#### UNESCO



AGREEMENT FOR FACILITATING THE INTERNATIONAL CIRCULATION OF VISUAL AND AUDITORY MATERIALS OF AN EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL CHARACTER (WITH PROTOCOL OF SIGNATURE AND PROCES-VERBAL OF DEPOSIT OF THE MODEL FORM OF CERTIFICATE PROVIDED FOR IN ARTICLE IV)

Adopted: on 10 December 1948 by the General Conference of Unesco, at its 3rd Session (Beirut).

Opened for signature: on 15 July 1949 and until 31 December 1949, in accordance with Article XVI.

Deposited with: the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

Entry into force: on 12 August 1954, in accordance with Article XII.

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As of

### a) Agreement

## Signatory States

State	Date of Signature
Dominican Republic	5 August 1949
United States of America	13 September 1949
Brazil	15 September 1949
Haiti	2 December 1949
Canada	17 December 1949
Norway	20 December 1949
Afghanistan	29 December 1949
Denmark	29 December 1949
Ecuador	29 December 1949
El Salvador	29 December 1949
Lebanon	30 December 1949
Netherlands (1)	30 December 1949
Greece	31 December 1949
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<sup>(1)</sup> Subject to a reservation contained in a proces-verbal of signature drawn up prior to signature. See <u>Declarations</u> and <u>Reservations</u>.

## Acceptances and Accessions

 $(\underline{a} : accessions)$ 

State	Date of receipt of instrument	Territorial application	Declarations and Reservations
Norway	12 January 1950		
Pakistan	16 February 1950 <u>a</u>		
Yugoslavia	30 June 1950 <u>a</u>		
Canada	4 October 1950		
Syria	16 September 1951 <u>a</u>		
Cambodia	20 February 1952 <u>a</u>		
Iraq	29 August 1952 <u>a</u>		
Philippines	13 November 1952		
El Salvador	24 June 1953		
Haiti	14 May 1954		
Greece	9 July 1954		
Denmark	10 August 1955		
Iran	30 December 1959		
Ghana	22 March 1960 <u>a</u>		
Madagascar	23 May 1.962 <u>a</u>		
Brazil	15 August 1962		

#### Declarations and Reservations

#### Netherlands

"At the time of signing the present Agreement, the Plenipotentiary of the Netherlands Government deems it essential to state the following:

'As regards Article III, paragraph 1: the words: 'and quantitative restrictions and from the necessity of applying for an import licence' will be deleted and excluded from the application of the Agreement".

# b) Protocol of Signature

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