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DEFENSE

(See also GERMANY; NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION)

Convention on the provisional administration of European colonies and possessions in the Americas. Signed at Habana July 30, 1940; entered into force January 8, 1942.
56 Stat. 1273; TS 977; 3 Bevans 623; 161 UNTS 253.
States which are parties:

Argentina 1 Brazil Colombia Costa Rica Dominican Republic Ecuador El Salvador Guatemala Haiti Honduras Mexico Nicaragua Panama Peru United States Uruguay Venezuela

NOTE: ¹ With reservation.

Act of Habana concerning the provisional administration of European colonies and possessions in the Americas. Signed at Habana July 30, 1940; entered into force July 30, 1940. 54 Stat. 2491; EAS 199; 3 Bevans 619. States which are parties: Argentina 1 Bolivia Brazil Chile 1 Colombia¹ Costa Rica Cuba Dominican Republic Ecuador El Salvador Guatemala Haiti Honduras Mexico Nicaragua Panama Paraguay Peru United States Uruguay 1 Venezuela 1

NOTE: ¹ With reservation.

Inter-American treaty of reciprocal assistance (Rio Treaty). Done at Rio de Janeiro September 2, 1947; entered into force December 3, 1948. 62 Stat. 1681; TIAS 1838; 4 Bevans 559; 21 **UNTS 77.** States which are parties: Argentina Bahamas, The Bolivia Brazil Chile Colombia Costa Rica Cuba Dominican Republic Ecuador 1 El Salvador Guatemala 12 Haiti Honduras² Nicaragua² Panama Paraguay Peru Trinidad and Tobago United States Uruguay Venezuela

NOTES:

¹ With declaration.

² With reservation.

Agreement for mutual defense assistance in Indochina, with three annexes. Signed at Saigon December 23, 1950; entered into force December 23, 1950. 3 UST 2756; TIAS 2447; 185 UNTS 3. States which are parties: Cambodia France Laos United States Vietnam¹

NOTE:

¹See Vietnam footnote under AGRI-CULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).

Security treaty (ANZUS Pact). Signed at San Francisco September 1, 1951; entered into force April 29, 1952.¹ 3 UST 3420; TIAS 2493; 131 UNTS 83. States which are parties: Australia New Zealand United States

NOTE:

¹As of September 17, 1986, the United States suspended obligations under the treaty as between the United States and New Zea-land.

Southeast Asia collective defense treaty, with protocol (SEATO).¹ Signed at Manila September 8, 1954; entered into force February 19, 1955. 6 UST 81; TIAS 3170; 209 UNTS 28. States which are parties: Australia France New Zealand Philippines Thailand United Kingdom United States²

NOTES:

¹By decision of the SEATO Council of September 24, 1975, the Organization ceased to exist as of June 30, 1977. The collective defense treaty remains in force. ²With an understanding.

The Pacific Charter. Signed at Manila September 8, 1954; entered into force September 8, 1954. 6 UST 91; TIAS 3171; 209 UNTS 23. States which are parties: Australia France New Zealand Pakistan Philippines Thailand United Kingdom United States

Declaration relating to the Baghdad Pact (CENTO). Signed at London July 28, 1958; entered into force July 28, 1958. 9 UST 1077; TIAS 4084; 335 UNTS 205. States which are parties: Iran Pakistan Turkey United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding for the cooperative support of the 76/62 OTO Melara Compact Gun (OMCG), with annexes. Done at Rome October 24, 1978; entered into force October 24, 1978; for the United States July 17, 1979 TIAS Parties: Canada Denmark Germany Greece Italy Netherlands Spain Turkey United Kingdom United States Amendments: June 13, August 23 and December 3, 1985 and June 5, 1986.

May 30, June 22, August 24 and November 8, 1990

June 14, July 5, October 9 and December 3, 1991 and February 5, 1992.

Memorandum of understanding on a cooperative program for a medium multiple launch rocket system, with annexes. Signed June 11, 1979; entered into force July 14, 1979.

TIAS Parties: France Germany United Kingdom United States

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Memorandum of understanding concerning the four power air senior national representative cooperative long term technology projects. Signed at Washington and Paris April 11 and 27 and June 28, 1988; entered into force June 28, 1988. TIAS

Agreement concerning the accession of Belgium, the Netherlands and the United Kingdom to the United States-German memorandum of understanding of March 10 and June 13, 1986 for cooperative software development and implementation for the EIFEL system. Signed at Bonn, Brussels, Washington, The Hague and London January 27, March 8, April 5, June 27 and July 19, 1988; entered into force July 19, 1988.

TIAS Parties: Belgium Germany, Federal Republic of ¹ Netherlands United Kingdom United States

NOTE:

¹See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Memorandum of understanding concerning a cooperative program for full integration of a radar in the AV-8B weapon system and the production and life cycle support of a radar equipped AV-8B (AV-8B Harrier II Plus), with annexes. Signed at Rome, Washington and Madrid August 8 and 31 and September 28, 1990; entered into force September 28, 1990. TIAS Parties: Italy Spain United States

Memorandum of understanding for exchanges of information regarding third-generation antitank guided missiles. Signed at Washington, London, Paris and Bonn January 30, February 13 and March 7, 1991; entered into force March 7, 1991. TIAS Parties: France Germany, Federal Republic of ¹ United Kingdom United States

NOTE:

¹See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.

Memorandum of understanding on cooperative research, development and demonstration of internetworking technologies to improve communications systems network interoperability, with annex. Signed at Bonn, Washington, London and Paris October 22, November 7 and 14 and December 16, 1991; entered into force December 16, 1991. TIAS Parties: Canada France Germany Netherlands United Kingdom United States

Program memorandum of understanding concerning general arrangements for the collaborative program on a multifunctional information distribution system, with supplement no. 1. Signed at Paris, Madrid, Washington, Rome and Bonn June 17, July 4, August 27 and October 4, 1991 and January 7, 1992; entered into force October 4, 1991. TIAS

Memorandum of understanding concerning a cooperative program for full integration of a radar in the AV-8B weapon system and the production, remanufacture and in-service support of a radar equipped AV-8B (AV-8B HARRIER II PLUS), with annexes and supplemental agreement. Signed at Rome and Washington February 7 and March 4, 1992; entered into force November 12, 1992. TIAS Parties: Italy Spain United States Amendment: June 28, 2004.

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation on an international military satellite for communications (INMILSAT) (Feasibility Study). Done at Washington, London and Paris December 30, 1993, January 6 and 28, 1994; entered into force January 28, 1994. TIAS Parties: France United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding for the development of synthetic aperture radar application to support coastal warfare and surface shipwake detection and characterization, with annexes. Signed at Washington, London and Kjeller August 12 and 25 and September 5, 1994; entered into force September 5, 1994. TIAS Parties: Norway United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding for the technical cooperation program, with appendices. Signed at Melbourne October 24, 1995; entered into force October 24, 1995. TIAS 12700.

Amendments: October 16, 2000. October 15, 2005.

Memorandum of understanding for senior national representatives (ARMY) cooperation and exchanges of information, with attachments and an understanding. Signed at Washington, London, Paris and Bonn October 19, November 13 and 27, 1995 and January 9, 1996; entered into force January 9, 1996. TIAS 12717.

Amendment: September 19, 2002.

Memorandum of understanding concerning multilateral exchange of research and development information, with appendix. Signed at Washington, Ottawa, London and Canberra October 20, November 15 and December 1, 1995 and January 30 and February 12, 1996; entered into force February 12, 1996. TIAS

Document agreed among the States Parties to the Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe of November 19, 1990 ("the flank agreement"), with understanding. Adopted at Vienna May 31, 1996; entered into force May 15, 1997. TIAS

Memorandum of understanding concerning multilateral exchange of military information, with appendix. Signed at Washington, London, Ottawa, Canberra and Wellington November 19, 1996, January 8, March 10 and 26, and April 18, 1997; entered into force April 18, 1997. TIAS

Parties: Australia Canada New Zealand United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding for the cooperative production of the Evolved Sea Sparrow Missile (ESSM), with annexes. Signed at Arlington, The Hague, Brussels, Copenhagen, Haakonsvern, Canberra, Lisbon, Rome, Athens, Ankara, Quebec, Madrid and Bonn August 7, 13, 14, 15, 21 and 23, September 8 and 22, October 10, November 7, December 19 and 26, 1997 and January 2, 1998; entered into force December 26, 1997. TIAS

Parties: Australia Belgium Canada Denmark Germany Greece Italy Netherlands Norway Portugal Spain Turkey United States

Agreement for the High speed Anti-Radiation Missile (HARM) AGM-88 upgrade, with annexes. Signed at Washington, Bonn and Rome October 14, 1997, February 5 and March 7, 1998; entered into force March 7, 1998.

TIAS Parties: Germany

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Italy United States

Memorandum of understanding for the cooperation in the engineering and manufacturing development phase of the U.S. lightweight 155mm howitzer program. Signed at Washington and Bristol August 9 and 28, 1998; entered into force August 28, 1998. TIAS Parties: Italy

United Kingdom United States

Amendments and extension: March 19, 24 and 26, 1999. April 28, June 7 and July 13, 2004.

Supplement number four of the memorandum of understanding of July 14, 1979 on a cooperative program for a medium multiple launch rocket system, with annexes. Signed July 21, 22 and 28, and September 28 and 30, 1998; entered into force September 30, 1998. TIAS Parties: France Germany Italy United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning trilateral technology research and development projects. Signed November 3, 1998; entered into force November 3, 1998. TIAS Parties: Canada United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the research, development and acquisition of chemical, biological and radiological defense materiel, with appendices. Signed at Washington April 6 and 10 and June 1, 2000; entered into force June 1, 2000. TIAS Parties: Canada United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the establishment, financing, administration, manning and status of headquarters naval striking and support forces, southern region, with annexes. Signed June 1, 7, 8, 13, 14, 19, 26 and July 27, 2000; entered into force July 27, 2000; effective September 1, 1999. TIAS Parties: Germany Greece Italy Netherlands Spain Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers, Europe Turkey

United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding for interoperable networks for secure communications. Signed at Washington, Koblenz, Rome, London, Ottawa, Baerum, Paris and The Hague October 31, November 27, December 21 and 22, 2000, January 3, 16 and February 16, 2001; entered into force February 16, 2001. TIAS Parties: Canada France Germany Italv Netherlands Norway United Kingdom United States Amendment: June 2, 20, 22, 27, 28, July 1, August 12 and December 14, 2005.

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation in navigation warfare technology demonstrator and system prototype projects, with annexes. Signed at Washington, Canberra and Bristol May 13 and 31 and July 6, 2001; entered into force July 6, 2001. TIAS Parties: Australia United Kingdom United States Memorandum of understanding concerning the establishment and support of the allied command Europe tactical leadership programme at Florennes Air Base Belgium. Signed December 1, 2001; entered into force December 1, 2001. TIAS Parties: Belgium Denmark Germany Italy Netherlands Spain Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers, Europe United Kingdom United States Memorandum of understanding concerning the

establishment and support of the Allied Command Europe Tactical Leadership Programme at Florennes Air Base Belgium, with annexes and appendices. Signed November 15, 16, 23, 27 and December 7, 14 and 21, 2001; entered into force December 21, 2001. TIAS Parties: Belgium Denmark Germany Italy Netherlands United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding for future air capabilities projects. Signed at Gramat, London

and Paris March 26, April 5 and May 3, 2002; entered into force May 3, 2002. TIAS Parties: France Germany United Kingdom United States

Amendment: October 7 and 27, 2003.

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperative projects for the C-130J, with annexes. Signed at Washington, London, Rome and Canberra December 16, 2002 and January 7, 17 and 31, 2003; entered into force January 31, 2003. TIAS

Parties: Australia Italy United Kingdom United States

Amendment:

August 27, September 8, 15 and 29, 2004.

Memorandum of understanding concerning the mission training via distributed simulation (MTDS) project. Signed February 19, 20, 23, 26, 27 and March 4, 2004; entered into force March 4, 2004. TIAS Parties: Canada France Germany Italy Netherlands United Kingdom United States Memorandum of understanding concerning ex-

Memorandum of understanding concerning exchange of electric warship information. Signed at Washington, Paris and Bristol April 7 and 30 and May 6, 2004; entered into force May 6, 2004. TIAS

Parties: France United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding for the production of STANDARD missile, with annexes. Signed at Koblenz, The Hague and Washington October 20, 21 and December 3, 2004; entered into force December 3, 2004.

TIAS Parties: Germany Netherlands United States

Memorandum of understanding for STAND-ARD missile upgrades and improvements, with annexes. Signed at Koblenz, The Hague, Ottawa and Washington October 20, 21, November 15 and December 3, 2004; entered into force December 3, 2004. TIAS Parties: Canada Germany

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Netherlands United States

Framework memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation in post production support of harrier aircraft, with annexes. Signed October 4 and December 9, 2004 and January 10, 2005; entered into force December 9, 2004; for the United States January 10, 2005. TIAS Parties: Italy Spain United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the Multilateral Interoperability Program (MIP). Signed September 24, October 13 and 26, 2004 and January 6, 19 and February 3, 2005; entered into force February 3, 2005. TIAS

Parties: Canada France Germany Italy United Kingdom United States

Agreement amending the memorandum of understanding of January 25, 1991, as amended, concerning a cooperative project for the establishment, operation, management and support of the Munitions Safety Information Analysis Center (MSIAC). Signed at Brussels, Stockholm, Helsinki, Paris, Abbey Wood, Rome and Koblenz April 26, 27 and 28, May 19 and 24, June 2 and 8, July 11 and 28, August 10 and 31 and September 16, 2005; entered into force September 16, 2005. TIÂS Parties: Australia Canada Finland France Germany Italy Netherlands Norway

Spain Sweden United Kingdom United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the cooperative framework for the F/A 18 program, with annex. Signed at Washington and Tikkakoski August 23 and September 23, 2005; entered into force September 23, 2005. TIAS Parties: Australia Canada Finland Kuwait Spain Switzerland United States Agreement amending supplement number five of the memorandum of understanding of July 14, 1979 on a cooperative program for a medium multiple launch rocket system, with annexes. Signed at Washington, Koblenz, Paris, Rome and Bristol August 31, September 13, 21 and 23 and October 4, 2005; entered into force October 4, 2005. TIAS Parties: France Germany Italy United Kingdom United States

DESERTIFICATION

United Nations convention to combat desertification in those countries experiencing serious drought and/or desertification, particularly in Africa, with annexes. Done at Paris June 17, 1994; entered into force December 26, 1996; for the United States February 15, 2001 TIAS Parties: Afghanistan Albania Algeria¹ Andorra Angola Antigua and Barbuda Argentina Armenia Australia Austria¹ Azerbaijan Bahamas Bahrain Bangladesh Barbados Belarus Belgium Belize Benin Bhutan Bolivia Bosnia-Herzegovina Botswana Brazil Brunei Bulgaria Burkina Faso Burma Burundi Cambodia Cameroon Canada Cape Verde Central African Republic Chad Chile China Colombia Comoros Congo Congo, Democratic Republic of the Cook Islands Costa Rica Cote d'Ivoire Croatia

Cuba Cyprus Czech Republic Denmark Djibouti Dominica Dominican Republic East Timor Ecuador Egypt El Salvador Equatorial Guinea Eritrea Ethiopia European Community Fiji Finland France Gabon Gambia Georgia Germany Ghana Greece Grenada Guatemala 1 Guinea Guinea-Bissau Guyana Haiti Honduras Hungary Iceland India Indonesia Iran Ireland Israel Italy Jamaica Japan Jordan Kazakhstan Kenya Kiribati Korea, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Republic of Kuwait¹ Kyrgyz Republic Laos Latvia Lebanon Lesotho Liberia Libya Liechtenstein Lithuania Luxembourg Macedonia Madagascar Malawi Malaysia Maldives Mali Malta Marshall Islands Mauritania Mauritius Mexico Micronesia Moldova Monaco Mongolia Morocco Mozambique

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NOTES:

¹ With declaration(s).
² For the Kingdom in Europe.
³ Applicable to British Virgin Islands, Montserrat, St. Helena and Ascension Islands.
⁴ With understanding(s).

DIPLOMATIC AGENTS

(See under TERRORISM)

DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS

Vienna convention on diplomatic relations. Done at Vienna April 18, 1961; entered into force April 24, 1964; for the United States December 13, 1972 23 UST 3227; TIAS 7502; 500 UNTS 95. States which are parties: Afghanistan Albania Algeria Andorra Angola Argentina Armenia Australia¹ Austria Azerbaijan Bahamas. The Bahrain² Bangladesh Barbados Belarus 12 Belgium 1 Belize Benin Bhutan Bolivia Bosnia-Herzegovina Botswana² Brazil Bulgaria 12 Burkina Faso Burma Burundi Cambodia² Cameroon Canada 1 Cape Verde Central African Republic Chad Chile China²³⁴ Colombia Comoros Congo Congo, Democratic Republic of the Costa Rica Cote d'Ivoire Croatia Cuba² Cyprus Czech Republic Denmark ¹ Djibouti Dominica Dominican Republic East Timor Ecuador

Egypt² El Salvador Equatorial Guinea Eritrea Estonia Ethiopia 5 Fiji Finland France 1 Gabon Georgia German Democratic Republic 126 Germany, Federal Republic of 16 Ghana Greece 1 Grenada Guatemala 1 Guinea Guinea-Bissau Guyana Haiti¹ Holy See Honduras Hungary 1 Iceland India Indonesia Iran Iraq² Ireland 1 Israel Italy Jamaica Japan¹ Jordan Kazakhstan Kenva Kiribati Korea, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Republic of Kuwait 12 Kyrgyz Republic Laos Latvia Lebanon Lesotho Liberia Libya² Liechtenstein Lithuania Luxembourg 1 Macedonia Madagascar Malawi Malaysia Mali Malta¹² Marshall Islands Mauritania Mauritius Mexico Micronesia Moldova Monaco Mongolia¹² Morocco² Mozambique Namibia Nauru Nepal² Netherlands 17 New Zealand¹ Nicaragua Niger Nigeria

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Norway Oman¹ Pakistan Panama Papua New Guinea Paraguay Peru Philippines Poland¹ Portugal Qatar² Romania¹ Russian Federation 12 Rwanda St. Lucia St. Vincent and the Grenadines San Marino Sao Tome and Principe Saudi Arabia² Senegal Serbia and Montenegro Sevchelles Sierra Leone Singapore Slovak Republic 1 Slovenia Somalia South Africa Spain Sri Lanka Sudan² Suriname Swaziland Sweden Switzerland Syrian Arab Republic² Tajikistan Tanzania 1 Thailand Togo Tonga 1 Trinidad and Tobago Tunisia Turkev Turkmenistan Tuvalu Uganda Ukraine 12 United Arab Emirates 1 United Kingdom¹ United States Uruguay Uzbekistan Venezuela²

Vietnam, Socialist Republic of 2 Western Samoa Yemen (Aden)¹²⁸ Yemen (Sanaa)²⁸ Yugoslavia9 Zambia Zimbabwe NOTES: ¹With statement(s). ² With reservation(s). ³The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (TAIWAN) in Section 1. ⁴ Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in Section 1. ⁵ See note under ETHIOPIA in Section 1. ⁶See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL **REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.** ⁷Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba. ⁸See note under YEMEN in Section 1. ⁹ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1. Optional protocol to the Vienna convention on diplomatic relations concerning the compulsory settlement of disputes. Done at Vienna April 18, 1961; entered into force April 24, 1964; for the United States December 13, 1972. 23 UST 3374; TIAS 7502; 500 UNTS 241. States which are parties: Australia Austria Bahamas, The Belgium Bosnia-Herzegovina Botswana Bulgaria Cambodia Central African Republic Congo, Democratic Republic of the Costa Rica Denmark Dominican Republic Ecuador Estonia Fiji Finland France Gabon Germany, Federal Republic of 1 Guinea Hungary Iceland India Iran Iraq Italy Japan Kenya

Korea Kuwait Laos Liberia Liechtenstein Luxembourg Macedonia² Madagascar Malawi Malaysia Malta Mauritius Nepal Netherlands 3 New Zealand Nicaragua Niger Norway Oman Pakistan Panama Paraguay Philippines Serbia and Montenegro Seychelles Slovak Republic Slovenia Sri Lanka Suriname Sweden Switzerland Tanzania United Kingdom United States Yugoslavia⁴ NOTES: ¹See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL **REPUBLIC OF in Section 1.** ² With declaration. ³Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and

Aruba. ⁴ See note under YUGOSLAVIA in Section 1.

DISPUTES

(See INVESTMENT DISPUTES; PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES)

DRUGS

(See HEALTH; NARCOTIC DRUGS)