

Any modification of the provisions of any one of the Annexes may be made by the International Commission for Air Navigation when such modification shall have been approved by three-fourths of the total votes of the States represented at the Session and two-thirds of the total possible votes which could be cast if all the States were represented. Such modification shall become effective from the time when it shall have been notified by the International Commission for Air Navigation to all the contracting States.

Any proposed modification of the Articles of the present Convention shall be examined by the International Commission for Air Navigation, whether it originates with one of the contracting States or with the Commission itself. No such modification shall be proposed for adoption by the contracting States, unless it shall have been approved by at least two-thirds of the total possible votes.

All such modifications of the Articles of the Convention (but not of the provisions of the Annexes) must be formally adopted by the contracting States before they become effective.

The expenses of the International Commission for Air Navigation shall be borne by the contracting States in the proportion fixed by the said Commission.

The expenses occasioned by the sending of technical delegations will be borne by their respective States.

ARTICLE 37

(First paragraph)

In the case of a disagreement between two or more States relating to the interpretation of the present Convention, the question in dispute shall be determined by the Permanent Court of International Justice. *Provided that, if one of the States concerned has not accepted the Protocols relating to the Court, the question in dispute shall, on the demand of such State, be settled by arbitration.*

ARTICLE 41

Any State shall be permitted to adhere to the present Convention.

This adhesion shall be notified through the diplomatic channel to the Government of the French Republic, and by it to all the signatory or adhering States.

ARTICLE 42

(Deleted)

(FINAL CLAUSES)

IN FAITH WHEREOF the hereinafter-named Plenipotentiaries whose powers have been found in good and due form have signed the present Convention.

The present Convention has been drawn up in French, English and Italian.

In case of divergencies the French text shall prevail.

(Translation)

The Undersigned, duly authorized, declare that they accept, in the name of the States they represent, the aforesaid modifications, which are proposed for final acceptance by the Contracting States.