

**PROTOCOL SUPPLEMENTARY TO THE CONVENTION  
FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF UNLAWFUL SEIZURE OF AIRCRAFT  
DONE AT BEIJING ON 10 SEPTEMBER 2010**

<b>Entry into force:</b>	<p>Not yet in force.</p> <p>In accordance with Article XXIII:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. This Protocol shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following the date of the deposit of the twenty-second instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession with the Depositary.</li> <li>2. For each State ratifying, accepting, approving or acceding to this Protocol after the deposit of the twenty-second instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession, this Protocol shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following the date of the deposit by such State of its instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession.</li> </ol>
<b>Status:</b>	26 signatures, 1 ratification.
<b>Note:</b>	<p>Depositary: ICAO.</p> <p>The Protocol was adopted on 10 September 2010 by the International Conference on Air Law held under the auspices of ICAO at Beijing from 30 August to 10 September 2010.</p> <p>This Protocol supplements the <i>Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft</i>, signed at The Hague on 16 December 1970. As between the States Parties to this Protocol, the Convention and this Protocol shall be read and interpreted together as one single instrument and shall be known as The Hague Convention as amended by the Beijing Protocol, 2010.</p> <p>In accordance with its Article XX, the Protocol shall be open to all States for signature at the Headquarters of ICAO in Montréal until it enters into force.</p> <p>After signature, the Protocol is subject to ratification, acceptance or approval.</p> <p>Any State which does not ratify, accept or approve this Protocol, may accede to it at any time.</p> <p>Ratification, acceptance, approval of or accession to this Protocol by any State which is not a Party to the Convention shall have the effect of ratification, acceptance, approval of or accession to The Hague Convention as amended by the Beijing Protocol, 2010.</p> <p>Pursuant to Article XXII, upon ratifying, accepting, approving or acceding to this Protocol, each State Party:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) shall notify the Depositary of the jurisdiction it has established under its national law in accordance with paragraph 2 of Article 4 of The Hague Convention as amended by the Beijing Protocol, 2010, and immediately notify the Depositary of any change; and</li> <li>(b) may declare that it shall apply the provisions of subparagraph (d) of paragraph 3 of Article 1 of The Hague Convention as amended by the Beijing Protocol, 2010 in accordance with the principles of its criminal law concerning family exemptions from liability.</li> </ol>

<b>State</b>	<b>Date of signature</b>	<b>Date of deposit of instrument of ratification, acceptance (A), approval (AA) or accession (a)</b>	<b>Date of entry into force</b>
Brazil	10/9/2010		
Burkina Faso	17/2/2012		
Cameroon	25/10/2011		
Chad	1/10/2010		
China	10/9/2010		
Costa Rica	10/9/2010		
Cyprus	10/9/2010		
Czech Republic (1)	23/11/11		
Dominican Republic	10/9/2010		
France	15/4/2011		
Gambia	10/9/2010		

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India	10/9/2010		
Indonesia	10/9/2010		
Mali	10/9/2010		
Mexico	10/9/2010		
Nepal	10/9/2010		
Nigeria	10/9/2010		
Panama	30/9/2010		
Paraguay	10/9/2010		
Republic of Korea	10/9/2010		
Saint Lucia (2)		12/9/2012	
Senegal	10/9/2010		
Spain	10/9/2010		
Uganda	10/9/2010		
United Kingdom	10/9/2010		
United States	10/9/2010		
Zambia	5/10/2010		

- (1) Declaration upon signature: “Pursuant to Article XXII, paragraph (a) of the Protocol, the Czech Republic announces that it has established its jurisdiction over the offences set forth in Article 1 of the Hague Convention as amended by the 2010 Beijing Protocol in the cases set forth in Article 4, paragraph 2, subparagraphs (a) and (b) of the Hague Convention as amended by the Beijing Protocol.”
- (2) Declarations contained in the instrument of ratification:
  - “1. Saint Lucia is committed to the terms of the Protocol Supplementary to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft;
  2. Saint Lucia expresses its consent to be bound by the Protocol Supplementary to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft.”