



## Joint Convention on the Safety of Spent Fuel Management and on the Safety of Radioactive Waste Management

Notes: The Convention, pursuant to Article 40.1, entered into force on 18 June 2001, i.e. on the ninetieth day after the day of deposit with the Depository of the twenty-fifth instrument of ratification, acceptance or approval, including the instruments of fifteen States each having an operational nuclear power plant.

Parties: **78** (subject to Entry Into Force date)  
Signatories: **42** **Last change of status: 16 February 2018**

Country/Organization	Signature	Instrument	Date of deposit	Declaration etc. / Withdrawal	Entry into force
Albania		accession	29 Jun 2011	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	27 Sep 2011
Argentina	19 Dec 1997	ratification	14 Nov 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Armenia		accession	22 May 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	20 Aug 2013
Australia	13 Nov 1998	ratification	05 Aug 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	03 Nov 2003
Austria	17 Sep 1998	ratification	13 Jun 2001	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	11 Sep 2001
Belarus	13 Oct 1999	ratification	26 Nov 2002	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Feb 2003
Belgium	08 Dec 1997	ratification	05 Sep 2002	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	04 Dec 2002
Bosnia and Herzegovina		accession	02 Aug 2012	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	31 Oct 2012
Botswana		accession	14 Aug 2015	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	12 Nov 2015
Brazil	31 Oct 1997	ratification	17 Feb 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 May 2006
Bulgaria	22 Sep 1998	ratification	21 Jun 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Canada	07 May 1998	ratification	07 May 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Chile		accession	26 Sep 2011	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	25 Dec 2011
China		accession	13 Sep 2006	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	12 Dec 2006
Croatia	09 Apr 1998	ratification	10 May 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Cuba		accession	03 Jul 2017	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	01 Oct 2017
Cyprus		accession	21 Oct 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	19 Jan 2010
Czech Republic	30 Sep 1997	approval	25 Mar 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Denmark	09 Feb 1998	acceptance	03 Sep 1999	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Estonia	05 Jan 2001	ratification	03 Feb 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	04 May 2006
Finland	02 Oct 1997	acceptance	10 Feb 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
France	29 Sep 1997	approval	27 Apr 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Gabon		accession	29 Apr 2010	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	28 Jul 2010
Georgia		accession	22 Jul 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	20 Oct 2009
Germany	01 Oct 1997	ratification	13 Oct 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Ghana		accession	01 Jun 2011	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	30 Aug 2011
Greece	09 Feb 1998	ratification	18 Jul 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Hungary	29 Sep 1997	ratification	02 Jun 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001

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Iceland		accession	27 Jan 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	27 Apr 2006
Indonesia	06 Oct 1997	ratification	01 Apr 2011	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	30 Jun 2011
Ireland	01 Oct 1997	ratification	20 Mar 2001	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Italy	26 Jan 1998	ratification	08 Feb 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	09 May 2006
Japan		accession	26 Aug 2003	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Nov 2003
Jordan		accession	15 Apr 2016	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	14 Jul 2016
Kazakhstan	29 Sep 1997	ratification	10 Mar 2010	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	08 Jun 2010
Korea, Republic of	29 Sep 1997	ratification	16 Sep 2002	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	15 Dec 2002
Kyrgyzstan		accession	18 Dec 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Mar 2007
Latvia	27 Mar 2000	acceptance	27 Mar 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Lebanon	30 Sep 1997			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Lesotho		accession	26 Sep 2016	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	25 Dec 2016
Lithuania	30 Sep 1997	ratification	16 Mar 2004	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	14 Jun 2004
Luxembourg	01 Oct 1997	ratification	21 Aug 2001	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	19 Nov 2001
Madagascar		accession	03 Mar 2017	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	01 Jun 2017
Malta		accession	16 Sep 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	15 Dec 2013
Mauritania		accession	19 Sep 2011	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Dec 2011
Mauritius		accession	15 Apr 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	14 Jul 2013
Mexico		accession	16 Feb 2018	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	17 May 2018
Montenegro		accession	09 Aug 2010	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	07 Nov 2010
Morocco	29 Sep 1997	ratification	23 Jul 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Netherlands	10 Mar 1999	acceptance	26 Apr 2000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Niger		accession	05 Dec 2016	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	05 Mar 2017
Nigeria		accession	04 Apr 2007	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	03 Jul 2007
Norway	29 Sep 1997	ratification	12 Jan 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Oman		accession	28 May 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	26 Aug 2013
Peru	04 Jun 1998	ratification	08 Feb 2016	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	08 May 2016
Philippines	10 Mar 1998			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Poland	03 Oct 1997	ratification	05 May 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Portugal		accession	15 May 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	13 Aug 2009
Republic of Moldova		accession	23 Feb 2010	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 May 2010
Romania	30 Sep 1997	ratification	06 Sep 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Russian Federation	27 Jan 1999	ratification	19 Jan 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	19 Apr 2006
Saudi Arabia		accession	19 Sep 2011	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Dec 2011
Senegal		accession	24 Dec 2008	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	24 Mar 2009

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Serbia		accession	18 Dec 2017	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Mar 2018
Slovakia	30 Sep 1997	ratification	06 Oct 1998	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Slovenia	29 Sep 1997	ratification	25 Feb 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
South Africa		accession	15 Nov 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	13 Feb 2007
Spain	30 Jun 1998	ratification	11 May 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Sweden	29 Sep 1997	ratification	29 Jul 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Switzerland	29 Sep 1997	ratification	05 Apr 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
Tajikistan		accession	12 Dec 2007	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	11 Mar 2008
The frmr.Yug.Rep. of Macedonia		accession	31 Dec 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	31 Mar 2010
Ukraine	29 Sep 1997	ratification	24 Jul 2000	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
United Arab Emirates		accession	31 Jul 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Oct 2009
United Kingdom	29 Sep 1997	ratification	12 Mar 2001	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	18 Jun 2001
United States of America	29 Sep 1997	ratification	15 Apr 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	14 Jul 2003
Uruguay		accession	28 Dec 2005	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	28 Mar 2006
Uzbekistan		accession	19 Jan 2009	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	19 Apr 2009
Viet Nam		accession	09 Oct 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	07 Jan 2014
EURATOM		accession	04 Oct 2005	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	02 Jan 2006

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