STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1975 No. 1709

ARBITRATION

The Arbitration (Foreign Awards) Order 1975

Made - - - *22nd October* 1975

Coming into Operation *23rd December* 1975

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22nd day of October 1975

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas a Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards (hereinafter called "the New York Convention"(a)) is to be acceded to by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on 23rd December 1975:

And whereas it is provided by section 7(2) of the Arbitration Act 1975(b) (which Act provides for the enforcement of foreign awards under the New York Convention) that if Her Majesty by Order in Council declares that any State specified in the Order is a party to the New York Convention the Order shall, while in force, be conclusive evidence that that State is a party to that Convention:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, in pursuance of the power conferred on Her by the said Act, and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased to declare, and it is hereby declared, as follows:

1. This Order may be cited as the Arbitration (Foreign Awards) Order 1975, and shall come into operation on 23rd December 1975.

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The States listed in the Schedule to this Order are parties to the New York Convention.

N. E. Leigh.

(a) Cmnd. 1515. (b) 1975 c. 3. (c) 1889 c. 63.

SCHEDULE

NEW YORK CONVENTION STATES

Austria
Botswana
Bulgaria
Central African Republic
Cuba
Czechoslovakia
Dahomey
Denmark
Ecuador
Egypt
Finland
France (including territories of the French Republic)
Federal Republic of Germany
German Democratic Republic
Ghana
Greece
Hungary
India
Israel
Italy
Japan
Khmer Republic
Republic of Korea
Malagasy Republic
Mexico
Morocco
Netherlands (including Surinam and the Netherlands Antilles)
Niger
Nigeria
Norway
Philippines
Poland
Romania
Sri Lanka
Sweden
Switzerland
Syrian Arab Republic
Thailand
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
United Republic of Tanzania
United States of America (including territories for the international relations of which the United States of America is responsible)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order specifies the States which are parties to the 1958 New York Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards. Arbitral awards made in such States are enforceable in the United Kingdom under the Arbitration Act 1975.

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