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Subject: Convention on the Means of Prohibiting and Preventing the Illicit Import, Export and Transfer of Ownership of Cultural Property (Paris, 14 November 1970) – Ratification by Iceland

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

On 9 November 2004, Iceland deposited with the Director-General its instrument of ratification of the above-mentioned Convention.

In accordance with the terms of its Article 21, the Convention will enter into force with respect to Iceland three months after the deposit of the instrument of ratification, that is to say on 9 February 2005.

This information is being sent to you in accordance with the provisions of Article 24 of the Convention.

For the attention of the treaty departments of ministries of foreign affairs and international organizations concerned.