



**MINISTÈRE DES AFFAIRES ÉTRANGÈRES DU ROYAUME DES PAYS-BAS  
LA HAYE**

CONVENTION SUR L'OBTENTION DES PREUVES À L'ÉTRANGER EN MATIÈRE  
CIVILE OU COMMERCIALE  
(La Haye, le 18 mars 1970)

Notification conformément à l'article 42 de la Convention

**ACCEPTATION D'ADHÉSION et ENTRÉE EN VIGUEUR**

**Brésil**

<b>Accepté(e) par</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Entrée en vigueur</b>
Allemagne	16-07-2014	14-09-2014
Chine (inclusivement la Région administrative spéciale de Hong Kong et la Région administrative spéciale de Macao)	27-06-2014	26-08-2014

**Serbie**

<b>Accepté(e) par</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Entrée en vigueur</b>
Lituanie	08-07-2014	06-09-2014
Slovénie	04-07-2014	02-09-2014

Des copies certifiées conformes aux originaux des déclarations d'acceptation sont annexées à la présente notification. Ces copies sont au profit des États visés à l'article 37, ainsi qu'aux États qui ont adhéré à la Convention conformément aux dispositions de l'article 39.

La Haye, le 5 août 2014

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**MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS  
THE HAGUE**

CONVENTION ON THE TAKING OF EVIDENCE ABROAD IN CIVIL OR  
COMMERCIAL MATTERS  
(The Hague, 18 March 1970)

Notification pursuant to Article 42 of the Convention

**ACCEPTANCE OF ACCESSION and ENTRY INTO FORCE**

**Brazil**

<b>Accepted by</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Entry into force</b>
China (including the Special Administrative Region of Hong Kong and the Special Administrative Region of Macao)	27-06-2014	26-08-2014
Germany	16-07-2014	14-09-2014

**Serbia**

<b>Accepted by</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Entry into force</b>
Lithuania	08-07-2014	06-09-2014
Slovenia	04-07-2014	02-09-2014

Certified true copies of the declarations of acceptance are enclosed. These copies are on behalf of the States referred to in Article 37, and the States which have acceded to the Convention in accordance with Article 39.

The Hague, 5 August 2014

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XX Taking of Evidence No. 06/2014



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The Director of Treaties  
of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
of the Kingdom of the Netherlands

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He Wai Fa No. (014)-F006

The Embassy of the People's Republic of China in the Kingdom of the Netherlands presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands and has the honor to inform the Ministry of the following:

The People's Republic of China declares its acceptance of the accession to the Convention on the Taking of Evidence Abroad in Civil or Commercial Matters concluded at the Hague on 18 March 1970 (hereinafter referred to as the Convention) made by the Federative Republic of Brazil. The Convention will enter into force as between the People's Republic of China, including the Special Administrative Region of Hong Kong and the Special Administrative Region of Macao, and the Federative Republic of Brazil.

It is noted by the People's Republic of China that the Federative Republic of Brazil has not yet designated a competent authority in charge of affairs related to the Convention, and for the purpose of smooth cooperation, it would be appreciated if the People's Republic of China could be informed as soon as possible if such an authority is designated.

It would be appreciated if the contents of this Note could be placed formally on record and brought to the attention of the States Parties to the Convention.

The Embassy of the People's Republic of China avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands the assurances of its highest consideration.

Treaty Section  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
The Kingdom of the Netherlands

The Hague, 23 June 2014



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The Director of Treaties  
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of the Kingdom of the Netherlands



**EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA TO THE KINGDOM  
OF THE NETHERLANDS**

No. (53.4.1.) SN53-*32*/2014

The Embassy of the Republic of Lithuania to the Kingdom of the Netherlands presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, and has the honour to convey a Note No. 5-353/2014, dated 10 June 2014, by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Lithuania regarding the acceptance by the Republic of Lithuania of the accession of the Republic of Serbia to the Convention on the Taking of Evidence Abroad in Civil or Commercial Matters, done at the Hague on 18 March 1970.

The Embassy of the Republic of Lithuania avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands the assurances of its highest consideration.

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The Hague, 19 June 2014



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of the Kingdom of the Netherlands

MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA

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No. 5-353/2014

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands and, with reference to Article 39 of the Convention on the Taking of Evidence Abroad in Civil or Commercial Matters, done at The Hague on 18 March 1970, has the honour to declare the acceptance by the Republic of Lithuania of the accession of the Republic of Serbia to the abovementioned Convention.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands the assurances of its highest consideration.

Vilnius, 10 June 2014



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Federal Republic of Germany  
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Verbal Note

The Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands and has the honour to inform the Ministry that the Federal Republic of Germany accepts the admission of Brazil to the Hague Convention of 18 March 1970 on the Taking of Evidence Abroad in Civil or Commercial Matters.

The Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands the assurance of its highest consideration.

The Hague, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2014



To the  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the  
Kingdom of the Netherlands  
- Treaties Division -  
The Hague



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EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF SLOVENIA

No.: VHG/051/14

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The Director of Treaties  
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The Embassy of the Republic of Slovenia in The Hague presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands and has the honour to inform the Ministry, in its capacity as a depositary of the Convention on the Taking of Evidence Abroad in Civil or Commercial Matters of 18 March 1970, that the Republic of Slovenia hereby accepts the accession of the Republic of Serbia to the Convention.

The Embassy of the Republic of Slovenia in The Hague avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands the assurances of its highest consideration.



The Hague, 01 July 2014

Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
of the Kingdom of the Netherlands  
The Hague