

**STATUS OF SINGAPORE
WITH REGARD TO INTERNATIONAL AIR LAW INSTRUMENTS**

		Date of Signature	Date of Ratification or Accession	Effective Date
1.	Convention on International Civil Aviation Chicago, 7/12/44	-	20/5/66	19/6/66
2.	International Air Services Transit Agreement Chicago, 7/12/44	-	22/8/66	22/8/66
3.	International Air Transport Agreement Chicago, 7/12/44	-	-	-
4.	Protocol on the Authentic Trilingual Text of the Convention on International Civil Aviation Buenos Aires, 24/9/68	-	16/12/04	16/12/04
5.	Protocol on the Authentic Quadrilingual Text of the Convention on International Civil Aviation Montreal, 30/9/77	-	16/12/04	16/12/04
*6.	Protocol on the Authentic Quinquelingual Text of the Convention on International Civil Aviation Montreal, 29/9/95	-	16/12/04	-
*7.	Protocol on the Authentic Six-Language Text of the Convention on International Civil Aviation Montreal, 1/10/98	-	16/12/04	-
8.	Article 93 <i>bis</i> Montreal, 27/5/47		4/1/67	4/1/67
9.	Article 45 Montreal, 14/6/54		4/1/67	4/1/67
10.	Articles 48(a), 49(e) and 61 Montreal, 14/6/54		4/1/67	4/1/67
11.	Article 50(a) Montreal, 21/6/61		4/1/67	4/1/67
12.	Article 48(a) Rome, 15/9/62		4/1/67	11/9/75
13.	Article 50(a) New York, 12/3/71		31/5/71	16/1/73
14.	Article 56 Vienna, 7/7/71		24/9/71	19/12/74
15.	Article 50(a) Montreal, 16/10/74		4/10/77	15/2/80
16.	Protocol of Amendment (Final paragraph, Russian Text) Montreal, 30/9/77		22/9/86	17/8/99
17.	Article 83 <i>bis</i> Montreal, 6/10/80		7/5/91	20/6/97
18.	Article 3 <i>bis</i> Montreal, 10/5/84		-	-
19.	Article 56 Montreal, 6/10/89		7/2/94	18/4/05
20.	Article 50(a) Montreal, 26/10/90		7/9/94	28/11/02

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*21.	Protocol of Amendment (Final paragraph, Arabic Text) Montreal, 29/9/95		16/12/04	-
*22.	Protocol of Amendment (Final paragraph, Chinese Text) Montreal, 1/10/98		16/12/04	-
*23.	Article 50(a) Montréal, 6/10/16		26/9/22	-
*24.	Article 56 Montréal, 6/10/16		26/9/22	-
25.	Convention on the International Recognition of Rights in Aircraft Geneva, 19/6/48	-	-	-
26.	Convention on Damage Caused by Foreign Aircraft to Third Parties on the Surface Rome, 7/10/52	-	-	-
27.	Protocol to Amend the Rome Convention of 1952 Montreal, 23/9/78	-	-	-
28.	Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules relating to International Carriage by Air Warsaw, 12/10/29	-	4/9/71	3/12/71
29.	Protocol to Amend the Warsaw Convention of 1929 The Hague, 28/9/55	-	6/11/67	4/2/68
30.	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	-	-	-
*31.	Protocol to Amend the Warsaw Convention of 1929 as Amended by The Hague Protocol of 1955 Guatemala City, 8/3/71	-	-	-
32.	Additional Protocol No. 1 Montreal, 25/9/75	-	-	-
33.	Additional Protocol No. 2 Montreal, 25/9/75	-	-	-
*34.	Additional Protocol No. 3 Montreal, 25/9/75	-	-	-
35.	Montreal Protocol No. 4 Montreal, 25/9/75	-	14/6/98	12/9/98
36.	Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules for International Carriage by Air Montreal, 28 May 1999	-	17/9/07 ³	16/11/07
37.	Convention on Offences and Certain Other Acts Committed on Board Aircraft Tokyo, 14/9/63	-	1/3/71	30/5/71

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38.	Protocol to Amend the Convention on Offences and Certain Other Acts Committed on Board Aircraft Montréal, 4/4/14	-	25/9/18	1/1/20
39.	Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft The Hague, 16/12/70	8/9/71	12/4/78	12/5/78
40.	Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Civil Aviation Montreal, 23/9/71	21/11/72	12/4/78	12/5/78
41.	Protocol for the 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, done at Montreal on 23/9/71 Montreal, 24/2/88	-	22/11/96	22/12/96
42.	Convention on the Marking of Plastic Explosives for the Purpose of Detection Montreal, 1/3/91	-	20/1/03 ²	21/3/03
43.	Convention on the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Relating to International Civil Aviation Beijing, 10/9/10	-	20/7/22 ⁶	1/9/22
44.	Protocol Supplementary to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft Beijing, 10/9/10	-	20/7/22 ⁷	1/9/22
45.	Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment Cape Town, 16/11/01	-	28/1/09 ⁴	1/5/09
46.	Protocol to the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment on Matters specific to Aircraft Equipment Cape Town, 16/11/01	-	28/1/09 ⁵	1/5/09
*47.	Convention on Compensation for Damage Caused by Aircraft to Third Parties Montréal, 2/5/09	-	-	-
*48.	Convention on Compensation for Damage to Third Parties, Resulting from Acts of Unlawful Interference Involving Aircraft Montréal, 2/5/09	-	-	-
49.	Agreement on the Joint Financing of Certain Air Navigation Services in Greenland Geneva, 25/9/56	-	-	-
50.	Agreement on the Joint Financing of Certain Air Navigation Services in Iceland Geneva, 25/9/56	-	-	-
51.	Protocol for the Amendment of the 1956 Agreement on the Joint Financing of Certain Air Navigation Services in Greenland Montreal, 3/11/82	-	27/5/04	1/1/05
52.	Protocol for the Amendment of the 1956 Agreement on the Joint Financing of Certain Air Navigation Services in Iceland, Montreal, 3/11/82	-	27/5/04	1/1/05

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53.	International COSPAS-SARSAT Programme Agreement Paris, 1/7/88		23/9/92	23/10/92 ¹
54.	Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies, 21/11/47 – application to ICAO (Annex III), 21/6/48		18/3/66	18/3/66

* Not in force

NOTES

- ¹ Association with the Programme as a Ground Segment Provider.
- ² Declaration, in accordance with Article XIII, paragraph 2, of the Convention, that Singapore is not a producer State of plastic explosives.
- ³ The instrument of accession by Singapore contains the following declaration in accordance with Article 57:
“the Convention shall not apply to:
a) international carriage by air performed and operated directly by the Republic of Singapore for non-commercial purposes in respect to its functions and duties as a sovereign State; and
b) the carriage of persons, cargo and baggage for its military authorities on aircraft registered in or leased by the Republic of Singapore, the whole capacity of which has been reserved by or on behalf of such authorities.”
- ⁴ At the time of accession, Singapore made declarations under Articles 39(1), 39(4), 53 and 54(2).
- ⁵ At the time of accession, Singapore made declarations under Article XXX(1) and (3). On 26 April 2010, Singapore made a subsequent declaration under Article XXX(1), effective on 1 November 2010.
- ⁶ At the time of accession Singapore made the following reservation, declarations and notification:
“Reservation:
Pursuant to paragraph 2 of Article 20 of the Convention, the Republic of Singapore declares that it does not consider itself bound by paragraph 1 of Article 20 of the Convention.
Declarations:
(a) The Republic of Singapore understands that the term ‘armed conflict’ in paragraph (h)(a)(ii) of Article 2 and paragraph 2 of Article 6 of the Convention does not include internal disturbances and tensions, such as riots, isolated and sporadic acts of violence, and other acts of a similar nature.
(b) The Republic of Singapore understands that, under Article 6 of the Convention, the Convention does not apply to:
(i) The military forces of a state in the exercise of their official duties;
(ii) Civilians who direct or organize the official activities of military forces of a state; or
(iii) Civilians acting in support of the official activities of the military forces of a state, if the civilians are under the formal command, control, and responsibility of those forces.
(c) The Republic of Singapore understands Article 10 of the Convention to include the right of competent authorities to decide not to submit any particular case for prosecution before the judicial authorities if the alleged offender is dealt with under national security and preventive detention laws.”
Notification:
“Pursuant to paragraph 4(a) of Article 21 of the Beijing Convention, the Republic of Singapore notifies that it has, in accordance with paragraph 2 of Article 8 of the Beijing Convention, established jurisdiction under its national

law, when an offence under Article 1 of the Beijing Convention is committed against a national of the Republic of Singapore or when the offence is committed by a stateless person whose habitual residence is in the territory of the Republic of Singapore.”

⁷ At the time of accession Singapore made the following declarations and notification:

“Declarations:

- (a) The Republic of Singapore understands that the term ‘armed conflict’ in paragraph 2 of Article 3 *bis* of the Convention as amended by Article VI of the Protocol, does not include internal disturbances and tensions, such as riots, isolated and sporadic acts of violence, and other acts of a similar nature.
- (b) The Republic of Singapore understands that, under Article 3 *bis* of the Convention as amended by Article VI of the Protocol, the Convention does not apply to:
 - (i) The military forces of a state in the exercise of their official duties;
 - (ii) Civilians who direct or organize the official activities of military forces of a state; or
 - (iii) Civilians acting in support of the official activities of the military forces of a state, if the civilians are under the formal command, control, and responsibility of those forces.”

Notification:

“Pursuant to paragraph (a) of Article XXII of the Beijing Protocol, the Republic of Singapore notifies that that it has, in accordance with paragraph 2 of Article 4 of the *Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft*, signed at The Hague on 16 December 1970 (“The Hague Convention”) as amended by the Beijing Protocol, established jurisdiction under its national law, when an offence under Article 1 of The Hague Convention as amended by the Beijing Protocol is committed against a national of the Republic of Singapore or when the offence is committed by a stateless person whose habitual residence is in the territory of the Republic of Singapore.”