



AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 38 OF THE STATUTES OF THE WORLD TOURISM ORGANIZATION

Adopted in Torremolinos on 25 September 1979
RESOLUTION 134(V)

	State	Acceptance	Entry into force*
1	AFGHANISTAN	26-10-1982	09-05-2008
2	ALBANIA	-	09-05-2008
3	ALGERIA	04-05-1983	09-05-2008
4	ANDORRA	11-05-2001	09-05-2008
5	ANGOLA	-	09-05-2008
6	ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	-	01-01-2022
7	ARGENTINA	15-01-1987	09-05-2008
8	ARMENIA	04-04-2006	09-05-2008
9	AUSTRIA	12-09-1988	09-05-2008
10	AZERBAIJAN	29-09-2001	09-05-2008
11	BAHAMAS	25-11-2005	09-05-2008
12	BAHRAIN	29-09-2001	09-05-2008
13	BANGLADESH	14-08-1980	09-05-2008
14	BARBADOS	06-02-2015	17-09-2015
15	BELARUS	14-06-2005	09-05-2008
16	BELICE	25-07-2022	01-01-2024
17	BENIN	-	09-05-2008
18	BHUTAN	19-10-2003	09-05-2008
19	BOLIVIA	09-03-2004	09-05-2008
20	BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	-	09-05-2008
21	BOTSWANA	-	09-05-2008
22	BRAZIL	03-07-1980	09-05-2008
23	BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	29-11-2007	09-05-2008
24	BULGARIA	07-05-1987	09-05-2008
25	BURKINA FASO	17-04-1982	09-05-2008
26	BURUNDI	-	09-05-2008
27	CABO VERDE	29-09-2001	09-05-2008
28	CAMBODIA	-	09-05-2008
29	CAMEROON	-	09-05-2008
30	CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	-	09-05-2008
31	CHAD	-	09-05-2008
32	CHILE	08-10-1998	09-05-2008
33	CHINA	16-10-1987	09-05-2008
34	COLOMBIA	10-06-1997	09-05-2008
35	COMOROS	-	16-09-2017
36	CONGO	-	09-05-2008
37	COSTA RICA	26-03-1982	09-05-2008
38	CÔTE D'IVOIRE	14-08-1980	09-05-2008
39	CROATIA	-	09-05-2008
40	CUBA	07-12-1982	09-05-2008



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41	CYPRUS	03-02-1981	09-05-2008
42	CZECH REPUBLIC	11-05-2001	09-05-2008
43	DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA	13-01-2004	09-05-2008
44	DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO	-	09-05-2008
45	DJIBOUTI	-	09-05-2008
46	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	-	09-05-2008
47	ECUADOR	15-11-1999	09-05-2008
48	EGYPT	06-08-1981	09-05-2008
49	EL SALVADOR	22-03-2001	09-05-2008
50	EQUATORIAL GUINEA	16-11-2000	09-05-2008
51	ERITREA	07-09-1999	09-05-2008
52	ESWATINI ¹	-	09-05-2008
53	ETHIOPIA	09-06-1980	09-05-2008
54	FIJI	-	09-05-2008
55	FRANCE	28-03-1980	09-05-2008
56	GABON	14-08-1986	09-05-2008
57	GAMBIA	-	09-05-2008
58	GEORGIA	-	09-05-2008
59	GERMANY ^{2 3}	06-03-1981	09-05-2008
60	GHANA	-	09-05-2008
61	GREECE	19-06-1980	09-05-2008
62	GUATEMALA	-	09-05-2008
63	GUINEA	22-01-1998	09-05-2008
64	GUINEA BISSAU	-	09-05-2008
65	HAITI	-	09-05-2008
66	HONDURAS	29-09-2001	09-05-2008
67	HUNGARY	15-06-1989	09-05-2008
68	INDIA	17-01-1985	09-05-2008
69	INDONESIA	06-10-1982	09-05-2008
70	IRAN	-	09-05-2008
71	IRAQ	19-05-1980	09-05-2008
72	ISRAEL	24-01-2002	09-05-2008
73	ITALY	18-02-1981	09-05-2008
74	JAMAICA	06-10-1986	09-05-2008
75	JAPAN	-	09-05-2008
76	JORDAN	22-01-1980	09-05-2008
77	KAZAKHSTAN	-	09-05-2008
78	KENYA	17-05-2001	09-05-2008
79	KUWAIT	03-03-2003	09-05-2008
80	KYRGYZSTAN	-	09-05-2008

¹ Swazilandia until 19-april-2018

² Applicable to Berlin (West)

³ Prior to the unification of Germany, the German Democratic Republic accepted the Amendment to Article 38 on 5 December 1980.



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81	LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC	-	09-05-2008
82	LEBANON	20-11-1986	09-05-2008
83	LESOTHO	-	09-05-2008
84	LIBERIA	02-08-2011	14-10-2011
85	LIBYA	06-05-1981	09-05-2008
86	LITHUANIA	19-10-2003	09-05-2008
87	MADAGASCAR	20-10-1986	09-05-2008
88	MALAWI	-	09-05-2008
89	MALAYSIA	06-02-2001	09-05-2008
90	MALDIVES	21-04-1982	09-05-2008
91	MALI	31-01-2005	09-05-2008
92	MALTA	20-02-1981	09-05-2008
93	MAURITANIA	11-08-1986	09-05-2008
94	MAURITIUS	-	09-05-2008
95	MEXICO	16-12-1980	09-05-2008
96	MONACO	01-01-2001	09-05-2008
97	MONGOLIA	-	09-05-2008
98	MONTENEGRO	29-11-2007	09-05-2008
99	MOROCCO	21-07-1980	09-05-2008
100	MOZAMBIQUE	-	09-05-2008
101	MYANMAR	09-05-2012	01-06-2012
102	NAMIBIA	-	09-05-2008
103	NEPAL	06-10-1982	09-05-2008
104	NETHERLANDS	05-03-1982	09-05-2008
105	NICARAGUA	-	09-05-2008
106	NIGER	09-06-1980	09-05-2008
107	NIGERIA	-	09-05-2008
108	NORTH MACEDONIA	-	09-05-2008
109	OMAN	01-07-2004	09-05-2008
110	PAKISTAN	30-01-1981	09-05-2008
111	PALAU	03-07-2019	11-09-2019
112	PANAMA	17-10-1996	09-05-2008
113	PAPUA NEW GUINEA	02-12-2005	09-05-2008
114	PARAGUAY	09-05-2008	09-05-2008
115	PERU	13-07-1983	09-05-2008
116	PHILIPPINES	12-12-1980	09-05-2008
117	POLAND	-	09-05-2008
118	PORTUGAL	-	09-05-2008
119	QATAR	01-01-2002	09-05-2008
120	REPUBLIC OF KOREA	16-09-1982	09-05-2008
121	REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA	01-01-2002	09-05-2008
122	ROMANIA	31-12-1980	09-05-2008
123	RWANDA	14-08-1987	09-05-2008



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124	SAMOA	24-02-2014	17-09-2015
125	SAN MARINO	24-09-1986	09-05-2008
126	SAO TOMÉ AND PRÍNCIPE	-	09-05-2008
127	SAUDI ARABIA	17-06-2002	09-05-2008
128	SENEGAL	23-05-1983	09-05-2008
129	SERBIA	29-09-2001	09-05-2008
130	SEYCHELLES	21-09-2000	09-05-2008
131	SIERRA LEONE	-	09-05-2008
132	SLOVAKIA	16-06-1993	09-05-2008
133	SLOVENIA	-	09-05-2008
134	SOMALIA	16-09-2017	16-09-2017
135	SOUTH AFRICA	-	09-05-2008
136	SPAIN	17-12-1979	09-05-2008
137	SRI LANKA	07-12-1982	09-05-2008
138	SUDAN	11-04-2008	09-05-2008
139	SWITZLERLAND	-	09-05-2008
140	SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	20-09-1982	09-05-2008
141	TAJIKISTAN	29-11-2007	09-05-2008
142	THAILAND	08-11-2002	09-05-2008
143	TIMOR-LESTE	02-12-2005	09-05-2008
144	TOGO	14-02-1986	09-05-2008
145	TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	22-04-2013	22-04-2013
146	TUNISIA	29-04-1981	09-05-2008
147	TÜRKIYE	24-04-1985	09-05-2008
148	TURKMENISTAN	30-11-2000	09-05-2008
149	UGANDA	19-09-1980	09-05-2008
150	UKRAINE	-	09-05-2008
151	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	26-04-2013	26-04-2013
152	UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA	02-04-2001	09-05-2008
153	URUGUAY	05-09-2003	09-05-2008
154	UZBEKISTAN	09-03-2001	09-05-2008
155	VANUATU	08-10-2009	08-10-2009
156	VENEZUELA	06-02-1987	09-05-2008
157	VIET NAM	20-07-1982	09-05-2008
158	YEMEN	12-08-1985	09-05-2008
159	ZAMBIA	15-06-1983	09-05-2008
160	ZIMBABWE	-	09-05-2008

* It was applied provisionally pursuant to Paragraph 2 of RESOLUTION 365(XII), adopted at the 12th Session of the General Assembly held in Istanbul in October 1997

DECLARATIONS

NETHERLANDS

- For the Kingdom in Europe..



- New territorial structure of the Kingdom of the Netherlands as of 10 October 2010, notified to the Depositary via Note Verbale PA 26/2010, of 8 October 2010, of the Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Spain:

“...With effect from 10 October 2010, the Netherlands Antilles will cease to exist. From that date onwards, the Kingdom will consist of four parts: the Netherlands, Aruba, Curaçao and Sint Marteen. Curaçao and Sint Marteen will enjoy internal self-government within the Kingdom, as do Aruba and the (former) Netherlands Antilles.

These changes constitute a modification of the internal constitutional relations within the Kingdom of the Netherlands. The Kingdom of the Netherlands will accordingly remain the subject of international law with which agreements are concluded. This modification of the structure of the Kingdom will not affect the validity of the international agreements ratified by the Kingdom for the Netherlands Antilles. These agreements, including any reservations made, will continue to apply to Curaçao and Sint Marteen.

The other islands that have until now formed part of the Netherlands Antilles – Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba – will become part of the Netherlands, thus constituting “the Caribbean part of the Netherlands”. The agreements that now apply to the Netherlands Antilles will also continue to apply to these islands. The Government of the Netherlands will now be responsible for implementing these agreements...”

Madrid, 22 December 2023