

# PROTOCOL CONCERNING THE REVISION OF THE NOMENCLATURE OF CAUSES OF DEATH, AND ANNEX

(Translation)

At the Conference held in Paris, on October 6, 1938, convened under paragraph 4 of article 4 of the International Agreement dated 19th June 1934, relating to Statistics of Causes of Death, the delegations present of Governments contracting under the said Agreement viz. the delegations representing the following countries: AUSTRALIA, CANADA, GERMANY, HUNGARY, ITALY, NETHERLANDS, NEW ZEALAND, UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, VENEZUELA, have unanimously adopted the modifications in the minimum nomenclature in force which are embodied in the revised minimum nomenclature certified as authentic by the Secretary General of the Conference and annexed hereto. (CTS. 1934)

In faith whereof the undersigned delegates duly authorized to that effect have signified the adoption of the said modifications by their respective Governments.

The present Protocol deposited in the Archives of the French Government, shall be open, until December 31, 1938 inclusive, for signature by the diplomatic representatives of the countries above mentioned the delegates of which had not been authorized to engage their respective Governments.

Provided, however, that if, by the 1st January, 1939, the number of signatures obtained by either procedure is less than  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the number of Governments represented at the present Conference, the said modifications in the minimum nomenclature in force, shall be of no force or effect.

Done at Paris, October 6th, 1938, in a single copy which shall be deposited in the Archives of the French Government and of which certified copies shall be furnished to each contracting Government.

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