



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

CONVENTIONS CONCLUES À LA HAYE LE 18 OCTOBRE 1907
AU COURS DE LA CONFÉRENCE INTERNATIONALE DE LA PAIX DE 1907

Notification

Convention pour le règlement pacifique des conflits internationaux
(La Haye, le 18 octobre 1907)

ADHÉSION

Bahamas, 14-04-2016

La Convention entrera en vigueur pour les Bahamas, conformément à son article 95, le 13 juin 2016.

La Haye, le 20 mai 2016

Les notifications dépositaires sont accessibles en ligne sur le site Web du Ministère des Affaires étrangères du Royaume des Pays-Bas, à l'adresse <https://treatydatabase.overheid.nl>.

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

CONVENTIONS CONCLUDED AT THE HAGUE ON 18 OCTOBER 1907
DURING THE INTERNATIONAL PEACE CONFERENCE OF 1907

Notification

Convention for the Pacific Settlement of International Disputes
(The Hague, 18 October 1907)

ACCESSION

Bahamas, 14-04-2016

The Convention will, in accordance with its Article 95, enter into force for the Bahamas on 13 June 2016.

The Hague, 20 May 2016

The Depositary Notifications are accessible on the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands at <https://treatydatabase.overheid.nl>.

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME GREETING



INSTRUMENT OF ACCESSION

WHEREAS the Permanent Court of Arbitration was established as the first global mechanism for the settlement of disputes between States by treaty at the First International Peace Conference which was adopted at the Convention for the Pacific Settlement of International Disputes was concluded at The Hague on 29th July, 1899 and revised at the Second Hague Peace Conference on 18th October, 1907 by the adoption of a Second "Convention for the Pacific Settlement of International Disputes;"


AND WHEREAS Article 20 of the Treaty specifies that, with the objective of facilitating an immediate recourse to arbitration for international differences which it has not been possible to settle by diplomacy, the signatory Powers undertake to organize a Permanent Court of Arbitration, accessible at all times and operating, unless otherwise stipulated by the parties, in accordance with the rules of procedure inserted in the present Convention. Instruments of accession shall be deposited with the Secretary General of the Permanent Court of Arbitration;

NOW THEREFORE, the Government of the Commonwealth of The Bahamas, having considered the Treaty, hereby **ACCEDES** to the same and undertakes faithfully to perform and carry out all the stipulations therein contained.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I, the Honourable Frederick A. Mitchell M.P., Minister of Foreign Affairs and Immigration of the Commonwealth of The Bahamas have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal.

DONE at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Immigration, Nassau, N.P., The Bahamas this

17th day of *March*, 2016.


Honourable Frederick A. Mitchell, M.P.
**MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
AND IMMIGRATION
COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS**

