—	<i>Effective dates</i>	
Dominica	3 Nov., 1978	
Saint Lucia	22 Feb., 1979	
Solomon Islands	7 July, 1978	

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
REFUGEES—		
Convention relating to the Status of Refugees... ..	Geneva, 28 July, 1951	39/1954 Cmd. 9171
Accession—		
Japan (with declaration)*	3 Oct., 1981	
<p>* In accordance with Article 1 B (1) of the Convention, the Government of Japan declared, for the purpose of its obligations under this Convention, that the words " events occurring before 1 January 1951 " in Article 1, Section A, will be understood to mean " events occurring in Europe or elsewhere before 1 January 1951 ".</p>		
<p>Note—</p> <p>On 24 September 1981, the following clarification was communicated to the Secretary-General of the United Nations by the Government of <i>Egypt</i> in respect of their reservations made on their accession to the above Convention (<i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 94 (1981), Cmd. 8461 pp.23-24):</p>		
<p>[Translation]</p> <p>Nature of the reservations made by the Arab Republic of Egypt on some articles of the Convention relating to the status of refugees signed at Geneva on 28 July 1951 and to the Protocol relating to the status of refugees signed at New York on 31 January 1967.</p> <p>1. Egypt formulated a reservation to Article 12 (1) because it is in contradiction with the internal laws of Egypt. This article provides that the personal status of a refugee shall be governed by the law of the country of his domicile or, failing this, of his residence. This formula contradicts Article 25 of the Egyptian civil code, which reads as follows:</p> <p>" The judge declares the applicable law in the case of persons without nationality or with more than one nationality at the same time. In the case of persons where there is proof, in accordance with Egypt, of Egyptian nationality, and at the same time in accordance with one or more foreign countries, of nationality of that country, the Egyptian law must be applied."</p> <p>The competent Egyptian authorities are not in a position to amend this Article (25) of the civil code.</p> <p>2. Concerning Articles 20, 22 (paragraph 1), 23 and 24 of the Convention of 1951, the competent Egyptian authorities had reservations because these articles consider the refugee as equal to the national.</p> <p>We made this general reservation to avoid any obstacle which might affect the discretionary authority of Egypt in granting privileges to refugees on a case-by-case basis.</p>		
European Agreement on the Abolition of Visas for Refugees	Strasbourg, 20 Apr., 1959	32/1969 Cmd. 3922
Ratification—		
Portugal*	12 Oct., 1981	
<p>* Includes Azores and Madeira by declaration under Article 2.</p>		

	Date	Treaty Series and Command Nos.
<p>RICE— See FOOD</p>		
<p>ROAD TRANSPORT— Convention on Road Transport... ..</p>	<p>Geneva, 19 Sept., 1949</p>	<p>49/1958 Cmnd. 578</p>
<p>Note— In a communication received on 7 October 1981, the Government of the United Kingdom informed the Secretary-General of the United Nations that, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 3 of Annex 4 to the Convention, it has selected, on behalf of the Isle of Man, the distinctive letters "GBM" for display on vehicles in international traffic. The Convention was extended to the Isle of Man on 22 January 1958.</p>		
<p>Agreement concerning the Adoption of Uniform Conditions of Approval for Motor Vehicle Equipment and Parts and Reciprocal Recognition thereof</p>	<p>Geneva, 20 Mar., 1958</p>	<p>7/1965 Cmnd. 2535</p>
<p>Regulation No. 15. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles equipped with a positive-ignition engine with regard to the emission of gaseous pollutants by the engine.</p>		
<p>Termination of application— Switzerland (with declaration)*</p>	<p>1 Oct., 1982 (effective date)</p>	
<p>* The notification of the Government of Switzerland that it intends to cease to apply Regulation No. 15 contained the following declaration:</p>		
<p>[Translation] The Federal Council [of Switzerland] expresses the hope that progress made within the framework of the Economic Commission for Europe as regards the regulation of the emission of gaseous pollutants will lead it to reapply the said Regulation No. 15 in the near future.</p>		
<p>Regulation No. 39. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to the speedometer equipment including its installation.</p>		
<p>Acceptance— Czechoslovakia</p>	<p>29 Dec., 1981 (effective date)</p>	
<p>Regulation No. 43. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of safety glazing and glazing materials for installation on power-driven vehicles and their trailers.</p>		
<p>Acceptance— Italy</p>	<p>13 Nov., 1981 (effective date)</p>	
<p>Regulation No. 47. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of mopeds equipped with a positive-ignition engine with regard to the emission of gaseous pollutants by the engine.</p>		

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ROAD TRANSPORT (continued)—		
Proposing Governments— Federal Republic of Germany, Netherlands ...	Date of entry into force 1 Nov., 1981	
SAFE CONTAINERS—		
<i>See</i> TRANSPORT		
SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEA—		
<i>See</i> SHIPPING		
SEA-BED ARMS CONTROL—		
<i>See</i> DISARMAMENT		
SEAMEN DESERTERS—		
<i>See</i> FINLAND		
SHIPPING—		
<i>See also</i> MARITIME LAW POLLUTION TRANSPORT		
Convention and Statute on the Regime of Navigable Waterways of International Concern (with Addi- tional Protocol)	Barcelona, 20 Apr., 1921	28/1923 Cmd. 1993
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Declaration recognizing the Right to a Flag of States having no Sea-Coast	Barcelona, 20 Apr., 1921	29/1923 Cmd. 1994
Succession— Solomon Islands	3 Sept., 1981	
Convention on Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic, 1965, as amended in 1971 and 1978 (<i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 63 (1972), Cmnd. 5006 and Treaty Series No. 63 (1978), Cmnd. 7243)	London, 9 Apr., 1965	46/1967 Cmnd. 3299
Accession— Guinea	19 Jan., 1981	
Special Trade Passenger Ships Agreement, 1971 ... with	London, 6 Oct., 1971	7/1980 Cmnd. 7761
Protocol on Space Requirements for Special Trade Passenger Ships, 1973	London, 13 July, 1973	
Extension— Hong Kong (Agreement and Protocol)	27 Oct., 1981	

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
SHIPPING (continued)—		
International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974	London, 1 Nov., 1974— 1 July, 1975	46/1980 Cmnd. 7874
Ratification— Switzerland	1 Oct., 1981	
Accession— Bangladesh	6 Nov., 1981	
SLAVERY—		
<i>See</i> HUMAN RIGHTS		
SOCIAL SECURITY—		
European Code of Social Security	Strasbourg, 16 Apr., 1964	10/1969 Cmnd. 3871
Signature— Portugal	19 Nov., 1981	
SPACE—		
Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in the Exploration and Use of Outer Space, including the Moon and other Celestial Bodies	London, Moscow and Washington, 27 Jan., 1967	10/1968 Cmnd. 3519
Ratification in Washington— Chile	8 Oct., 1981	
Agreement on the Rescue of Astronauts, the Return of Astronauts and the Return of Objects Launched into Outer Space	London, Moscow and Washington, 22 Apr., 1968	56/1969 Cmnd. 3997
Ratification in Washington— Chile	8 Oct., 1981	
Convention on Registration of Objects launched into Outer Space	New York, 14 Jan., 1975	70/1978 Cmnd. 7271
Accession— Chile Korea, Republic of	17 Sept., 1981 14 Oct., 1981	
TANZANIA—		
Exchange of Notes. The British Expatriates Supplementation (Tanzania) Agreement 1976	Dar es Salaam, 5 Aug., 1976	31/1977 Cmnd. 6772
Note— By an Exchange of Notes dated 29 September, 1981, the Governments of the <i>United Kingdom</i> and <i>Tanzania</i> agreed to substitute the date "30 November 1981" in paragraph (3) for "30 September 1981". The Agreement thus amended shall be known as "The British Expatriates Supplementation (Tanzania) Agreement 1976/81".		

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TELECOMMUNICATIONS—		
<i>See</i> PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES		
TERRORISM—		
<i>See also</i> AVIATION		
DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR RELATIONS		
European Convention for the Suppression of Terrorism	Strasbourg, 27 Jan., 1977	93/1978 Cmnd. 7390
Ratification—		
Portugal (with reservation)* 	14 Dec., 1981	
* The instrument of ratification of the Government of Portugal contains the following reservation:		
[Translation]		
... As requested State, Portugal shall not grant extradition for offences punishable in the requesting State with either the death penalty, life imprisonment or a detention order involving deprivation of liberty for life.		
This reservation replaces the reservations made by Portugal at the time of signature of the Convention (<i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 93 (1978), Cmnd. 7390, p. 10):		
TRANSPORT—		
<i>See also</i> CUSTOMS		
ROAD TRANSPORT		
SHIPPING		
International Convention for Safe Containers (CSC) ...	Geneva, 2 Dec., 1972	40/1979 Cmnd. 7535
Accession—		
Belgium	16 Sept., 1981	
TREATY SUCCESSION—		
<i>See</i> ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA		
UNITED NATIONS—		
Charter of the United Nations (as amended— <i>see</i> Treaty Series No. 2 (1966), Cmnd. 2900; Treaty Series No. 5 (1969), Cmnd. 3869 and Treaty Series No. 130 (1973), Cmnd. 5511) 	San Francisco, 26 June, 1945	67/1946 Cmd. 7015
Admission to membership of the United Nations by decision of the General Assembly—		
Antigua and Barbuda 	11 Nov., 1981	
UNIVERSAL POSTAL UNION—		
Constitution of the Universal Postal Union 	Vienna, 10 July, 1964	70/1966 Cmnd. 3141
Ratification—		
Costa Rica 	10 Sept., 1981	

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Treaty Series and Command Nos.</i>
UNIVERSAL POSTAL UNION (continued)—		
Additional Protocol to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union	Tokyo, 14 Nov., 1969	72/1973 Cmnd. 5358
Ratification— Costa Rica	10 Sept., 1981	
Second Additional Protocol to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union	Lausanne, 5 July, 1974	56/1976 Cmnd. 6539
Ratification— Costa Rica	10 Sept., 1981	
Accession— Equatorial Guinea	21 Sept., 1981	
VENEREAL DISEASES—		
Agreement respecting Facilities to be given to Merchant Seamen for the Treatment of Venereal Disease ...	Brussels, 1 Dec., 1924	20/1926 Cmnd. 2727
Note— In a notification received by the Belgian Government on 17 September 1981, the Government of <i>Solomon Islands</i> , which had applied the above Agreement provisionally since achieving independence on 7 July 1978, gave notice that they do not propose to become a party to the Treaty and propose "to terminate the provisional application of the said Treaty to Solomon Islands on the expiry of a period of twelve months from the date on which notice of termination is received by the other States provisionally applying the said Treaty". (The United Kingdom Government received the notification on 26 October 1981.)		
VISAS FOR REFUGEES—		
<i>See</i> REFUGEES		
WHALING—		
International Convention for the Regulation of Whaling, 1946, amended by the Protocol of 19 November, 1956 (Treaty Series No. 68 (1959), Cmnd. 849) ...	Washington, 2 Dec., 1946	5/1949 Cmnd. 7604
Adherence— Egypt	18 Sept., 1981	
WHEAT—		
<i>See</i> FOOD		