

**MULTILATERAL CONVENTIONS/TREATIES SIGNED/RATIFIED/ACCEDED  
TO BY MAURITIUS AFTER INDEPENDENCE**

<b>Name of Conventions/Treaties</b>	<b>Date Signed/Ratified/ Acceded to</b>
<b><u>CONVENTIONS RELATING TO AFRICA</u></b>	
Convention on Nature & Natural Resources	Signed on 15.09.68
Convention on Governing Refugee Problems in Africa	Signed on 10.09.69
Convention on Cultural Charter for Africa	Ratified on 18.03.86
Convention on African Civil Aviation Commission	Ratified on 25.05.90
Convention on African Economic Community	Ratified on 14.02.92
Convention on African Charter on the Rights & Welfare of the Child	Ratified on 14.02.92
Bamako Convention on the Ban of the Import into Africa and the Control of Transboundary movement of Hazardous Waste within Africa	Ratified on 26.11.92
Africa Nuclear Weapon Free Zone Treaty-Treaty of Pelindaba	Ratified on 19.04.96
Convention on Africa Court on Human & P. Rights	Signed on 09.06.98
Convention on African Maritime Transport	Ratified on 28.07.98
African Union	Ratified on 13.04.01
African Energy Commission	Signed on 23.05.02
Convention on African Charter for Human and People's Rights	Ratified on 19.06.02
OAU Convention on the Prevention and Combating of Terrorism	Acceded on 27.01.03
Protocol to the African Charter on Human and People's Rights on Establishment of an African Court on Human and People's Rights	Ratified on 03.03.03
Protocol relating to the Establishment of the Peace and Security Council of the African Union	Ratified on 16.06.03

## **AVIATION LAW / HIJACKING**

Convention on the Privileges of the Specialised Agencies – 21/11/47	Acceded on 18 July 1969
Convention on International Civil Aviation – Chicago, 7/12/44	Acceded on 30 January 1970
International Air Services Transit Agreement – Chicago, 7/12/44	Acceded on 13 September 1971
International Convention against the taking the hostages, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 17 December 1979 and which entered into force on 3 June 1983	Ratified on 17 October 1980
Convention on Offences and Certain Other Acts Committed on Board Aircraft, signed at Tokyo on 14 September 1963 and entered into force on 4 December 1969.	Ratified on 5 April 1983
Convention on the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft signed at the Hague on 16 December 1970 and entered into force on 14 October 1971	Ratified on 25 April 1983
Convention on the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Civil Aviation, Signed at Montreal on 23 September 1971 and which entered into force on 26 January 1973	Ratified on 25 April 1983
Protocol for Suppression of Unlawful Acts of Violence at Airports Serving International Civil Aviation, Supplementary to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Civil Aviation of 1971, done in Montreal on 24 February 1988 and entered into force on 6 August 1989	Ratified on 17 August 1989
Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules relating to International Carriage by Air-Warsaw, 12/10/29	Acceded on 17 October 1989
Protocol to Amend the Warsaw Convention of 12 October 29, 2002 1929-The Hague, 28/9/55	Acceded on 17 October 1989
Protocol on the Authentic Quadrilingual Text of the Convention on International Civil Aviation – Montreal, 30/9/77	Acceded on 2 July 1990
Convention Supplementary to the Warsaw Convention, for the Unification of Certain Rules relating to International Carriage by Air Performed by a Person other than the Contracting Carrier – Guadalajara, 18/9/61	Acceded on 15 October 1990

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## **AVIATION LAW / HIJACKING [contd.]**

Convention on the International Recognition of Rights in Aircraft – Geneva, 19/6/48	Acceded on 17 April 1991
Protocol on the Authentic Quinquelingual Text of the Convention on International Civil Aviation – Montreal, 29/9/95	Acceded on 29 September 1995
Protocol on the Authentic Six-Language Text of the Convention on International Civil Aviation – Montreal, 1/10/98	Acceded on 1 October 1998

## **DISARMAMENT**

1963 Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in Exploration and Use of Outer Space	Acceded on 7 April 69
1968 Non Proliferation Treaty	Ratified on 8 April 69
1971 Treaty on the Prohibition of Emplacement of Nuclear Weapons on Ocean Floor and in the Subsoil (seabed arms Control Treaty)	Ratified on 23 April 71
1972 Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on their Destruction	Ratified on 7 August 1972
1997 Ottawa Convention on the Prohibition of the use Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on their Destruction	Ratified on 3 December 1997
1993 Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and their Destruction (also called Chemical Weapons Convention)	Ratified on 9 February 1993
1996 Africa Nuclear Weapon Free Zone Treaty (Pelindaba Treaty)	Ratified on 24 April 96
1980 UN Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be excessively injurious or to have indiscriminate effects	Acceded on 6 May 1996
1980 Protocol I on Non-Detectable Fragments	Acceded on 6 May 1996
1980 Protocol II on Prohibitions and Restrictions on the Use of Mines, Booby-traps and Other Devices	Acceded on 6 May 1996

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**DISARMAMENT [contd.]**

1980 Protocol III on Prohibitions or Restrictions of the Use of Incendiary Weapons	Acceded on 6 May 1996
2000 Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the involvement of Children in armed Conflicts	Signed on 11 November, 2001

**CONVENTION / TREATY RELATING TO IAEA**

1968 Non Proliferation Treaty *	Ratified on 8 April 1969
Revised Supplementary Agreement concerning the Provision of Technical Assistance by IAEA	Signed on 3 April 1989
1996 Africa Nuclear Weapon Free Zone Treaty (Pelindaba Treaty) *	Ratified on 24 April 1996
Convention on Early Notification of a Nuclear Accident	Acceded on 17 September 1992
Convention on Assistance in Case of a Nuclear Accident or Radiological Emergency	Acceded on 17 September 1992
African Regional Co-operative Agreement for Research, Development and Training related to Nuclear Science and Technology (AFRA)	Accepted on 26 April 2000
Additional Protocol to the Agreement with the IAEA for the Application of Safeguards in connection with N.P.T.	Signed on 09.12.04

\* Also listed under 'DISARMAMENT'

**ENVIRONMENTAL LAW**

Convention on International Trade in endangered species of Wild Flora and Fauna (CITES)	Ratified on 28.04.75
United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change	Ratified on 17.8.92
Convention on Biological Diversity	Ratified on 17.8.92
Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer	Acceded on 18.8.92
Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer	Acceded on 18.8.92
London Amendment to the Montreal Protocol (1990)	Acceded on 20.10.92
Bamako Convention on the Ban of the Import into Africa and the Control of Transboundary Movement of Hazardous Wastes within Africa	Ratified on 29.10.92

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**ENVIRONMENTAL LAW [contd.]**

Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes	Ratified on 24.11.92
Copenhagen Amendment to the Montreal Protocol (1992)	Ratified on 30.11.93
International Convention to Combat Drought and Desertification	Acceded on 11.1.96
Convention for the Protection, Management and Development of the Marine and Coastal Environment in the Eastern African Region and Related Protocols (Nairobi Convention)	Acceded on 10.07.2000
1992 Civil Liability Convention CLC and Fund Convention	Acceded on 06.12.2000
The Kyoto Protocol to the Convention on Climate Change	Ratified on 9.05.01
The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants	Ratified on 05.07.04
Ramsar Convention on Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar)	Ratified on 25.05.01
Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety	Ratified on 9.05.01
Montreal (1997) and Beijing (1999) Amendments to the Montreal Protocol on substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer	Accepted on 03.03.03

**CHILDREN'S RIGHTS**

Hague Convention on Civil Aspects of child Abduction	Acceded on 1.06.93
Convention on the Rights of the Child	Acceded on 26.07.90
Amendment to article 43(2) of the Convention on the Rights of the Child	Acceded on 25.08.99
Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the involvement of children in armed conflict	Signed on 11.11.01
Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography	Signed on 11.11.01
Worst Forms of Child Labour Convention 1999	Ratified on 26.05.00

**HUMAN RIGHTS**

International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination	Acceded on 30.05.72
International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights	Acceded on 12.12.73
Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights	Acceded on 12.12.73
International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights	Acceded on 12.12.73
Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women	Acceded on 9.7.84
Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading treatment or Punishment	Acceded on 9.12.92
Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women	Signed on 11.11.01

**LABOUR RIGHTS / ILO**

Unemployment Convention 1919 (No. 2)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Unemployment Indemnity (Shipwreck) Convention 1921 (No. 8)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Right of Association (Agriculture) Convention 1921 (No. 11)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Workmen's compensation (Agriculture) Convention 1921 (No. 12)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Weekly Rest (Industry) Convention 1921 (No. 14)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Medical Examination of Young Persons (Sea) Convention 1921 (No. 16)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Workmen's Compensation (Accidents) Convention 1925 (No. 17)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Equality of Treatment (Accidents Compensation) Convention 1925 (No. 19)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Minimum Wage Fixing Machinery Convention 1928 (No. 26)	Ratified on 02.12.69

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**LABOUR RIGHTS / ILO [contd.]**

Forced Labour Convention 1930 (No. 29)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Protection against Accidents (Dockers) Convention (Revised) 1932 (No. 32)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Workmen's Compensation (Occupational Diseases) Convention (Revised) 1934 (No. 42)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Certificate of Able Seamen Convention 1946 (No.74)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Labour Inspection Convention 1947 (No. 81)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Contracts of Employment [Indegenous Worker Convention 1947 (N.86)]	Ratified on 02.12.69
Labour Clauses (Public Contracts) Convention 1949 (No. 94)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Migration for Employment Convention (Revised) 1949 (No. 97)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Right to Organise and Collective Bargaining Convention 1949 (No. 98)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Minimum Wage Fixing Machinery (Agriculture) Convention 1951 (No. 99)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Abolition of Forced Labour Convention 1957 (No. 105)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Seafarer's Identity Documents Convention 1958 (No. 108)	Ratified on 02.12.69
Minimum Age Convention 1973 (No. 138)	Ratified on 30.07.90
Tripartite Consultation (International Labour Standards) Convention 1976 (No. 144)	Ratified on 14.06.94
Labour Statistics Convention, 1985 (No. 160)	Ratified on 14.06.94
Part-time Work Convention 1994 (No. 175)	Ratified on 14.06.94
Equal Remuneration Convention 1951 (No. 100)	Ratified on 3.12.02
Discrimination (Employment and Occupation) Convention, 1958 (No. 111)	Ratified on 3.12.02
Dock Work Convention 1973 (No. 137)	Ratified on 03.03.03
Labour Administration Convention(No. 150)	Acceded on 24/02/04
Convention on workers and family responsibilities (No. 156)	Acceded on 24/02/04

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Convention Concerning Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (Disabled Persons) No. 159	Acceded on 12/05/04
Employment Service Convention, 1948, (No. 88)	Ratified 05/08/04
<b><u>WOMEN'S RIGHTS</u></b>	
Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW)	Acceded on 9.07.84
Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Elimination of all forms of Discrimination Against Women	Signed on 11.11.01
<b><u>LAW OF THE SEA</u></b>	
1958 Convention on the Territorial Sea & Contiguous Zone	Succeeded 05.10.70
1958 Convention on the High Seas	Succeeded 05.10.70
1958 Convention on Fishing & Conservation of Living Resourced of the High Seas	Succeeded 05.10.70
1958 Convention on the Continental Shelf	Succeeded 05.10.70
Optional Protocol of Signature concerning the compulsory settlement of Disputes	Succeeded 05.10.70
United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), 1982	Ratified on 4.11.94
Protocol on the Priviledges and Immunities of the International Seabed Authority	Acceded on 20.12.04
<b><u>MARITIME LAW</u></b>	
International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) 1974	Acceded on 01.02.88
International Convention on Load Lines, 1996	Acceded on 13.08.88
International Convention on Tonnage Measurement of Ships (TONNAGE), 1969	Acceded on 13.08.88
Convention on International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea (COLREG)	Acceded on 26.11.88
Convention on Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic (FAL), 1965	Acceded on 18.06.90
International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers (STCW),1978	Acceded on 04.07.91
The Convention on the International MARITIME Satellite Organisation (INMARSAT), 1976	Acceded on 07.06.92
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**MARITIME LAW.]**

International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL), 1973 as amended by the Protocol, 1978	Acceded on 06.04.95
International Convention on Maritime Search and Rescue (SAR), 1979	Acceded on 04.05.99
International Convention relating to Intervention on the High Seas in cases of Oil Pollution casualties	Ratified on 22.11.02
International Convention on Salvage	Ratified on 22.11.02
Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime claims	Ratified on 22.11.02
Protocol of 1988 relating to the International Convention for the safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS)	Ratified on 22.11.02
Protocol of 1988 relating to the International Convention of Load Lines	Ratified on 22.11.02
Protocol Relating to International Convention on the Acceded on 07/10/03 on 07/10/03	
High Seas in cases of Pollution by substances other than oil	
	Acceded on 21/07/2004
Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of maritime Navigation, 1988;	
Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the safety of Fixed Platforms located on the Continental Shelf 1988	Acceded on 27/07/2004

**MARINE POLLUTION**

International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL), 1973 as amended by the Protocol, 1978	Acceded on 06.04.95
International Convention on Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Cooperation (OPRC) 1990	Acceded on 02.03.2000

**NARCOTIC DRUGS**

Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961, as amended by the Protocol amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs 1961, New York	Succession 12.03.68
Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs	Succession 18.7.69
Convention on Psychotropic Substances, Vienna 1971	Acceded on 8.05.73

Protocol Amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs 1961, Geneva 1972	Acceded on 12.12.94
UN Convention against Illicit Traffick in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic substances, Vienna, 1971	Acceded on 6.03.01
<b><u>PENAL MATTERS</u></b>	
Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards	Acceded on 19/06/96
UN Convention Against Transnational Organised Crime(Palermo Convention)	Ratified on 18/04/03
1998 Rome Statute for the International Criminal Court	Ratified on 5//03/02
Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons Especially Women & children, Supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, 2000	Acceded on 24/09/03
Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, Supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime	Acceded on 24/09/03
Protocol against the Illicit Manufacturing of and Trafficking in Firearms, Their parts and Components and Ammunition, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, 2000 and	Acceded on 24/09/03
Convention on the Prevention and punishment of Crimes against Internationally Protected Persons, including Diplomatic Agents, 1973	Acceded on 24/09/03
UN Convention against Corruption	Ratified on 14/12/04
<b><u>PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW (HAGUE CONVENTIONS)</u></b>	
Convention Abolishing the Requirement of Legislation for Foreign Public Document	Succeeded 12.03.68
Hague Convention on Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction	Acceded on 1.06.93
Hague Convention on Protection of Children and Cooperation in respect of Intercountry Adoption	Acceded on 28.09.98
<b><u>PRIVILEGES &amp; IMMUNITIES</u></b>	
Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the U.N.	Succession 18.07.69
Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of Specialized Agencies	Succession 18.07.69 Continued.....

Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations	Succession 18.07.69
Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations, concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes	Succession 18.07.69
Vienna Convention on Consular Relations	Acceded on 13.05.70
<b><u>TELECOMMUNICATIONS</u></b>	
International Telecommunication Union (ITU)	Acceded on 4.7.69
Postal Union	Acceded August 1969
Commonwealth Telecommunication Organisation (CTO)	Signed in 1985
International Telecommunications Satellite Organisation (INTELSAT) [Note: INTELSAT has been privatized as from 18 July 2001 into a new intergovernmental organization known as International Telecommunications Satellite Organisation – ITSO]	Acceded on 27.8.86
<b><u>TERRORISM</u></b>	
International Convention against the taking the hostages, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 17 December 1979 and which entered into force on 3 June 1983	Ratified on 17 October 1980
1977 Protocol I & II– Additional to 1949 Geneva Convention relating to the Protection of victims of International Armed Conflicts	Acceded on 22 March 1982
Convention on Offences and Certain Other Acts Committed on Board Aircraft, signed at Tokyo on 14 September 1963 and entered into force on 4 December 1969.	Ratified on 5 April 1983
Convention on the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft signed at the Hague on 16 December 1970 and entered into force on 14 October 1971	Ratified on 25 April 1983
Convention on the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Civil Aviation, Signed at Montreal on 23 September 1971 and which entered into force on 26 January 1973	Ratified on 25 April 1983
Protocol for Suppression of Unlawful Acts of Violence at Airports Serving International Civil Aviation, Supplementary to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Civil Aviation of 1971, done in Montreal on 24 February 1988 and entered into force on 6 August 1989	Ratified on 17 August 1989
UN International Convention for the suppression of Terrorist Bombings	Acceded on 24/01/03
OAU Convention on the Prevention and Combating of Terrorism adopted at Algiers on 14/07/99	Acceded on 27/01/03

AU Convention on the Prevention and Combating of Terrorism (Adopted by the 35 <sup>th</sup> Ordinary Session of the Assembly of Heads of State and Government in Algiers, Algeria on 13 <sup>th</sup> July 1999 and entered into force on 6 December 2002	Acceded on 27 January 2003
International Convention for the suppression of the financing of Terrorism adopted by the UNGA in 1999	Ratified on 14 December 2004
<b><u>TRAFFIC IN PERSONS</u></b>	
Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others, 1950 and	Signed on 24/09/03
Final Protocol to the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others, 1950	Signed on 24/09/03
<b><u>UNESCO</u></b>	
Accord pour l'importance d'objets de caractère éducatif, scientifique ou culturel avec annexes A, B, C, D et E et protocole annexe	Déclaration 18.07.69
Convention concernant la lutte contre la discrimination dans le domaine de l'enseignement – 1960	Déclaration d'application 20.08.70
Convention universelle sur le droit d'auteur et protocoles 1, 2 et 3 – 1952	Déclaration d'application 20.08.70
Convention relative à l'établissement d'un Centre de formation et de recherche administratives pour le développement (CAFRAD) – 1967	Acceptation pure et simple 01.06.77
Convention concernant les mesures à prendre pour interdire et empêcher l'importation et le transfert de propriété illicites des biens culturels – 1970	Acceptation 27.02.78
Convention pour la protection du patrimoine mondial culturel et naturel – 1972	Ratification 19.09.95
Statuts du Centre international d'études pour la conservation et la restauration des biens culturels ICCROM	Adhésion 29.06.98

## MISCELLANEOUS CONVENTIONS/TREATIES

Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties;	Acceded on 18.09.73
Amendment to Article 61 of the Charter of the United Nations, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations in resolution 2847 (XXVI) of 20 December 1971	Ratified on 19.06.73
Agreement establishing the African Development Bank	Acceded on 1.01.74
Convention Avec l'Agence Intergouvernementale de la Francophonie – Centre de Lecture et d'Animation Culturelle	Signed December 1977
Agreement establishing the International Fund for Agricultural Development	Acceded on 29.01.79
Constitution of the United Nations Industrial Development Organisation	Ratified on 9.12.81
Constitution of the World Health Organisation	Accepted on 17.03.99
Amendments to Articles 24 and 25 of the Constitution of the WHO	Accepted on 17.03.99
ACP-EU Partnership Agreement, Cotonou	Ratified on 18.09.2000
Southern African Regional Police Chiefs Cooperation Organisation (SARPCCO) Agreement on Cooperation and Mutual Assistance in the field of Crime Combating	Signed on 31.08.01 Ratified on 20.01.03
SADC Protocol on Culture, Information and Sports	Ratified on 4.01.02
Agreement between Indian Ocean Rim Association for Regional Cooperation and the Govt. of Mauritius for the setting up of a Coordinating Secretariat in Mauritius	Signed on 24.02.02
International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture	Ratified on 03.03.03
Agreement to Promote Compliance with International Conservation and Management Measures by Fishing Vessels on the High Seas	Accepted on 12.05.04
Framework Convention on Tobacco Control	Ratified on 14.05.04
Convention on the Conservation of Migratory species of wild Animals	Acceded on 17/01/04
Convention on the Conservation of the Antarctic Marine Living Resources	Acceded on 02/10/04

**DOUBLE TAXATION AVOIDANCE AGREEMENTS****as at 12.10.2004**

	<b>Country</b>	<b>Date of Signature</b>	<b>Date of Entry into force</b>
1	Belgium	04.07.95	28.01.99
2	Botswana	26.09.95	13.03.96
3	China	01.08.94	05.05.95
4	Croatia	06.09.02	-
5	Cyprus	21.01.2000	12.06.2000
6	France	11.12.80	17.09.82
7	Germany	15.03.78	01.01.81
8	India	24.08.82	11.06.85
9	Indonesia	10.12.96	20.02.98
10	Italy	09.03.90	28.04.95
11	Kuwait	24.03.97	01.09.98
12	Lesotho	29.08.97	-
13	Luxembourg	15.02.95	12.09.96
14	Madagascar	30.08.94	04.12.95
15	Malaysia	23.08.92	19.08.93
16	Mozambique	14.02.97	08.05.99
17	Namibia	04.03.95	25.07.96
18	Nepal	03.08.99	10.11.99
19	Oman	30.03.98	20.07.98
20	Pakistan	03.09.94	19.05.95
21	Russian Federation	24.08.95	Not yet
22	Rwanda	30.07.01	Not yet
23	Senegal	17.04.02	Not yet
24	Singapore	19.08.95	07.06.96
25	Sri Lanka	12.03.96	02.05.97
26	South Africa	05.07.96	20.06.97
27	Swaziland	29.06.94	08.11.94
28	Sweden	23.04.92	21.12.92
29	Thailand	01.10.97	10.06.98
30	United Kingdom	11.02.81	26.10.87
31	Zimbabwe	06.03.92	05.11.92
32	Uganda	19.09.03	-
33	Barbados	28.09.04	-

**INVESTMENT PROMOTION AND PROTECTION AGREEMENTS****as at 12.10.2004**

	<b>Country</b>	<b>Date of Signature</b>	<b>Date of Entry into force</b>
1	Germany	25 May 71	27 August 73
2	France	22 March 73	01 March 74
3	United Kingdom	20 May 86	13 October 86
4	China	04 May 96	08 June 97
5	Mozambique	14 February 97	Not Yet
6	Indonesia	05 March 97	28 March 2000
7	Pakistan	03 April 97	Not Yet
8	Portugal	12 December 97	3 January 99
9	South Africa	17 February 98	7 October 98
10	India	04 September 98	20 June 2000
11	Switzerland	26 November 98	21 April 2000
12	Czech Republic	05 April 99	6 May 2000
13	Nepal	03 August 99	Not Yet
14	Romania	20 January 2000	20 December 2000
15	Singapore	4 March 2000	20 March 2000
16	Swaziland	15 May 2000	Not Yet
17	Zimbabwe	17 May 2000	Not Yet
18	Benin	18 May 2001	Not Yet
19	Burundi	18 May 2001	Not Yet
20	Ghana	18 May 2001	Not Yet
21	Mauritania	18 May 2001	Not Yet
22	Tchad	18 May 2001	Not Yet
23	Comoros	18 May 2001	Not Yet
24	Guinea Republic	18 May 2001	Not Yet
25	Rwanda	30 July 2001	Not Yet
26	Cameroon	03 August 2001	Not Yet
27	Senegal	14 March 2002	Not Yet
28	Sweden	23 February 2004	Not Yet
29	Madagascar	06 April 2004	Not Yet
30	Barbados	28 September 2004	Not Yet