

A**PCT Contracting States*****A**

| Name of State followed by the two-letter code | Date on which State became bound by the PCT [*] | Name of State followed by the two-letter code | Date on which State became bound by the PCT [*] |
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| Albania AL | 4 October 1995 | Guinea GN | 27 May 1991 |
| Algeria DZ ¹ | 8 March 2000 | Guinea-Bissau GW | 12 December 1997 |
| Antigua and Barbuda AG | 17 March 2000 | Hungary HU ¹ | 27 June 1980 |
| Armenia AM ¹ | 25 December 1991 | Iceland IS | 23 March 1995 |
| Australia AU | 31 March 1980 | India IN ¹ | 7 December 1998 |
| Austria AT | 23 April 1979 | Indonesia ID ¹ | 5 September 1997 |
| Azerbaijan AZ | 25 December 1995 | Ireland IE | 1 August 1992 |
| Barbados BB | 12 March 1985 | Israel IL | 1 June 1996 |
| Belarus BY ¹ | 25 December 1991 | Italy IT | 28 March 1985 |
| Belgium BE | 14 December 1981 | Japan JP | 1 October 1978 |
| Belize BZ | 17 June 2000 | Kazakhstan KZ ¹ | 25 December 1991 |
| Benin BJ | 26 February 1987 | Kenya KE | 8 June 1994 |
| Bosnia and Herzegovina BA | 7 September 1996 | Kyrgyzstan KG ¹ | 25 December 1991 |
| Botswana BW | 30 October 2003 | Latvia LV | 7 September 1993 |
| Brazil BR | 9 April 1978 | Lesotho LS | 21 October 1995 |
| Bulgaria BG | 21 May 1984 | Liberia LR | 27 August 1994 |
| Burkina Faso BF | 21 March 1989 | Liechtenstein LI | 19 March 1980 |
| Cameroon CM | 24 January 1978 | Lithuania LT | 5 July 1994 |
| Canada CA | 2 January 1990 | Luxembourg LU | 30 April 1978 |
| Central African Republic CF | 24 January 1978 | Madagascar MG | 24 January 1978 |
| Chad TD | 24 January 1978 | Malawi MW | 24 January 1978 |
| China CN | 1 January 1994 | Mali ML | 19 October 1984 |
| Colombia CO | 28 February 2001 | Mauritania MR | 13 April 1983 |
| Congo CG | 24 January 1978 | Mexico MX | 1 January 1995 |
| Costa Rica CR | 3 August 1999 | Monaco MC | 22 June 1979 |
| Côte d'Ivoire CI | 30 April 1991 | Mongolia MN | 27 May 1991 |
| Croatia HR | 1 July 1998 | Morocco MA | 8 October 1999 |
| Cuba CU ¹ | 16 July 1996 | Mozambique MZ ¹ | 18 May 2000 |
| Cyprus CY | 1 April 1998 | Netherlands NL ⁴ | 10 July 1979 |
| Czech Republic CZ | 1 January 1993 | Namibia NA | (will become bound on 1 January 2004) |
| Democratic People's Republic of Korea KP | 8 July 1980 | New Zealand NZ | 1 December 1992 |
| Denmark DK | 1 December 1978 | Nicaragua NI | 6 March 2003 |
| Dominica DM | 7 August 1999 | Niger NE | 21 March 1993 |
| Ecuador EC | 7 May 2001 | Norway NO ² | 1 January 1980 |
| Egypt EG | 6 September 2003 | Oman OM ¹ | 26 October 2001 |
| Equatorial Guinea GQ | 17 July 2001 | Papua New Guinea PG | 14 June 2003 |
| Estonia EE | 24 August 1994 | Philippines PH | 17 August 2001 |
| Finland FI ² | 1 October 1980 | Poland PL ² | 25 December 1990 |
| France FR ^{1,3} | 25 February 1978 | Portugal PT | 24 November 1992 |
| Gabon GA | 24 January 1978 | Republic of Korea KR | 10 August 1984 |
| Gambia GM | 9 December 1997 | Republic of Moldova MD ¹ | 25 December 1991 |
| Georgia GE ¹ | 25 December 1991 | Romania RO ¹ | 23 July 1979 |
| Germany DE | 24 January 1978 | Russian Federation RU ¹ | 29 March 1978 |
| Ghana GH | 26 February 1997 | Saint Lucia LC ¹ | 30 August 1996 |
| Greece GR | 9 October 1990 | Saint Vincent and the Grenadines VC ¹ | 6 August 2002 |
| Grenada GD | 22 September 1998 | | |

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| Senegal SN | 24 January 1978 | Togo TG | 24 January 1978 |
| Serbia and Montenegro YU | 1 February 1997 | Trinidad and Tobago TT | 10 March 1994 |
| Seychelles SC | 7 November 2002 | Tunisia TN ¹ | 10 December 2001 |
| Sierra Leone SL | 17 June 1997 | Turkey TR | 1 January 1996 |
| Singapore SG | 23 February 1995 | Turkmenistan TM ¹ | 25 December 1991 |
| Slovakia SK | 1 January 1993 | Uganda UG | 9 February 1995 |
| Slovenia SI | 1 March 1994 | Ukraine UA ¹ | 25 December 1991 |
| South Africa ZA ¹ | 16 March 1999 | United Arab Emirates AE | 10 March 1999 |
| Spain ES | 16 November 1989 | United Kingdom GB ⁵ | 24 January 1978 |
| Sri Lanka LK | 26 February 1982 | United Republic of Tanzania TZ | 14 September 1999 |
| Sudan SD | 16 April 1984 | United States of America US ^{6,7} | 24 January 1978 |
| Swaziland SZ | 20 September 1994 | Uzbekistan UZ ¹ | 25 December 1991 |
| Sweden SE ² | 17 May 1978 | Viet Nam VN | 10 March 1993 |
| Switzerland CH | 24 January 1978 | Zambia ZM | 15 November 2001 |
| Syrian Arab Republic SY | 26 June 2003 | Zimbabwe ZW | 11 June 1997 |
| Tajikistan TJ ¹ | 25 December 1991 | | |
| The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia MK | 10 August 1995 | | |

* All PCT Contracting States are bound by Chapter II of the PCT relating to the international preliminary examination.

¹ With the declaration provided for in Article 64(5).

² With the declaration provided for in Article 64(2)(a)(ii).

³ Including all Overseas Departments and Territories.

⁴ Ratification for the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

⁵ Extends to the Isle of Man.

⁶ With the declarations provided for in Articles 64(3)(a) and 64(4)(a).

⁷ Extends to all areas for which the United States of America has international responsibility.