

**11. b) Final Protocol to the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others**

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<i>Participant</i>	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Ratification, Accession(a), Succession(d)</i>	<i>Participant</i>	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Ratification, Accession(a), Succession(d)</i>
Albania.....		6 Nov 1958 a	Luxembourg.....	9 Oct 1950	5 Oct 1983
Argentina.....		1 Dec 1960 a	Madagascar.....	1 Oct 2001	
Azerbaijan.....		3 Dec 2004 a	Mali.....	24 Sep 2004	
Belarus <sup>1</sup> .....		24 Aug 1956 a	Mauritius.....	24 Sep 2003	
Belgium.....		22 Jun 1965 a	Mexico <sup>1</sup> .....		21 Feb 1956 a
Benin.....	25 Sep 2003		Micronesia (Federated States of).....	23 Sep 2003	
Brazil.....	5 Oct 1951	12 Sep 1958	Montenegro <sup>4</sup> .....		23 Oct 2006 d
Bulgaria.....		18 Jan 1955 a	Myanmar.....	14 Mar 1956	
Cambodia.....	27 Sep 2004		Niger.....		10 Jun 1977 a
Cuba.....		4 Sep 1952 a	Nigeria.....	25 Sep 2003	
Czech Republic <sup>2</sup> .....		30 Dec 1993 d	Norway.....		23 Jan 1952 a
Denmark.....	12 Feb 1951		Pakistan.....	21 Mar 1950	
Ecuador.....	24 Mar 1950		Philippines.....	20 Dec 1950	19 Sep 1952
Egypt <sup>1,3</sup> .....		12 Jun 1959 a	Poland.....		2 Jun 1952 a
Finland.....	27 Feb 1953		Republic of Korea.....		13 Feb 1962 a
Ghana.....	24 Sep 2003		Romania.....		15 Feb 1955 a
Guatemala.....		13 Dec 2007 a	Russian Federation.....		11 Aug 1954 a
Guinea.....		26 Apr 1962 a	Rwanda.....		26 Sep 2003 a
Haiti.....		26 Aug 1953 a	Senegal.....	24 Sep 2004	
Honduras.....	13 Apr 1954		Serbia <sup>5</sup> .....		12 Mar 2001 d
India.....	9 May 1950	9 Jan 1953	Sierra Leone.....	26 Sep 2003	
Indonesia.....	25 Sep 2003		Slovakia <sup>2</sup> .....		28 May 1993 d
Iran (Islamic Republic of).....	16 Jul 1953		South Africa.....	16 Oct 1950	10 Oct 1951
Israel.....		28 Dec 1950 a	Spain <sup>1</sup> .....		18 Jun 1962 a
Japan.....		1 May 1958 a	Sri Lanka.....		7 Aug 1958 a
Kazakhstan.....	17 Nov 2004	5 Sep 2006	Syrian Arab Republic <sup>1</sup> ...		12 Jun 1959 a
Kuwait.....		20 Nov 1968 a	Togo.....		14 Mar 1990 a
Lesotho.....	24 Sep 2003	24 Sep 2004	Ukraine.....		15 Nov 1954 a
Liberia.....	21 Mar 1950		Uzbekistan.....		27 Feb 2004 a
Libya <sup>1</sup> .....		3 Dec 1956 a	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).....		18 Dec 1968 a

**Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> In communications received on the dates indicated in parentheses, the Governments of the following States notified the Secretary-General that their instruments of accession to the Convention also apply to the Final Protocol: Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic (15 November 1956); Libyan Arab Republic (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya) (7 January 1957); Mexico (16 April 1956); Spain (23 August 1962); United Arab Republic (Egypt) (Syrian Arab Republic) (20 October 1959).

<sup>2</sup> Czechoslovakia had acceded to the Protocol on 14 March 1958. See also note 1 under "Czech Republic" and note 1 under "Slovakia" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>3</sup> Accession by the United Arab Republic. See also note 1 under "United Arab Republic" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume

<sup>4</sup> See note 1 under "Montenegro" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

<sup>5</sup> The former Yugoslavia had signed and ratified the Final Protocol on 6 February 1951 and 26 April 1951, respectively. See also note 1 under "Bosnia and Herzegovina", "Croatia", "former Yugoslavia", "Slovenia", "The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia" and "Yugoslavia" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

