

**10. International Convention for the Protection of Performers,
Producers of Phonograms and Broadcasting Organisations***

Rome Convention (1961)

Status on November 6, 2025

State	Date on which State became party to the Convention	State	Date on which State became party to the Convention
Albania.....	September 1, 2000	Latvia ¹	August 20, 1999
Algeria ¹	April 22, 2007	Lebanon.....	August 12, 1997
Andorra.....	May 25, 2004	Lesotho ¹	January 26, 1990
Argentina.....	March 2, 1992	Liberia.....	December 16, 2005
Armenia.....	January 31, 2003	Liechtenstein ¹	October 12, 1999
Australia ¹	September 30, 1992	Lithuania ¹	July 22, 1999
Austria ¹	June 9, 1973	Luxembourg ¹	February 25, 1976
Azerbaijan.....	October 8, 2005	Mexico.....	May 18, 1964
Bahrain.....	January 18, 2006	Monaco ¹	December 6, 1985
Barbados.....	September 18, 1983	Montenegro ²	June 3, 2006
Belarus ¹	May 27, 2003	Netherlands (Kingdom of the) ^{1,3}	October 7, 1993
Belgium ¹	October 2, 1999	Nicaragua.....	August 10, 2000
Belize.....	February 9, 2019	Niger ¹	May 18, 1964
Bolivia (Plurinational State of).....	November 24, 1993	Nigeria ¹	October 29, 1993
Bosnia and Herzegovina.....	May 19, 2009	North Macedonia ¹	March 2, 1998
Brazil.....	September 29, 1965	Norway ¹	July 10, 1978
Bulgaria ¹	August 31, 1995	Panama.....	September 2, 1983
Burkina Faso.....	January 14, 1988	Paraguay.....	February 26, 1970
Cabo Verde.....	July 3, 1997	Peru.....	August 7, 1985
Canada ¹	June 4, 1998	Philippines.....	September 25, 1984
Chile.....	September 5, 1974	Poland ¹	June 13, 1997
Colombia.....	September 17, 1976	Portugal.....	July 17, 2002
Congo ¹	May 18, 1964	Qatar.....	September 23, 2017
Costa Rica.....	September 9, 1971	Republic of Korea ¹	March 18, 2009
Croatia ¹	April 20, 2000	Republic of Moldova ¹	December 5, 1995
Cyprus.....	June 17, 2009	Romania ¹	October 22, 1998
Czech Republic ¹	January 1, 1993	Russian Federation ¹	May 26, 2003
Denmark ¹	September 23, 1965	Saint Kitts and Nevis.....	February 6, 2026
Dominica.....	November 9, 1999	Saint Lucia ¹	August 17, 1996
Dominican Republic.....	January 27, 1987	Serbia.....	June 10, 2003
Ecuador.....	May 18, 1964	Slovakia ¹	January 1, 1993
El Salvador.....	June 29, 1979	Slovenia ¹	October 9, 1996
Estonia ¹	April 28, 2000	Spain ¹	November 14, 1991
Fiji ¹	April 11, 1972	Sweden ¹	May 18, 1964
Finland ¹	October 21, 1983	Switzerland ¹	September 24, 1993
France ¹	July 3, 1987	Syrian Arab Republic.....	May 13, 2006
Georgia.....	August 14, 2004	Tajikistan.....	May 19, 2008
Germany ¹	October 21, 1966	Togo.....	June 10, 2003
Greece.....	January 6, 1993	Trinidad and Tobago.....	March 9, 2020
Guatemala.....	January 14, 1977	Tunisia.....	July 13, 2023
Honduras.....	February 16, 1990	Türkiye.....	April 8, 2004
Hungary.....	February 10, 1995	Turkmenistan.....	November 30, 2020
Iceland ¹	June 15, 1994	Ukraine.....	June 12, 2002
Ireland ¹	September 19, 1979	United Arab Emirates.....	January 14, 2005
Israel ¹	December 30, 2002	United Kingdom ^{1,4}	May 18, 1964
Italy ¹	April 8, 1975	Uruguay.....	July 4, 1977
Jamaica.....	January 27, 1994	Uzbekistan ¹	October 16, 2024
Japan ¹	October 26, 1989	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) ..	January 30, 1996
Kazakhstan.....	June 30, 2012	Viet Nam ¹	March 1, 2007
Kyrgyzstan.....	August 13, 2003		

(Total: 99 States)

* The secretariat tasks relating to this Convention are performed jointly with the International Labour Office and UNESCO.

¹ The instruments of ratification or accession, or subsequent notifications, deposited with the Secretary-General of the United Nations by the following States contain declarations made under the articles mentioned hereafter (with reference to publication in *Le Droit d'auteur* (Copyright) for the years 1962 to 1964, in *Copyright* for the years 1965 to 1994, in *Industrial Property and Copyright* until May 1998 and, in *Intellectual Property Laws and Treaties* from June 1998 until December 2001):

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Algeria, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), Article 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv);
Australia, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), 6(2), 16(1)(a)(i) and 16(1)(b) [1992, p. 301];
Austria, Article 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) and 1(b) [1973, p. 67];
Belarus, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)), 6(2), 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv);
Belgium, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), 6(2), 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1999, p. 119];
Bulgaria, Article 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1995, p. 262];
Canada, Article 5(3) (concerning Articles 5(1)(b) and (c)), 6(2) (concerning Article 6(1)) and 16(1)(a)(iv) [1998, p. 42]
Congo, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)) and 16(1)(a)(i) [1964, p. 127];
Croatia, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)) and 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [2000, p.14];
Czech Republic, Article 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1964, p. 110];
Denmark, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), 6(2), 16(1)(a)(ii) and (iv) [1965, p. 214];
Estonia, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), and 6(2), and as from October 9, 2003, Article 16(1)(a)(iv);
Fiji, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)), 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(i) [1972, pp. 88 and 178];
Finland, Articles 16(1)(a)(i), (ii) and (iv) and 17 [1983, p. 287 and 1994, p. 152];
France, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)) and 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1987, p. 184];
Germany, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)) and 16(1)(a)(iv) [1966, p. 237];
Iceland, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)), 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) [1994, p. 152];
Ireland, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)), 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(ii) [1979, p. 218];
Israel, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)), 6(2) (concerning Article 6(1)) and 16(1)(a)(iii), (iv) and 16(1)(b);
Italy, Articles 6(2), 16(1)(a)(ii), (iii) and (iv), 16(1)(b) and 17 [1975, p. 44];
Japan, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)) and 16(1)(a)(ii) and (iv) [1989, p. 288];
Latvia, Article 16(1)(a)(iii) [1999, p. 76];
Lesotho, Article 16(1)(a)(ii) and (b) [1990, p. 95];
Liechtenstein, Article 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)) and Article 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1999, p. 119];
Lithuania, Article 16(1)(a)(iii) [1999, p. 76];
Luxembourg, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), 16(1)(a)(i) and 16(1)(b) [1976, p. 24];
Monaco, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), 16(1)(a)(i) and 16(1)(b) [1985, p. 422];
Netherlands (Kingdom of the), Article 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1993, p. 253];
Niger, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)) and 16(1)(a)(i) [1963, p. 155];
Nigeria, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(ii), (iii) and (iv) [1993, p. 253];
North Macedonia, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)) and 16(1)(a)(i) [1998, p. 42];
Norway, Articles 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1978, p. 133; in respect of 16(1)(a)(ii) modified: 1989, p. 288];
Poland, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), 6(2), 16(1)(a)(i), (iii) and (iv) and 16(1)(b) [1997 p. 170];
Republic of Korea, Articles 5(3), 6(2), 16(1)(a)(ii), (iii) and (iv) and 16(1)(b);
Republic of Moldova, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)), 6(2), 16(1)(a)(ii), (iii) and (iv) [1996, p. 40];
Romania, Articles 5(3), 6(2), 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1998, p. 54];
Russian Federation, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)), 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv);
Saint Lucia, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)) and 16(1)(a)(iii);
Slovakia, Article 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1964, p. 110];
Slovenia, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)) and 16(1)(a)(i) [1996, p. 318];
Spain, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(c)), 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1991, p. 221];
Sweden, Article 16(1)(a)(iv) [1962, p. 211; 1986, p. 382];
Switzerland, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)) and 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) [1993, p. 254];
United Kingdom, Articles 5(3) (concerning Article 5(1)(b)), 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(ii), (iii) and (iv) [1963, p. 244]; the same declarations were made for Gibraltar and Bermuda [1967, p. 36; 1970, p. 108]; . The United Kingdom made, on March 28, 2025, a new declaration in accordance with Article 16(1)(a)(iii). The said declaration replaces the existing one made under Article 16(1)(a)(iii) and (iv) when ratifying the treaty, with respect to the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man, Gibraltar and Bermuda. As regards the territories of the Bailiwick of Jersey and the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the existing declaration continues to apply.
Uzbekistan, Articles 6(2) and 16(1)(a)(iii).
Viet Nam, Articles 16(1)(a)(i) and 16(1)(b).

² Deposited declaration on October 23, 2006, with effect from June 3, 2006, the date of State succession.

³ Accession for the Kingdom in Europe.

⁴ The United Kingdom extended the application of the Rome Convention to the Isle of Man with effect from July 28, 1999, and to the territories of the Bailiwick of Guernsey and the Bailiwick of Jersey with effect from December 30, 2020.