



WCT Notification No. 110

WIPO COPYRIGHT TREATY

Accession by the Republic of Cameroon

The Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) presents his compliments and has the honor to notify the deposit by the Government of the Republic of Cameroon, on January 9, 2025, of its instrument of accession to the WIPO Copyright Treaty, adopted at Geneva on December 20, 1996.

The WIPO Copyright Treaty will enter into force, with respect to the Republic of Cameroon, on April 9, 2025.

The list of the States and the intergovernmental organization party to the WIPO Copyright Treaty (status on January 9, 2025) is attached to this Notification.

January 9, 2025

WIPO Copyright Treaty
(Geneva, 1996)

Status on January 9, 2025

State/IGO	Date on which State/IGO became party to the Treaty	State/IGO	Date on which State/IGO became party to the Treaty
Afghanistan.....	February 9, 2021	Kyrgyzstan.....	March 6, 2002
Albania.....	August 6, 2005	Latvia.....	March 6, 2002
Algeria.....	January 31, 2014	Liechtenstein.....	April 30, 2007
Argentina.....	March 6, 2002	Luxembourg.....	March 14, 2010
Armenia.....	March 6, 2005	Lithuania.....	March 6, 2002
Australia.....	July 26, 2007	Madagascar.....	February 24, 2015
Austria.....	March 14, 2010	Malaysia.....	December 27, 2012
Azerbaijan.....	April 11, 2006	Mali.....	April 24, 2002
Bahrain.....	December 15, 2005	Malta.....	March 14, 2010
Barbados.....	December 13, 2019	Mexico.....	March 6, 2002
Belarus.....	March 6, 2002	Mongolia.....	October 25, 2002
Belgium.....	August 30, 2006	Montenegro.....	June 3, 2006
Belize.....	February 9, 2019	Morocco.....	July 20, 2011
Benin.....	April 16, 2006	Nauru.....	August 11, 2020
Bosnia and Herzegovina.....	November 25, 2009	Netherlands (Kingdom of the).....	March 14, 2010
Botswana.....	January 27, 2005	New Zealand ⁴	March 17, 2019
Brunei Darussalam.....	May 2, 2017	Nicaragua.....	March 6, 2003
Bulgaria.....	March 6, 2002	Nigeria.....	January 4, 2018
Burkina Faso.....	March 6, 2002	North Macedonia.....	February 4, 2004
Burundi.....	April 12, 2016	Oman.....	September 20, 2005
Cabo Verde.....	May 22, 2019	Panama.....	March 6, 2002
Cameroon.....	April 9, 2025	Paraguay.....	March 6, 2002
Canada.....	August 13, 2014	Peru.....	March 6, 2002
Chile.....	March 6, 2002	Philippines.....	October 4, 2002
China ^{1,2}	June 9, 2007	Poland.....	March 23, 2004
Colombia.....	March 6, 2002	Portugal.....	March 14, 2010
Comoros.....	April 25, 2021	Qatar.....	October 28, 2005
Cook Islands.....	June 19, 2019	Republic of Korea.....	June 24, 2004
Costa Rica.....	March 6, 2002	Republic of Moldova.....	March 6, 2002
Croatia.....	March 6, 2002	Romania.....	March 6, 2002
Cyprus.....	November 4, 2003	Russian Federation.....	February 5, 2009
Czech Republic.....	March 6, 2002	Saint Kitts and Nevis.....	October 8, 2024
Democratic People's Republic of Korea.....	April 30, 2024	Saint Lucia.....	March 6, 2002
Denmark ³	March 14, 2010	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines.....	July 6, 2023
Dominican Republic.....	January 10, 2006	San Marino.....	September 2, 2020
Ecuador.....	March 6, 2002	Sao Tome and Principe.....	April 27, 2020
El Salvador.....	March 6, 2002	Senegal.....	May 18, 2002
Estonia.....	March 14, 2010	Serbia ⁵	June 13, 2003
European Union.....	March 14, 2010	Singapore.....	April 17, 2005
Finland.....	March 14, 2010	Slovakia.....	March 6, 2002
France.....	March 14, 2010	Slovenia.....	March 6, 2002
Gabon.....	March 6, 2002	Spain.....	March 14, 2010
Georgia.....	March 6, 2002	Sweden.....	March 14, 2010
Germany.....	March 14, 2010	Switzerland.....	July 1, 2008
Ghana.....	November 18, 2006	Tajikistan.....	April 5, 2009
Greece.....	March 14, 2010	Thailand.....	October 13, 2022
Guatemala.....	February 4, 2003	Togo.....	May 21, 2003
Guinea.....	May 25, 2002	Trinidad and Tobago.....	November 28, 2008
Honduras.....	May 20, 2002	Tunisia.....	June 16, 2023
Hungary.....	March 6, 2002	Türkiye.....	November 28, 2008
India.....	December 25, 2018	Uganda.....	April 28, 2022
Indonesia.....	March 6, 2002	Ukraine.....	March 6, 2002
Ireland.....	March 14, 2010	United Arab Emirates.....	July 14, 2004
Italy.....	March 14, 2010	United Kingdom ^{6,7}	March 14, 2010
Jamaica.....	June 12, 2002	United States of America.....	March 6, 2002
Japan.....	March 6, 2002	Uruguay.....	June 5, 2009
Jordan.....	April 27, 2004	Uzbekistan.....	July 17, 2019
Kazakhstan.....	November 12, 2004	Vanuatu.....	August 6, 2020
Kiribati.....	June 22, 2021	Viet Nam.....	February 17, 2022

(Total: 118)

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- ¹ In accordance with the Basic Law of Hong Kong, China, the Government of the People's Republic of China has decided that the Treaty will apply to Hong Kong, China with effect from October 1, 2008.
 - ² In accordance with the Basic Law of the Macao Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China (PRC), the Government of the PRC decides that the Treaty shall apply to the Macao Special Administrative Region. The declaration took effect on November 6, 2013.
 - ³ Applicable to the Faroe Islands as of April 30, 2018.
 - ⁴ The accession by New Zealand shall extend to Tokelau.
 - ⁵ Serbia is the continuing State from Serbia and Montenegro as from June 3, 2006.
 - ⁶ The United Kingdom extended the application of the Treaty to the territories of the Bailiwick of Guernsey and the Isle of Man with effect from January 1, 2021.
 - ⁷ The United Kingdom extended the application of the Treaty to the territory of Gibraltar with effect from May 17, 2022.