

Status of the African Nuclear Weapon-Free Zone Treaty

Signed at Cairo, Egypt: April 11, 1996

Entering into force on the date of deposit of the 28^o instrument of ratification

Depositary: Organization of African Unity

Status: July 17, 2003

| COUNTRY | SIGNATURE | DEPOSIT |
|--------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Algeria | April 11, 1996 | February 11, 1998 |
| Angola | April 11, 1996 | |
| Benin | April 11, 1996 | |
| Botswana | June 9, 1998 | June 16, 1999 |
| Burkina Faso | April 11, 1996 | August 27, 1998 |
| Burundi | April 11, 1996 | |
| Cameroon | April 11, 1996 | |
| Cape Verde | April 11, 1996 | |
| Central African Republic | April 11, 1996 | |
| Chad | April 11, 1996 | |
| Comoros | April 11, 1996 | |
| Congo | January 27, 1997 | |
| Côte d'Ivoire | April 11, 1996 | July 28, 1999 |

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|-------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Dem. Rep.Congo | April 11, 1996 | |
| Djibouti | April 11, 1996 | |
| Egypt | April 11, 1996 | |
| Equatorial Guinea | | February 19, 2003 (a) |
| Eritrea | April 11, 1996 | |
| Ethiopia | April 11, 1996 | |
| Gabon | April 11, 1996 | |
| Gambia | April 11, 1996 | November 16, 1996 |
| Ghana | April 11, 1996 | |
| Guinea | April 11, 1996 | January 21, 2000 |
| Guinea-Bissau | April 11, 1996 | |
| Kenya | April 11, 1996 | January 9, 2001 |
| Lesotho | April 11, 1996 | March 14, 2002 (a) |
| Liberia | July 9, 1996 | |
| Libya | April 11, 1996 | |
| Madagascar | | |
| Malawi | April 11, 1996 | |
| Mali | April 11, 1996 | July 22, 1999 |
| Mauritania | April 11, 1996 | February 24, 1998 |
| Mauritius | April 11, 1996 | April 24, 1996 |
| Morocco | April 11, 1996 | |
| Mozambique | April 11, 1996 | |
| Namibia | April 11, 1996 | |
| Niger | April 11, 1996 | |
| Nigeria | April 11, 1996 | June 18, 2001 |
| Rwanda | April 11, 1996 | |

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| Sao Tome & Principe | July 9, 1996 | |
| Senegal | April 11, 1996 | |
| Seychelles | July 9, 1996 | |
| Sierra Leone | April 11, 1996 | |
| Somalia | | |
| South Africa | April 11, 1996 | March 27, 1998 |
| Sudan | April 11, 1996 | |
| Swaziland | April 11, 1996 | July 17, 2000 |
| Tanzania | April 11, 1996 | June 19, 1998 |
| Togo | April 11, 1996 | July 18, 2000 |
| Tunisia | April 11, 1996 | |
| Uganda | April 11, 1996 | |
| Zambia | April 11, 1996 | |
| Zimbabwe | April 11, 1996 | April 6, 1998 |

"This treaty shall be open for signature by any State in the African Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone. It shall be subject to ratification. It shall enter into force on the date of deposit of the twenty-eighth instrument of ratification."

Protocol I

| COUNTRY | SIGNATURE | RATIFICATION | DEPOSIT |
|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| China | April 11, 1996 | September 6, 1996 | September 20, 1996 |
| France | April 11, 1996 | July 31, 1997 | October 10, 1997 |
| Russian Federation | November 5, 1996 | | |
| United Kingdom | April 11, 1996 | | |

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| United States | April 11, 1996 | | |
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Protocol II

| COUNTRY | SIGNATURE | RATIFICATION | DEPOSIT |
|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| China | April 11, 1996 | September 6, 1996 | September 20, 1996 |
| France | April 11, 1996 | July 31, 1997 | October 10, 1997 |
| Russian Federation | November 5, 1996 | | |
| United Kingdom | April 11, 1996 | | |
| United States | April 11, 1996 | | |

Protocol III

| COUNRTY | SIGNATURE | RATIFICATION | DEPOSIT |
|---------|----------------|---------------|------------------|
| France | April 11, 1996 | July 31, 1997 | October 10, 1997 |
| Spain | | | |

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