

and, in particular, with the competent bodies of the United Nations with UNESCO and with the International Criminal Police Organization /Interpol, as regards action against illicit traffic in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, and action against illicit traffic in works of art, antiques and other cultural property;

- (d) to take any action likely to further the general aims of the Convention and in particular to study new methods and procedures to facilitate the prevention, investigation and repression of Customs offences, to convene meetings, etc.;
- (e) to perform such tasks as the Council may direct in relation to the provisions of the Convention.

Article 13

For the purposes of voting in the Council and in the Permanent Technical Committee each Annex shall be taken to be a separate Convention.

CHAPTER VI

Final provisions

Article 14

Any dispute between two or more Contracting Parties concerning the interpretation or application of this Convention shall be settled by negotiation between them.

Article 15

1. Any State Member of the Council may become a Contracting Party to this Convention :

- (a) by signing it without reservation of ratification;