PARTICIPATION IN MULTILATERAL TREATIES*

Editorial introduction

This section is meant to record the participation of Asian states in open, multilateral law-making treaties which mostly aim at world-wide adherence. In view of the limited space available, a selection has been made of treaties of which the present status is available to the Editors. Others will be included in following volumes of the *Yearbook*. Treaties on which data have been included in a previous volume are referred to, but data once recorded will not be reincluded.

For the purpose of this section states broadly situated west of Iran, north of Mongolia, east of Papua New Guinea and south of Indonesia will not be covered.

The Editors wish to express their gratitude to all those international organizations which have so kindly responded to our request by making available information on the status of various categories of treaties.

Note:

- Where no other reference to specific sources is made, data are derived from Multilateral Treaties deposited with the Secretary-General - Status as at 31 December 1994 (ST/LEG/SER.E/13).
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- Sig. = signature; Cons. = consent to be bound.

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Cambodia	28 Nov 94	26 Feb 95	Kazakhstan	7 Mar 94	5 Jun 94

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Japan	24 Aug 94	22 Nov 94

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London, 27 Nov. 1969

Entry into force: not yet

(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>
Japan	24 Aug 94	

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Kazakhstan	7 Mar 94		Pakistan	22 Nov 94	

Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer, 1985

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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Nepal	6 Jul 94	Turkmenistan	18 Nov 93

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Iran	20 Jul 94

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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Bangladesh	18 Mar 94	Turkmenistan	15 Mar 94
Nepal	6 Jul 94	Vietnam	26 Jan 94

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<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Indonesia	5 Jun 92	23 Aug 94	Myanmar	11 Jun 92	25 Nov 94
Korea (DPR)	11 Jun 92	5 Dec 94	Thailand	12 Jun 92	28 Dec 94
Laos	4 Jan 95		Vietnam	11 Jun 92	16 Nov 94

Convention on Biological Diversity, 1992

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<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Bangladesh	5 Jun 92	3 May 94	Malaysia	12 Jun 92	24 Jun 94
India	5 Jun 92	18 Feb 94	Myanmar	11 Jun 92	25 Nov 94
Indonesia	5 Jun 92	23 Aug 94	Pakistan	5 Jun 92	26 Jul 94
Kazakhstan	9 Jun 92	6 Sep 94	Sri Lanka	10 Jun 92	23 Mar 94
Korea (DPR)	11 Jun 92	26 Oct 94	Vietnam	28 May 93	16 Nov 94
Korea (Rep.)	13 Jun 92	3 Oct 94			

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol, 1992

(Cont'd from Vol. 4 p. 307)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Japan	20 Dec 94	Vietnam	26 Jan 94
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Convention on Consent to Marriage, Minimum Age for Marriage and Registration of Marriages, 1962: *see* Vol. 2 p. 191.

Convention on the Law Applicable to Maintenance Obligations, 1973: *see* Vol. 3 p. 231.

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Intercountry Adoption**

The Hague, 29 May 1993

Entry into force: 1 May 1995

(Status on 17 July 1995 as furnished by the Permanent Bureau of
the Hague Conference on Private International Law)

<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>		<i>Cons.</i>	<i>StateSig. Cn</i>
Sri Lanka	24 May 94	23 Jan 95	Philippines	17 Jul 95

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International Convention against Apartheid in Sports, 1985: *see* Vol. 3 p. 233, Vol. 4 p. 310.

International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, 1990: *see* Vol. 4 p. 310.

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State *Cons. (deposit)*

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State *Cons.*

Kyrgyzstan 7 Oct 94

International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, 1966

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State *Cons.*

Kyrgyzstan 7 Oct 94

Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, 1966

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State *Cons.*

Kyrgyzstan 7 Oct 94

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State *Cons.*

Turkmenistan 29 Sep 94

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<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Iran	5 Sep 91	13 Jul 94	Kyrgyzstan		7 Oct 94
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Kazakhstan	16 Feb 94	12 Aug 94			

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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Brunei	14 Oct 94	Maldives	3 Sep 91

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Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, 1883
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<i>State</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Latest Act to which State is party</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Latest Act to which State is party</i>
Singapore	23 Feb 95	Stockholm	Turkmenistan	25 Dec 91	id.

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<i>State</i>	<i>Membership</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Membership</i>
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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
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Entry into force: 1 March 1992

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(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
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Entry into force: 1 March 1992

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(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
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Pakistan

6 Jul 89
(corrected)

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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Kyrgyzstan	7 Oct 94	Sri Lanka	15 Mar 93

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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Kyrgyzstan	7 Oct 94

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Kyrgyzstan	7 Oct 94

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State

Cons.

Kyrgyzstan

7 Oct 94

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<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Kyrgyzstan	7 Oct 94	Vietnam	8 Sep 92

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ROAD TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT

Convention on Road Traffic, 1968
(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 247, Vol. 4 p. 323)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Tajikistan	9 Mar 94

Convention on Road Signs and Signals, 1968
(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 247, Vol. 4 p. 323)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Tajikistan	9 Mar 94

SEA

Convention on the Territorial Sea and the Contiguous Zone, 1958: *see* Vol. 2, p. 184.

Convention on the High Seas, 1958: *see* Vol. 2 p. 184.

Convention on Fishing and Conservation of the Living Resources of the High Seas, 1958: *see* Vol. 2 p. 184.

Convention on the Continental Shelf, 1958: *see* Vol. 2 p. 185.

Optional Protocol of Signature concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes, 1958: *see* Vol. 2 p. 185.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, 1982

(Cont'd from Vol. 1 p. 184, Vol. 4 p. 323)

<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Singapore	10 Dec 82	17 Nov 94	Vietnam	10 Dec 82	25 Jul 94
Sri Lanka	10 Dec 82	19 Jul 94			

Agreement relating to the Implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982

New York, 28 July 1994

Entry into force: provisionally, on 16 November 1994, in accordance with article 7
(all countries listed below agreed to provisional application)

<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Sig.</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Afghanistan			Malaysia	2 Aug 94	
Bangladesh			Maldives	10 Oct 94	
Bhutan			Mongolia	17 Aug 94	
Brunei			Myanmar		
Cambodia			Nepal		
China	29 Jul 94		Pakistan	10 Aug 94	
India	29 Jul 94		Papua New Guinea		
Indonesia	29 Jul 94		Philippines	15 Nov 94	
Iran		1 Nov 94	Singapore		17 Nov 94
Japan	29 Jul 94		Sri Lanka	29 Jul 94	
Laos	27 Oct 94		Vietnam		

SEA TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT

Convention Regarding the Measurement and Registration of Vessels employed in Inland Navigation, 1956: *see* Vol. 4 p. 324.

International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1960: *see* Vol. 3 p. 248.

Convention on Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic, 1965 (as amended): *see* Vol. 3 p. 249.

Special Trade Passenger Ships Agreement, 1971, *see* Vol. 3 p. 250.

Protocol on Space Requirements for Special Trade Passenger Ships, 1973, *see* Vol. 3 p. 250.

Convention on a Code of Conduct for Liner Conferences, 1974: *see* Vol. 2 p. 192.

UN Convention on the Carriage of Goods by Sea, 1978: *see* Vol. 1 p. 185.

International Convention on Load Lines, 1966

(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 249)

(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>
Cambodia	28 Nov 94	28 Feb 95	Kazakhstan	7 Mar 94	7 Jun 94

Protocol Relating to the International Convention on Load Lines, 1966

London, 11 November 1988

Entry into force: not yet

(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>
Korea (Rep.)	14 Nov 94	

International Convention on Tonnage Measurement of Ships, 1969

(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 250)

(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>
Cambodia	28 Nov 94	28 Feb 95	Pakistan	17 Oct 94	17 Jan 95
Kazakhstan	7 Mar 94	7 Jun 94	Papua New Guinea	25 Oct 93	25 Jan 94

**Convention on the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972,
as amended**

(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 251 and Vol. 4 p. 324)

(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons. and e.i.f.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons. and e.i.f.</i>
Cambodia	28 Nov 94	Kazakhstan	7 Mar 94

International Convention for Safe Containers, as amended 1972

(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 251)

(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>
Kazakhstan	7 Mar 94	7 Mar 95

International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974, as amended

(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 251)

(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>
Cambodia	28 Nov 94	28 Feb 95	Kazakhstan	7 Mar 04	7 Jun 94
Iran	17 Oct 94	17 Jan 95			

Protocol Relating to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974 (as amended)

(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 252)

(Status as included in IMO doc. J/5893, as at 31 December 1994)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>E.i.f.</i>
Cambodia	28 Nov 94	28 Feb 95	Kazakhstan	7 Mar 84	7 Jun 94

SOCIAL MATTERS

International Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women and Children, 1921: *see* Vol. 4 p. 325.

International Convention for the Suppression of the Circulation of and Traffic in Obscene Publications, 1923: *see* Vol. 4 p. 326.

Convention for the Suppression of the Circulation of, and Traffic in, Obscene Publications, 1923, amended by Protocol in 1947: *see* Vol. 4 p. 326.

International Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women of Full Age, 1933: *see* Vol. 4 p. 326.

Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women of Full Age, 1933, amended by Protocol, 1947: *see* Vol. 4 p. 326.

International Agreement for the Suppression of the White Slave Traffic, 1904, amended by Protocol 1949: *see* Vol. 4 p. 324.

International Convention for the Suppression of the White Slave Traffic, 1910, amended by Protocol 1949: *see* Vol. 4 p. 325.

Agreement for the Suppression of the Circulation of Obscene Publications, 1910, amended by Protocol 1949: *see* Vol. 4 p. 325.

Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others, 1950: *see* Vol. 4 p. 327.

Final Protocol to the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others, 1950: *see* Vol. 4 p. 327.

**Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Women and Children, 1921,
amended by Protocol in 1947**
(Cont'd from Vol. 4 p. 325)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Pakistan	12 Nov 47 (corrected)	Singapore	26 Oct 66 (corrected)
Philippines	30 Sep 54 (corrected)		

TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Agreement establishing the Asia-Pacific Institute for Broad-casting Development, 1977: *see* Vol. 3 p. 253.

Amendment to Article 11, Paragraph 2 (a), of the Constitution of the Asia-Pacific Telecommunity, 1981: *see* Vol. 4 p. 328.

Constitution of the Asia-Pacific Telecommunity, 1976
(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 252, Vol. 4 p. 327)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Korea (DPR)	22 Feb 94

**Convention on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (INMARSAT),
1976 (as amended)**
(Cont'd from Vol. 3 p. 253, Vol. 4 p. 328)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>Cons. Amendm. 1985</i>
Thailand	14 Dec 94	

**Amendments to articles 3 (5) and 9 (8) of the Constitution of
the Asia-Pacific Telecommunity, 1991**
(Cont'd from Vol. 4 p. 328)

<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Cons.</i>
Brunei	4 Feb 94	Thailand	14 Jan 94
Indonesia	26 Sep 94		

TREATIES

Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties Between States and International Organizations or Between International Organizations, 1986: *see* Vol. 4 p. 329.

Convention on the Law of Treaties, 1969

(Cont'd from Vol. 1 p. 183, Vol. 4 p. 328)

State

Malaysia

Cons.

27 Jul 94

WEAPONS

Protocol for the prohibition of the Use in War of Asphyxiating, Poisonous or other Gases, and of Bacteriological Warfare, 1925: *see* Vol. 3 p. 254.

Treaty Banning Nuclear Weapon Tests in the Atmosphere, in Outer Space and Under Water, 1963: *see* Vol. 3 p. 255.

Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, 1968: *see* Vol. 3 p. 256.

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, 1971: *see* Vol. 3 p. 256.

Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction, 1972: *see* Vol. 3 p. 255.

Convention on the Prohibition of Military or any other Hostile Use of Environmental Modification Techniques, 1976: *see* Vol. 2 p. 198, Vol. 4 p. 329.

Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be Deemed Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects, and Protocols, 1980: *see* Vol. 2 p. 198.

Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction, 1993

(Cont'd from Vol. 4 p. 330)

State

Sig.

Cons.

State

Sig.

Cons.

Maldives

4 Oct 93

31 May 94

Turkmenistan

12 Oct 93

29 Sep 94

Sri Lanka

14 Jan 93

19 Aug 94