

WARSAW CONVENTION

AND WHEREAS the said convention came into force on February 13, 1933, and, pursuant to a provision of the first paragraph of Article 38, remained open thereafter for adherence by any state;

AND WHEREAS the said convention and the said additional protocol have been definitively adhered to by the United States of America, subject to the reservation, as is provided for in the additional protocol, that the first paragraph of Article 2 of the convention shall not apply to international transportation that may be performed by the United States of America or any territory or possession under its jurisdiction, and the instrument of adherence was deposited in the archives of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Poland on July 31, 1934;

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with the third paragraph of Article 38 of the convention, the adherence of the United States of America took effect from the ninetieth day after the said day of deposit, namely, from the twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-four;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, have caused the said convention and additional protocol to be made public to the end that the same and every article and clause thereof may be observed and fulfilled with good faith by the United States of America and the citizens thereof, subject to the reservation aforesaid.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

DONE at the city of Washington this twenty-ninth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and [SEAL] thirty-four, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and fifty-ninth.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

By the President:

WILLIAM PHILLIPS

Acting Secretary of State.

EDITOR'S NOTE

The foregoing convention has been ratified or adhered to by the following countries on the dates indicated:

Argentina.....	March 21, 1952
Australia ¹	August 1, 1935
Belgium.....	July 13, 1936
Brazil.....	May 2, 1931
Bulgaria.....	June 25, 1949
Burma ²	February 24, 1938
Canada ³	June 10, 1947
Ceylon.....	December 3, 1934
Czechoslovakia.....	November 17, 1934
Denmark.....	July 3, 1937
Egypt.....	September 6, 1955
Ethiopia.....	August 14, 1950
Finland.....	July 3, 1937
France ⁴	November 15, 1932
Germany.....	September 30, 1933
Ghana.....	December 3, 1934
Greece.....	January 11, 1938
Hungary.....	May 29, 1936

¹ Including Nauru, New Guinea, Norfolk Island and Papua.

² Considers itself bound without interruption.

³ Subject to reservation on first paragraph of Article 2.

⁴ Including colonies.