



INTERNATIONAL
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FUND 1992

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**Notice of accession to the 1992 Fund Protocol
by Argentina**

In accordance with Regulation 4.6 of the Internal Regulations of the International Oil Pollution Compensation Fund 1992 (1992 Fund), the Director has the honour to notify Contracting States that an instrument of accession to the Protocol of 1992 to amend the International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage, 1971 (1992 Fund Protocol) was deposited by Argentina on 13 October 2000. The 1992 Fund Protocol will enter into force for Argentina on 13 October 2001.

The 62 States which have deposited instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession in respect of the 1992 Fund Protocol are listed overleaf.

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1992 Fund Member States

<i>46 States for which Fund Protocol is in force (and therefore Members of the 1992 Fund)</i>		
Algeria	France	Norway
Australia	Germany	Oman
Bahamas	Greece	Panama
Bahrain	Grenada	Philippines
Barbados	Iceland	Republic of Korea
Belgium	Ireland	Seychelles
Belize	Italy	Singapore
Canada	Jamaica	Spain
China (Hong Kong Special Administrative Region)	Japan	Sri Lanka
Croatia	Latvia	Sweden
Cyprus	Liberia	Tunisia
Denmark	Marshall Islands	United Arab Emirates
Dominican Republic	Mexico	United Kingdom
Finland	Monaco	Uruguay
	Netherlands	Vanuatu
	New Zealand	Venezuela
<i>16 States which have deposited instruments of accession, but for which the Fund Protocol does not enter into force until date indicated</i>		
Fiji		30 November 2000
Mauritius		6 December 2000
Tonga		10 December 2000
Poland		21 December 2000
Comoros		5 January 2001
Malta		6 January 2001
Kenya		2 February 2001
Trinidad and Tobago		6 March 2001
Russian Federation		20 March 2001
Georgia		18 April 2001
Antigua and Barbuda		14 June 2001
India		21 June 2001
Lithuania		27 June 2001
Slovenia		19 July 2001
Morocco		22 August 2001
Argentina		13 October 2001