

FEDERAL DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

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Notification

to the States having participated at the Conference of plenipotentiaries for the establishment of a European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites ("Eumetsat"), held at Geneva on 24 May 1983

The Federal Department of Foreign Affairs has the honour to inform the States of the following :

On 6 October 1988, the Republic of Finland and, on 17 October 1988, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland have deposited their instrument of ratification of the Protocol on the Privileges and Immunities of the European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites ("Eumetsat"), concluded at Darmstadt on 1 December 1986. On 6 December 1988, the Kingdom of the Netherlands has signed, not subject to ratification, the said Protocol.

Six States being now bound by the aforementioned Protocol, it shall enter into force on 5 January 1989 for the Kingdom of Denmark, the Republic of Finland, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Kingdom of Norway, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Kingdom of Sweden.

Berne, 9 December 1988