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Subject: **Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage (Paris, 2 November 2001) – Deposit of an instrument of acceptance by South Africa**

The Director-General of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, acting in her capacity as depositary, communicates the following information.

On 12 May 2015, the Director-General received the above-mentioned instrument.

In accordance with the terms of its Article 27, the aforementioned Convention will enter into force with respect to this State three months after the date of the deposit of its instrument, that is to say on 12 August 2015.