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Note by the Secretary-General

In connexion with the recommendation made by the Preparatory Committee for the twenty-fifth anniversary of the United Nations in paragraph 36 of its report (A/7690), the Secretary-General has the honour to communicate the following lists of treaties and other instruments to the members of the General Assembly.

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- I. MULTILATERAL TREATIES IN RESPECT OF WHICH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL PERFORMS DEPOSITARY FUNCTIONS AND WHICH HAVE NOT ENTERED INTO FORCE FOR LACK OF SUFFICIENT RATIFICATIONS, ACCESSIONS, ETC.
- 1. International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights. Opened for signature at New York on 19 December 1966.
- 2. International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights. Opened for signature at New York on 19 December 1966.
- 3. Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights. Opened for signature at New York on 19 December 1966.
- 4. Convention on the Non-Applicability of Statutory Limitations to War Crimes and Crimes against Humanity. Adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 26 November 1968.
- 5. Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness. Done at New York on 30 August 1961.
- 6. Amendment to article 7 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization. Adopted by the Eighteenth World Health Assembly on 20 May 1965.
- 7. Amendments to articles 24 and 25 of the Constitution of the World Health Organization. Adopted by the Twentieth World Health Assembly on 23 May 1967.
- 8. Convention on Road Traffic, with Annexes. Done at Vienna on 8 November 1968.
- 9. Convention on Road Signs and Signals, with Annexes. Done at Vienna on 8 November 1968.
- 10. Convention on the Registration of Inland Navigation Vessels, with annexed Protocols:
 - Protocol No. 1 concerning Rights in rem in Inland Navigation Vessels;
 - Protocol No. 2 concerning Attachment and Forced Sale of Inland Navigation Vessels;
 - Done at Geneva on 25 January 1965.
- 11. Convention on the Measurement of Inland Navigation Vessels, with Annex and Protocol of Signature. Done at Geneva on 15 February 1966.
- 12. Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties. Done at Vienna on 23 May 1969.

- II. MULTILATERAL TREATIES IN RESPECT OF WHICH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL PERFORMS DEPOSITARY FUNCTIONS AND WHICH HAVE ENTERED INTO FORCE EUT TO WHICH LESS THAN HALF OF THE STATES ENTITLED TO BECOME PARTIES DID SO 1/
- 1. Statute of the International Court of Justice: Declarations under Article 36, paragraph 2, recognizing as compulsory the jurisdiction of the Court.
- 2. Revised General Act for the Pacific Settlement of International Disputes. Adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 28 April 1949.
- 3. Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations concerning Acquisition of Nationality. Done at Vienna on 18 April 1961.
- 4. Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes. Done at Vienna on 18 April 1961.
- 5. Vienna Convention on Consular Relations. Done at Vienna on 24 April 1963.
- 6. Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations concerning Acquisition of Nationality. Done at Vienna on 24 April 1963.
- 7. Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes. Done at Vienna on 24 April 1963.
- 8. International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination. Opened for signature at New York on 7 March 1966.
- 9. Convention relating to the Status of Refugees. Done at Geneva on 27 July 1951.
- 10. Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons. Done at New York on 28 September 1954.
- 11. Protocol relating to the Status of Refugees. Done at New York on 31 January 1967.
- 12. Convention for the Suppression of the Illicit Traffic in Dangerous Drugs, with Protocol of Signature. Signed at Geneva on 26 June 1936 and amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 11 December 1946.

In computing the number of parties to certain pre-United Nations Treaties which have been amended by protocols adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations, States parties to the original treaties which have not yet accepted the protocols concerned have been counted.

- 13. Protocol for Limiting and Regulating the Cultivation of the Poppy Plant, the Production of, International and Wholesale Trade in, and Use of Opium. Opened for signature at New York on 23 June 1953.
- 14. Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women and Children, concluded at Geneva on 30 September 1921 and amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 12 November 1947.
- 15. Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women of Full Age, concluded at Geneva on 11 October 1933 and amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 12 November 1947.
- 16. International Agreement for the Suppression of White Slave Traffic signed at Paris on 18 May 1904 and amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 4 May 1949.
- 17. Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others. Opened for signature at Lake Success, New York, on 21 March 1950.
- 18. Final Protocol to the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others. Opened for signature at Lake Success, New York, on 21 March 1950.
- 19. Convention for the Suppression of the Circulation of, and Traffic in, Obscene Publications, concluded at Geneva on 12 September 1923 and amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 12 November 1947.
- 20. Agreement for the Suppression of the Circulation of Obscene Publications, signed at Paris on 4 May 1910 and amended by the Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 4 May 1949.
- 21. Convention on Transit Trade of Land-locked States. Done at New York on 8 July 1965.
- 22. International Convention to Facilitate the Importation of Commercial Samples and Advertising Material. Done at Geneva on 7 November 1952.
- 23. Convention concerning Customs Facilities for Touring. Done at New York on 4 June 195h.
- 24. Additional Protocol to the Convention concerning Customs Facilities for Touring, relating to the Importation of Tourist Publicity Documents and Material. Done at New York on 4 June 1954.
- 25. Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation of Private Road Vehicles.

 Done at New York on 4 June 1954.
- 26. Customs Convention on Containers with Annexes and Protocol of Signature.
 Done at Geneva on 18 May 1956.

- 27. Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation of Commercial Road Vehicles, with Annexes and Protocol of Signature. Done at Geneva on 18 May 1956.
- 28. Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation for Private Use of Aircraft and Pleasure Boats, with Annexes and Protocol of Signature. Done at Geneva on 18 May 1956.
- 29. Customs Convention concerning Spare Parts used for repairing EUROP Wagons. Done at Geneva on 15 January 1958.
- 50. Customs Convention on the International Transport of Goods under Cover of TIR Carnets (TIR Convention), with Annexes and Protocol of Signature.

 Done at Geneva on 15 January 1959.
- 31. European Convention on Customs Treatment of Pallets used in International Transport. Done at Geneva on 9 December 1960.
- 32. Protocol on Road Signs and Signals. Signed at Geneva on 19 September 1949.
- 33. European Agreement supplementing the 1949 Convention on Road Traffic and the 1949 Protocol on Road Signs and Signals. Done at Geneva on 16 September 1950.
- 54. European Agreement on the application of article 23 of the 1949 Convention on Road Traffic concerning the dimensions and weights of vehicles permitted to travel on certain roads of the Contracting Parties, with annex. Signed at Geneva on 16 September 1950.
- 55. Convention on the Taxation of Road Vehicles for Private Use in International Traffic, and Protocol of Signature. Done at Geneva on 18 May 1956.
- 36. Convention on the Contract for the International Carriage of Goods by Road (CMR), and Protocol of Signature. Done at Geneva on 19 May 1956.
- 57. Convention on the Taxation of Road Vehicles Engaged in International Goods Transport. Done at Geneva on 14 December 1956.
- 58. Convention on the Taxation of Road Vehicles Engaged in International Passenger Transport. Done at Geneva on 14 December 1956.
- 59. European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR), with Annexes and Protocol of Signature. Done at Geneva on 30 September 1957.
- 40. European Agreement on Road Markings. Done at Geneva on 13 December 1957.
- 41. Agreement concerning the Adoption of Uniform Conditions of Approval and Reciprocal Recognition of Approval for Motor Vehicle Equipment and Parts. Done at Geneva on 20 March 1958.

- 42. International Convention to Facilitate the Crossing of Frontiers for Passengers and Baggage carried by Rail, with Annex. Singed at Geneva on 10 January 1952.
- 43. International Convention to Facilitate the Crossing of Frontiers for Goods carried by Rail, with Annex. Signed at Geneva on 10 January 1952.
- 44. Convention relating to the Unification of Certain Rules concerning Collisions in Inland Navigation. Done at Geneva on 15 March 1960.
- 45. Agreement for Facilitating the International Circulation of Visual and Auditory Materials of an Educational, Scientific and Cultural Character with Protocol of Signature. Opened for signature at Lake Success, New York, on 15 July 1949.
- 46. Agreement on the Importation of Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials with annexed Protocol. Opened for signature at Lake Success, New York, on 22 November 1950.
- 47. International Convention for the Protection of Performers, Producers of Phonograms and Broadcasting Organizations. Done at Rome on 26 October 1961.
- 48. Convention on the Declaration of Death of Missing Persons. Established and opened for accession on 6 April 1950 by the United Nations Conference on the Declaration of Death of Missing Persons.
- 1.9. Convention on the Nationality of Married Women. Done at New York on 20 February 1957.
- 50. Convention on Consent to Marriage, Minimum Age for Marriage and Registration of Marriages. Signed at New York on 10 December 1962.
- 51. Convention on the International Right of Correction. Opened for signature at New York on 31 March 1953.
- 52. 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.
- 53. International Coffee Agreement, 1968. Open for signature at New York from 18 to 31 March 1968.
- 54. International Sugar Agreement, 1968. Open for signature at New York from 3 to 24 December 1968.
- 55. Agreement establishing the Asian Coconut Community. Opened for signature at Bangkok on 12 December 1968.
- 56. Convention on the Recovery Abroad of Maintenance. Opened for signature at New York on 20 June 1956.

- 57. Convention on the Territorial Sea and the Contiguous Zone. Done at Geneva on 29 April 1958.
- 58. Convention on the High Seas. Done at Geneva on 29 April 1958.
- 59. Convention on Fishing and Conservation of the Living Resources of the High Seas. Done at Geneva on 29 April 1958.
- 60. Convention on the Continental Shelf. Done at Geneva on 29 April 1958.
- 51. Optional Protocol of Signature concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes. Done at Geneva on 29 April 1958.
- 62. Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards.

 Done at New York on 10 June 1958.
- 63. European Convention on International Commercial Arbitration. Done at Geneva on 21 April 1961.
- 64. Convention concerning the Use of Broadcasting in the Cause of Peace. Geneva, 23 September 1936.
- 65. Protocol relating to a Certain Case of Statelessness. The Hague, 17 April 1930.
- 66. Convention on Certain Questions relating to the Conflict of Nationality Laws. The Hague, 12 April 1930.
- 67. Protocol relating to Military Obligations in Certain Cases of Double Nationality. The Hague, 12 April 1930.
- 68. Convention for the Execution of Foreign Arbitral Awards. Geneva, 26 September 1927.
- 69. Convention for the Settlement of Certain Conflicts of Laws in connexion with Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes, and Protocol. Geneva, 7 June 1930.
- 70. Convention for the Settlement of Certain Conflicts of Laws in connexion with Cheques, and Protocol. Geneva, 19 March 1931.
- 71. Convention providing a Uniform Law for Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes, with Annexes and Protocol. Geneva, 7 June 1930.
- 72. Convention providing a Uniform Law for Cheques, with Annexes and Protocol. Geneva, 19 March 1931.
- 73. Convention on the Stamp Laws in connexion with Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes, and Protocol. Geneva, 7 June 1930.
- 74. Convention on the Stamp Laws in connexion with Cheques, and Protocol. Geneva, 19 March 1931.

- 75. Convention for the Suppression of Counterfeiting Currency, and Protocol. Geneva, 20 April 1929.
- 76. Optional Protocol concerning the Suppression of Counterfeiting Currency. Geneva, 20 April 1929.
- 77. Convention and Statute on Freedom of Transit. Barcelona, 20 April 1921.
- 78. Convention and Statute on the Régime of Navigable Waterways of International Concern. Barcelona, 20 April 1921.
- 79. Additional Protocol to the Convention on the Régime of Navigable Waterways of International Concern. Barcelona, 20 April 1921.
- 80. Declaration recognizing the Right to a Flag of States having no Sea-coast. Barcelona, 20 April 1921.
- 81. Convention and Statute on the International Régime of Maritime Ports, and Protocol of Signature. Geneva, 9 December 1923.
- 82. Convention relating to the Simplification of Customs Formalities, and Protocol. Geneva, 3 November 1923.

- III. MULTILATERAL TREATIES IN RESPECT OF WHICH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL DOES NOT PERFORM DEPOSITARY FUNCTIONS AND TO WHICH THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONSIDERS THAT STATES SHOULD BECOME PARTIES
- 1. Treaty Banning Nuclear Weapon Tests in the Atmosphere, in Outer Space and under Water, 5 August 1963 (United Nations, <u>Treaty Series</u>, Vol. 480 (1963), No. 6964). General Assembly resolutions 1649 (XVI), operative paragraph 4; 1910 (XVIII), operative paragraph 1; 2163 (XXII), operative paragraph 1; 2343 (XXII), operative paragraph 1.
- 2. Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, 1 July 1968 (General Assembly resolution 2373 (XXII), annex, and operative paragraph 3).
- 3. Additional Protocol II of the Treaty for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America, 14 February 1967 (Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-second Session, Annexes, agenda item 91, document A/C.1/946. General Assembly resolutions 2286 (XXII), operative paragraphs 3 and 4; 2456 B (XXIII), paragraph 4.
- 4. Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in the Exploration and Use of Outer Space, including the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies (General Assembly resolution 2222 (XXI), annex). General Assembly resolutions 2222 (XXI), operative paragraph 3; 2260 (XXII), operative paragraph 2; 2453 B (XXIII), operative paragraph 3.
- 5. Agreement on the Rescue of Astronauts, the Return of Astronauts and the Return of Objects Launched into Outer Space (General Assembly resolution 2345 (XXII), annex). General Assembly resolutions 2345 (XXII), operative paragraph 3; 2453 B (XXIII), operative paragraph 3.
- 6. Convention concerning Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organize, San Francisco, 9 July 1948 (United Nations, <u>Treaty Series</u>, Vol. 68 (1950), p. 17). General Assembly resolution 279 (III), operative paragraph 3.
- 7. Geneva Protocol for the Prohibition of the Use in War of Asphyxiating, Poisonous or Other Gases and of Bacteriological Methods of Warfare, Geneva, 17 July 1925 (League of Nations, <u>Treaty Series</u>, Vol. XCIV, 1929, No. 2138). General Assembly resolution 2162 B (XXI), operative paragraph 2; reaffirmed in preamble and operative paragraph 6 of resolution 2454 (XXIII).
- 8. The Hague Conventions of 1899 and 1907 (Carnegie Endownment for International Peace, The Hague Conventions and Declarations, 1899-1907 (New York, Oxford University Press, 1918)); Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 (United Nations, Treaty Series, Vol. 75 (1950), Nos. 970-973). General Assembly resolution 2444 (XXIII), operative paragraph 5.

IV. DRAFT CONVENTIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION BY UNITED NATIONS ORGANS

- 1. Draft Convention on Liability for Damage caused by the Launching of Objects into Outer Space.
- 2. Draft International Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Religious Intolerance.
- 3. Draft Convention on Freedom of Information.
- 4. Draft Protocol on Psychotropic Substances.

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