

## **Diversity of Cultural Expressions**

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## CONFERENCE OF PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION ON THE PROTECTION AND PROMOTION OF THE DIVERSITY OF CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS

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Implementation and follow-up of the Convention: current state

- 1. At its fourth ordinary session the Committee took note of the current state of implementation and follow-up of the Convention and decided to bring it to the attention of the third ordinary session of the Conference of Parties (Decision 4.IGC 13). To that end it requested the Secretariat to prepare an information document taking account of its observations for the Conference of Parties (Decision 4.IGC 13).
- 2. In accordance with the Committee's observations, the Annex to this document is presented in tabular format and brings together (1) the articles of the Convention in respect of which the Conference of Parties decided that operational guidelines were required (guidelines approved, draft guidelines in the process of approval and articles not requiring guidelines), and (2) the articles in respect of which the Conference of Parties made no decision as to the requirement for operational guidelines.

ANNEX
IMPLEMENTATION AND FOLLOW-UP OF THE CONVENTION: CURRENT STATE

Article	Title	Articles in respect of which the Conference of Parties decided that operational guidelines were required			Articles in respect of which
		Approved operational guidelines	Draft operational guidelines in the process of approval	Articles not requiring operational guidelines	the Conference of Parties made no decision as to the requirement for operational guidelines
Article 1	Objectives				Х
Article 2	Guiding principles				Х
Article 3	Scope of application				Х
Article 4	Definitions				Х
Article 5	General rule regarding rights and obligations				Х
Article 6	Rights of parties at the national level				X
Article 7	Measures to promote cultural expressions	Х			
Article 8	Measures to protect cultural expressions	X			
Article 9	Information sharing and transparency		X		
Article 10	Education and public awareness		X		
Article 11	Participation of civil society	Х			
Article 12	Promotion of international cooperation			Х	
Article 13	Integration of culture in sustainable development	Х			
Article 14	Cooperation for development	Х			
Article 15	Collaborative arrangements	Х			

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Article 16	Preferential treatment for developing countries	х			
Article 17	International cooperation in situations of serious threat to cultural expressions	Х			
Article 18	International Fund for Cultural Diversity	Х			
Article 19	Exchange, analysis and dissemination of information		Х		
Article 20	Relationship to other treaties: mutual supportiveness, complementarity and non-subordination				Х
Article 21	International consultation and coordination				Х
Article 22	Conference of Parties				Х
Article 23	Intergovernmental Committee				Х
Article 24	UNESCO Secretariat				Х
Article 25	Settlement of disputes				Х
Article 26	Ratification, acceptance, approval or accession by Member States				х
Article 27	Accession				Х
Article 28	Point of contact				Х
Article 29	Entry into force				Х
Article 30	Federal or non-unitary constitutional systems				Х

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Article 31	Denunciation				х
Article 32	Depositary functions				х
Article 33	Amendments				х
Article 34	Authoritative texts				х
Article 35	Registration				X
Annex	Conciliation Procedure				x