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## CARRIAGE OF GOODS BY SEA ACTS 1974 AND 1981

#### CARRIAGE OF GOODS BY SEA (PARTIES TO CONVENTION) ORDER 1985

The above-named Order, a copy of which is attached, was made by the Governor in Council on 4<sup>th</sup> June, 1985.

The Carriage of Goods by Sea Acts 1974 and 1981 give effect in the Isle of Man to the 1968 Protocol to the International Convention for the Unification of certain Rules of Law relating to Bills of Lading 1924 ("the Hague-Visby Rules").

This Order, which revokes the Carriage of Goods by Sea (Parties to Convention) Order 1983 (G.C. 16/83), certifies the contracting States to the 1924 Convention as amended by the 1968 Protocol and the territories in respect of which they are contracting States

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In exercise of the powers conferred on the Governor in Council by section 2 of the Carriage of Goods by Sea Act 1974 <sup>(a)</sup>, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the following Order is hereby made:-

#### Citation and revocation

- 1.- (1) This Order may be cited as the Carriage of Goods by Sea (Parties to Convention) Order 1985.
- (2) The Carriage of Goods By Sea (Parties To Convention) Order 1983 (b) is hereby revoked.

#### Parties to Convention

2. It is hereby certified that the contracting States to the International Convention for the Unification of certain Rules of Law relating to Bills of Lading signed at Brussels on 25<sup>th</sup> August, 1924 (c), as amended by the Protocol signed at Brussels on 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 1968 (d), and the territories in respect of which they are respectively contracting States are as listed in the Schedule to this Order.

<sup>(</sup>a) 1974 c. 26

<sup>(</sup>b) G.C. 16/83

<sup>(</sup>c) Cmd. 3806.

<sup>(</sup>d) Cmd. 6974.

# **SCHEDULE**

Contracting States	Territories in respect of which they are respectively parties	
The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Great Britain and Northern Ireland	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
	Isle of Man	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
	Bermuda	1 <sup>st</sup> February 1981
	British Antarctic Territory	20th January 1984
	British Virgin Islands	20th January 1984
	Cayman Islands	20th January 1984
	Falkland Islands	20th January 1984
	Falkland Islands Dependances	20th January 1984
	Gibraltar	22 <sup>nd</sup> December 1977
	Hong Kong	1 <sup>st</sup> February 1981
	Montserrat	20th January 1984
i	Turks and Caicos Islands	20th January 1984
The Kingdom of Belgium	Belgium	6 <sup>th</sup> December 1978
The Kingdom of Denmark	Denmark	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
The Republic of Ecuador	Ecuador	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
The Arab Republic of Egypt	Egypt	30 <sup>th</sup> April 1983

Contracting States	Territories in respect of which they are respectively parties	
The Republic of Finland	Finland	1 <sup>st</sup> March 1985
The French Republic	France	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
The German Democratic Republic	German Democratic Republic	14 <sup>th</sup> May 1979
The Lebanese Republic	Lebanon	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
The Kingdom of the Netherlands	The Kingdom of the Netherlands in Europe	26 <sup>th</sup> June 1982
The Kingdom of Norway	Norway	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
The Polish People's Republic	Poland	12 <sup>th</sup> May 1980
The Republic of Singapore	Singapore	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
Spain	Spain	14 <sup>th</sup> February 1984
The Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	21st January 1982
The Kingdom of Sweden	Sweden	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
The Swiss Confederation	Switzerland	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977
The Syrian Arab Republic	Syria	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1977

Contracting States	Territories in respect of which they are respectively parties	Dates on which the Convention as amended came into force
The Kingdom of Tonga	Tonga	13 <sup>th</sup> September 1978

Made by the Governor in Council this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1985

P. Hulme

Government Secretary.