

Announcement

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GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC JOINS

UNIVERSAL COPYRIGHT CONVENTION

We are informed that on July 5, 1973, the German Democratic Republic deposited its instrument of accession to the Universal Copyright Convention. The Convention came into force for the German Democratic Republic three months after the deposit of the instrument of accession, that is, on October 5, 1973.

The version of the Convention to which the German Democratic Republic has adhered is that of September 6, 1952, which came into force on September 16, 1955. There are more than 60 other member countries, including the United States of America.