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***Report of the Secretary General on follow up
and Coordination of Work in the Field of Human Rights***

1. The Nineteenth Session of the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers (ICFM) held in Cairo in 1990 approved "the Cairo Declaration on Human Rights in Islam" and called on Member States to seek guidance from it in the field of human rights.
2. The Third Extraordinary Islamic Summit Conference called for the drafting of an Islamic Charter on Human Rights with a view to finalizing and clarifying the Cairo Declaration on Human Rights in Islam, and also called for the speedy drafting of a Covenant on the Rights of Women in Islam.
3. The IGGE, following up the Cairo Declaration on Human Rights in Islam, held its Eleventh Session at the Headquarters of the OIC General Secretariat in Jeddah, on 13-15 Dhul Quida 1427H (4-6 December 2006) to continue the discussion of the OIC Draft Covenant on Combating Racial Discrimination.

The IGGE recommended that its work should come under the umbrella of the OIC Independent Permanent Human Rights Commission (IPHRC) in the Member States, which was endorsed by the 3rd Extraordinary Islamic Summit Conference held in Makkah Al-Mukarramah, once the Commission was set up. This is to make use of the Commission's institutional nature in accelerating and rationalizing the tasks entrusted to it with respect to the drafting of human rights-related covenants.

4. The Thirty-ninth Session of the Council of Foreign Ministers requested OIC Member States to sign and ratify, as soon as possible, the Covenant on the Rights of the Child in Islam. So far, only seven Member States have signed the Covenant while one has ratified it.
5. With regard to coordination among Member States, the Eighth Session of the Islamic Summit Conference adopted Resolution No. 51/8-P (IS) on Coordination among Member States in the field of human rights. In the operative paragraphs of the resolution, the Conference invited the Member States to carry out consultation, coordination, and cooperation with each other in the field of human rights at international conferences and meetings. It affirmed the necessity to align economic and social development with the development of, and respect for, human rights.
6. Resolution No. 1/39-LEG of the Thirty-ninth Session of the Council of Foreign Ministers (CFM) stressed the need for continued consultation and coordination

among the Member States in the field of human rights. It also commended the valuable efforts of the Secretary General during his visit to Geneva and his speech to the meeting of the Human Rights Council as well as the intensive consultations with senior officials of States and International Organizations regarding human rights and the valuable contribution of the two OIC working groups, and requested the Secretary General to find ways and means of communicating the OIC positions on the various issues of human rights to the relevant UN organs and agencies; to seek the follow-up of the Contact Group's task with relevant international organizations; and to mandate it to hold meetings at appropriate times in order to consider and discuss human rights issues so as to adopt a unified stand vis-à-vis issues under examination. Similarly, it called for the necessary vigilance and caution regarding the erroneous interpretations and defamation of Islamic Sharia.

7. The Fourth Session of the Extraordinary Islamic Summit held in Makkah Al Mukarramah Kingdom of Saudi Arabia stressed the need for collective action to project the true image of Islam and its noble values. It also welcomed the adoption by the Human Rights Council of Resolution 16/18 on combating intolerance, negative stereotyping and stigmatization of, and discrimination, incitement to violence and violence against, persons based on religion or belief as a step forward towards respecting multiculturalism. It called on Member States to participate in the programmes of the King Abdullah Bin Abdulaziz Al Saud Centre for Interreligious and Intercultural Dialogue established by the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia in Vienna in cooperation with the Republic of Austria and the Kingdom of Spain to promote interreligious and intercultural dialogue. It also called on them to participate in the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations co-chaired by the Republic of Turkey and the Kingdom of Spain. The session also welcomed the Saudi proposal for the establishment of a centre for dialogue among Islamic schools to be based in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, to arrive at a common voice. Its members will be appointed by the Islamic Summit Conference with proposal by the General Secretariat of the OIC and the Council of Foreign Ministers.
8. The 12th Session of the Islamic Summit Conference held in Cairo, Arab Republic of Egypt on 6 and 7 February 2013 recognized the importance of the Tunisian initiative for the establishment of an international constitutional court at the United Nations as a judicial consultative body mandated to ensure respect and development of the concepts of respect, democracy and the rule of law.
9. I submit the present report to the Fortieth Session of the Council of Foreign Ministers for appropriate decision.

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***Report of the Secretary General on the Signing/Ratification of,
(Accession to) the Charter, the Agreements, and Regulations Adopted
within the Framework of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation***

1- I continue to urge the Member States to accede to the various agreements and regulations adopted within the framework of the OIC so that the statutory quorum needed for those agreements to come into force may be established—thereby consolidating the ties of cooperation among Member States. The aforementioned agreements are as follows:

(A) **THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON ECONOMIC, TECHNICAL, AND COMMERCIAL COOPERATION:**

In accordance with the provisions of Article (13) of this Agreement, it comes into effect immediately after the deposition of instruments of its ratification by more than half the Member States of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC). So far, thirty-two (32) Member States have signed and deposited their instruments of ratification with the General Secretariat. The number of Member States which have only signed this Agreement, without ratifying it, is fifteen (15). Thereby, the Agreement has entered into force with effect from 18 August 2003.

(B) **THE AGREEMENT ON THE PROMOTION, PROTECTION, AND GUARANTEE OF INVESTMENTS IN THE MEMBER STATES:**

As per the provisions of Article (21), this Agreement came into force on 25 February 1988, three months after the deposit by ten Member States of their instruments of ratification with the General Secretariat. The number of Member States having deposited their instruments of ratification with the General Secretariat is twenty-seven (27), and the number of States having only signed the Agreement is fifteen (15).

(C) **THE STATUTE OF THE ISLAMIC CIVIL AVIATION COUNCIL (ICAC):**

In accordance with the provisions of Article (20), this Statute shall come into effect after its signing and/or ratification by ten (10) Member States. So far, only thirteen (13) Member States have signed the Statute and sixteen (16) have ratified it. In accordance with the above-mentioned Article, this Statute has entered into force as of 11/4/2004.

(D) **THE STATUTE OF THE ISLAMIC STATES ELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION (ISTU):**

As per the provisions of Article (15), this Statute shall come into effect after its ratification by fifteen (15) Member States. So far, only seventeen (17) States have ratified the Statute and only eleven (11) have signed it. This statute has entered into force as of 27/05/2010.

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(E) **THE AGREEMENT ON THE IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES OF THE ORGANIZATION OF ISLAMIC COOPERATION:**

In accordance with the provisions of Article (33), this Agreement shall come into force, in each Member State, as of the date of the deposit, by the respective State, of its instruments of accession to the Agreement with the General Secretariat.

So far, thirty-one (31) Member States have signed or ratified the Agreement. The Agreement is thereby considered to be in force in those Member States, as per the above-mentioned Article.

(F) **THE INTERNATIONAL ISLAMIC COURT OF JUSTICE (IICJ):**

In accordance with the provisions of Article (49), the Court's Statute shall enter into force following the deposit by two-thirds of the OIC Member States of their instruments of ratification with the General Secretariat. So far, only eighteen (18) Member States have ratified the Statute.

(G) **THE ISLAMIC COMMITTEE OF THE INTERNATIONAL CRESCENT (ICIC):**

As per the provisions of its Article (21), the Agreement establishing this Committee shall enter into force after the deposit of the instruments of ratification by one third of the OIC Member States. So far, only eight (8) States have signed and eighteen (18) other States have ratified the Agreement. Accordingly, the Agreement entered into force with effect from 12 June 2006, pursuant to Operative Paragraph 1 of Resolution No. 40/28-C, adopted by the Twenty-eighth Session of the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers (ICFM), which calculated that one third of Member States was (13) given that the number of Member States at the time the Agreement was approved was 38 Member States.

(H) **THE FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT ON THE TRADE PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM AMONG MEMBER STATES:**

In pursuance with the provisions of Article (18/1), this Agreement shall come into force as of the date of the deposit, by ten (10) OIC Member States, of their instruments of ratification with the General Secretariat.

Twelve (12) States have signed the Agreement and the General Secretariat has received the instruments of ratification of thirty (30) other States. The Agreement, therefore, entered into force as of 3/12/2003.

(I) **THE OIC CONVENTION ON COMBATING INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM:**

The 26th Session of the ICFM held in Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso, on 28 June-1 July 1999 approved the OIC Convention on Combating International Terrorism and called on the Member States to take the necessary measures to sign and ratify it.

Pursuant to the provisions of paragraph (1) of Article (40), the Convention shall enter into force thirty days as of the deposit of the seventh instrument of ratification or accession with the OIC General Secretariat. Nine (9) Member States have signed the Convention and nineteen (19) States have ratified it. The Convention thus entered into force as of 7/11/2002.

(J) **THE STATUTE OF THE STANDARDS AND METROLOGY INSTITUTE OF THE ISLAMIC COUNTRIES (SMIC):**

Pursuant to the provisions of Article (18), this Statute shall enter into force after ten (10) Member States ratify it. Fourteen (14) Member States have signed the Statute and fourteen (14) States have ratified it. Thereby, the Statute has entered into force as of 27/05/2010.

(K) **THE COVENANT ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD IN ISLAM:**

In accordance with the provisions of its Article No (23), this Covenant shall enter into force on the thirtieth day following the date of the deposit with the OIC General Secretariat of the twentieth instrument of ratification. So far only eight (8) Member States have signed the Covenant and one (1) has ratified it.

(L) **THE PROTOCOL ON THE PREFERENTIAL TARIFFS SCHEME FOR TPS-OIC (PRETAS):**

In accordance with its Article 12.2, this Protocol shall enter into force on the ninetieth day of receipt by the depository of instruments of ratification, acceptance, or approval by 10 governments of the participating Member States. So far, only seventeen (17) states have signed the Protocol and sixteen (16) states have ratified it. Thus the Protocol entered into force effective from 5/2/2010.

(M) **RULES OF ORIGIN OF THE TRADE PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM:**

In accordance with paragraph 2 of Article 33 of these Rules of Origin, they shall enter into force on the thirtieth day of receipt by the depository of the instruments of ratification, acceptance, or approval of 10 governments of the participating States. Subsequent accession to this Protocol by a participating State shall be deemed applicable and in force only one month as of the deposit of the instruments of ratification by this State. So far, only seventeen (17) States have signed the Rules of Origin and fifteen (15) states ratified them. The Rules thus entered into force as of 9/8/2011.

(N) **The Statute of the Organisation of Women Development in OIC Member States**

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 12.2 of this Statute, the Statute shall enter into force on the day following its ratification by fifteen (15) OIC Member States. So far, only eighteen (18) Member States signed the Statute and three (3) ratified it.

- 2- It appears from the above information that a number of agreements concluded within the framework of the OIC are facing difficulties due to the non-establishment of the statutory quorum of ratifications needed for their entry into force.
- 3- I hope that the 40h Session of the Council of Foreign Ministers will adopt appropriate resolutions to urge the Member States to sign/ratify these agreements to expedite their entry into force.
- 4- I hereby submit this report to the Fortieth Session of the Council of Foreign Ministers for appropriate decision thereon.

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ANNEX

A. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON ECONOMIC, TECHNICAL, AND COMMERCIAL COOPERATION:

1. Kingdom of Bahrain
2. People's Republic of Bangladesh
3. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
4. Republic of Cameroon
5. Arab Republic of Egypt
6. State of the United Arab Emirates
7. Republic of Guinea
8. Republic of Indonesia
9. Republic of Iraq
10. Islamic Republic of Iran
11. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
12. State of Kuwait
13. Libya
14. Malaysia
15. Republic of Mali
16. Kingdom of Morocco
17. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
18. Republic of Niger
19. Sultanate of Oman
20. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
21. State of Palestine
22. State of Qatar
23. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
24. Republic of Senegal
25. Syrian Arab Republic
26. Republic of Tunisia
27. Republic of Turkey
28. Republic of Uganda
29. Republic of Lebanon
30. People's Democratic Republic of Algeria.
31. Republic of Gabon.
32. Republic of the Gambia

B. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON ECONOMIC, TECHNICAL, AND COMMERCIAL COOPERATION:

1. Burkina Faso
2. Republic of Djibouti
3. Republic of Maldives
4. Republic of Somalia
5. Republic of The Sudan
6. Republic of Yemen
7. Republic of Chad
8. Republic of Tajikistan
9. Federal Republic of Nigeria
10. Republic of Azerbaijan
11. Republic of Sierra Leone.
12. Cote d'Ivoire
13. Republic of Guinea Bissau
14. Islamic Republic of Afghanistan
15. Republic of Benin

C. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE AGREEMENT ON THE PROMOTION, PROTECTION, AND GUARANTEE OF INVESTMENTS:

1. Arab Republic of Egypt
2. Republic of Indonesia
3. State of Kuwait
4. Republic of Mali
5. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
6. Republic of Uganda
7. State of Palestine
8. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
9. Republic of Somalia
10. Republic of Tunisia
11. State of the United Arab Emirates
12. Republic of Turkey
13. Islamic Republic of Iran.
14. Republic of Burkina Faso
15. The Great Socialist People's Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
16. Kingdom of Morocco
17. Sultanate of Oman
18. Republic of Senegal
19. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan.
20. Republic of The Sudan
21. Republic of Cameroon
22. State of Qatar
23. Republic of Guinea
24. Republic of Lebanon.
25. Republic of Gabon
26. Republic of the Gambia
27. Syrian Arab Republic

D. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE AGREEMENT ON THE PROMOTION, PROTECTION, AND GUARANTEE OF INVESTMENTS:

1. Republic of Djibouti
2. Malaysia
3. Republic of Yemen
4. Republic of Tajikistan
5. Republic of Albania
6. People's Republic of Bangladesh
7. Federal Republic of Nigeria
8. Republic of Sierra Leone.
9. Cote d'Ivoire
10. Guinea Bissau
11. Islamic Republic of Afghanistan
12. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
13. Republic of Benin
14. Republic of Niger
15. Islamic Republic of Mauritania

E1. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE STATUTE OF THE ISLAMIC STATES TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION (ISTU):

1. People's Republic of Bangladesh
2. Arab Republic of Egypt
3. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
4. State of Palestine
5. The Great Socialist People's Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
6. Republic of Senegal
7. State of the United Arab Emirates
8. Islamic Republic of Iran
9. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
10. Republic of Tunisia
11. Republic of Guinea
12. Republic of The Sudan
13. People's Democratic Republic of Algeria.
14. Republic of Lebanon
15. Republic of Somalia
16. Republic of the Gambia
17. Republic of Djibouti

E2. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE STATUTE OF THE ISLAMIC STATES TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION (ISTU):

1. Kingdom of Morocco
2. Federal Republic of Nigeria
3. Republic of Yemen
4. Republic of Iraq
5. Republic of Azerbaijan

6. Republic of Sierra Leone.
7. Republic of Guinea Bissau
8. Republic of Djibouti
9. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
10. Republic of Benin
11. Republic of Niger

F1. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE STATUTE OF THE ISLAMIC CIVIL AVIATION COUNCIL (ICAC):

1. State of the United Arab Emirates
2. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
3. Republic of Senegal
4. Republic of Tunisia
5. People's Republic of Bangladesh
6. Republic of Iraq
7. State of Qatar
8. Republic of Guinea
9. Syrian Arab Republic
10. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
11. Kingdom of Morocco
12. Republic of The Sudan.
13. Republic of Yemen.
14. Republic of Somalia
15. Republic of The Gambia
16. State of Palestine

F2. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE STATUTE OF THE ISLAMIC CIVIL AVIATION COUNCIL (ICAC):

1. Republic of Niger
2. Republic of Chad
3. Islamic Republic of Iran
4. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
5. Federal Republic of Nigeria
6. Burkina Faso
7. Republic of Sierra Leone
8. Republic of Guinea Bissau
9. Republic of Djibouti
10. Republic of Mali
11. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
12. Republic of Benin
13. Islamic Republic of Mauritania

G. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE SIGNED OR RATIFIED THE AGREEMENT ON THE IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES OF THE OIC:

1. Republic of Guinea
2. Republic of Mali
3. Sultanate of Oman
4. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
5. State of Kuwait
6. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
7. Republic of Somalia
8. Libya
9. Arab Republic of Egypt
10. Republic of Tunisia
11. Republic of Senegal
12. State of the United Arab Emirates
13. Kingdom of Morocco
14. Republic of Iraq
15. State of Qatar
16. Islamic Republic of Iran
17. State of Palestine
18. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
19. Republic of The Sudan
20. Republic of Yemen
21. Republic of Gabon
22. Republic of The Gambia
23. Burkina Faso
24. Kyrgyz Republic
25. Republic of Djibouti
26. Republic of Tajikistan
27. Republic of Benin
28. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
29. Republic of Niger
30. Republic of Benin
31. Islamic Republic of Mauritania

H. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE AGREEMENT ESTABLISHING THE ISLAMIC COMMITTEE OF THE INTERNATIONAL CRESCENT (ICIC):

1. State of Kuwait
2. Republic of Iraq
3. Republic of Turkey
4. Republic of Guinea
5. Republic of Djibouti
6. Republic of Somalia
7. State of Palestine
8. Republic of Benin

I. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED OR ACCEDED TO THE AGREEMENT ESTABLISHING THE ISLAMIC COMMITTEE OF THE INTERNATIONAL CRESCENT (ICIC):

1. Republic of Tunisia
2. Islamic Republic of Iran
3. Syrian Arab Republic
4. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
5. Republic of Mali
6. Libya
7. State of Qatar
8. Republic of The Sudan
9. State of the United Arab Emirates
10. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
11. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
12. Republic of Senegal
13. Republic of Niger
14. Republic of Yemen
15. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
16. Kingdom of Morocco
17. Republic of Iraq
18. People's Democratic Republic of Algeria.

J. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT ON THE TRADE PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM AMONG OIC MEMBER STATES:

1. Republic of Iraq.
2. Federal Republic of Nigeria
3. Republic of the Sudan
4. Republic of Niger
5. Burkina Faso
6. Republic of Chad
7. Republic of Sierra Leone
8. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
9. Republic of Guinea Bissau
10. Cote d'Ivoire
11. Republic of Benin
12. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros

K. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED/ACCEDED TO THE FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT ON THE TRADE PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM AMONG OIC MEMBER STATES:

1. Republic of Turkey
2. Arab Republic of Egypt
3. Libya
4. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
5. Islamic Republic of Iran.
6. Republic of Senegal

7. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
8. Republic of Tunisia
9. Republic of Guinea
10. Republic of Uganda
11. Republic of Cameroon
12. Republic of Lebanon
13. Malaysia
14. State of the United Arab Emirates
15. People's Republic of Bangladesh
16. Syrian Arab Republic
17. Republic of Maldives
18. Kingdom of Morocco
19. State of Qatar
20. Sultanate of Oman
21. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
22. Republic of Gabon
23. Kingdom of Bahrain
24. Republic of the Gambia
25. Republic of Somalia
26. State of Palestine
27. Republic of Iraq
28. Republic of Indonesia
29. Republic of Djibouti
30. State of Kuwait

L. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE OIC CONVENTION ON COMBATING INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM:

1. Republic of Uganda
2. Republic of Sierra Leone
3. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
4. Republic of Benin
5. Syrian Arab Republic
6. Republic of Somalia
7. Republic of Djibouti
8. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
9. Islamic Republic of Mauritania

M. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED/ACCEDED TO THE OIC CONVENTION ON COMBATING INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM:

1. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
2. Arab Republic of Egypt
3. State of Palestine
4. Sultanate of Oman
5. Republic of Tunisia
6. Republic of Mali
7. Kingdom of Bahrain
8. Republic of The Sudan
9. Republic of Guinea

10. State of Qatar
11. Republic of Niger
12. Burkina Faso
13. State of the United Arab Emirates
14. People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
15. Libya
16. Republic of Iraq
17. Republic of the Gambia
18. Republic of Djibouti
19. Islamic Republic of Iran

N. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE STATUTE OF THE STANDARDS AND METROLOGY INSTITUTE OF ISLAMIC COUNTRIES (SMIIC):

1. Syrian Arab Republic
2. State of Palestine
3. Burkina Faso
4. Republic of Azerbaijan
5. State of the United Arab Emirates
6. Republic of The Gambia
7. Republic of Yemen
8. Republic of Senegal
9. Republic of Sierra Leone
10. Republic of Guinea Bissau
11. Federal Republic of Nigeria
12. Republic of Djibouti
13. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
14. Republic of Benin

O. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED/ACCEDED TO THE STATUTE OF THE STANDARDS AND METROLOGY INSTITUTE OF THE ISLAMIC COUNTRIES (SMIIC):

1. Republic of Guinea
2. Republic of Cameroon
3. Republic of the Sudan
4. Republic of Mali
5. Kingdom of Morocco
6. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
7. People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
8. Libya
9. United Arab Emirates
10. Republic of Tunisia
11. Republic of Somalia
12. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
13. Republic of Turkey
14. Republic of The Gambia

P. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED OR ACCEDED TO THE STATUTE OF THE INTERNATIONAL ISLAMIC COURT OF JUSTICE (IICJ)

1. State of Kuwait
2. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
3. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
4. Kingdom of Bahrain
5. Libya
6. State of Qatar
7. Arab Republic of Egypt
8. Republic of Maldives
9. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
10. Republic of The Sudan
11. Republic of Somalia
12. Republic of Djibouti
13. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
14. Republic of Chad
15. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
16. Republic of The Gambia
17. Republic of Niger
18. State of Palestine

R. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE SIGNED THE COVENANT ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD IN ISLAM

1. Republic of The Gambia
2. Republic of Somalia
3. Republic of Djibouti
4. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
5. Republic of Benin
6. Republic of Niger
7. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
8. State of Palestine

S. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE COVENANT ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD IN ISLAM

1. Republic of The Gambia

T. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE SIGNED THE PROTOCOL ON THE PREFERENTIAL TARIFFS SCHEME OF THE TRADE PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM:

1. Arab Republic of Egypt
2. Republic of Cameroon
3. Republic of Guinea
4. Burkina Faso
5. Republic of Guinea Bissau
6. Federal Republic of Nigeria
7. Republic of Sierra Leone
8. Republic of Tunisia

9. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
10. State of Kuwait
11. Republic of Djibouti
12. Republic of Benin
13. Republic of Niger
14. Cote d'Ivoire
15. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
16. Republic of Indonesia
17. Republic of The Sudan

T. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED/ACCEDED TO THE PROTOCOL ON THE PREFERENTIAL TARIFFS SCHEME OF THE TRADE PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM:

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| 1. Malaysia | 2. Syrian Arab Republic |
| 3. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan | 4. Republic of Turkey |
| 5. State of Qatar | 6. State of the UAE |
| 7. Islamic Republic of Pakistan | 8. Sultanate of Oman |
| 9. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia | 10. Kingdom of Bahrain |
| 11. People's Republic of Bangladesh. | 12. Republic of Somalia |
| 13. Islamic Republic of Iran | 14. State of Palestine |
| 15. Republic of The Gambia | 16. Kingdom of Morocco |
| 17. Kingdom of Bahrain | |

U. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE ONLY SIGNED THE RULES OF ORIGIN OF THE PREFERENTIAL TRADE SYSTEM:

1. Republic of Cameroon
2. Republic of Guinea
3. State of Kuwait
4. Republic of Tunisia
5. Burkina Faso
6. Federal Republic of Nigeria
7. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
8. Republic of Sierra Leone
9. Republic Guinea Bissau
10. Republic of Djibouti
11. Republic of Indonesia
12. Republic of Benin
13. Republic of Niger
14. Republic of The Sudan
15. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
16. Cote d'Ivoire

V. LIST OF STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE RULES OF ORIGIN OF THE TRADE PREFERENTIAL SYSTEM:

1. State of the United Arab Emirates
2. Malaysia
3. Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
4. Sultanate of Oman
5. Republic of Turkey
6. State of Qatar

7. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
8. Syrian Arab Republic
9. Republic of Somalia
10. State of Palestine
11. People's Republic of Bangladesh
12. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
13. Republic of the Gambia
14. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
15. Kingdom of Morocco

W. **LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE SIGNED THE OIC CHARTER:**

1. Kingdom of Bahrain
2. Republic of Indonesia
3. Republic of Uganda
4. Republic of Chad
5. Republic of Sudan
6. Republic of The Gambia
7. Republic of Maldives
8. Republic of Sierra Leone
9. Republic of Iraq
10. Republic of Niger
11. People's Republic of Bangladesh
12. Republic of Gabon
13. Republic of Mali
14. Republic of Guinea
15. Republic of Guinea Bissau
16. Republic of Surinam
17. Islamic Republic of the Union of Comoros
18. Republic of Yemen
19. Republic of Turkey
20. Republic of Tunisia
21. People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
22. State of Kuwait
23. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
24. State of Palestine
25. State of the United Arab Emirates
26. Sultanate of Oman
27. Malaysia
28. Republic of Senegal
29. State of Qatar
30. Republic of Djibouti
31. Federal Republic of Nigeria
32. Republic of Azerbaijan
33. Islamic Republic of Afghanistan
34. Republic of Cameroon
35. Libya
36. Cote d'Ivoire
37. Republic of Tajikistan
38. Syrian Arab Republic
39. Islamic Republic of Mauritania

40. Burkina Faso
41. Republic of Somalia
42. Republic of Kazakhstan
43. Islamic Republic of Iran
44. Brunei Darussalam
45. Republic of Mozambique
46. Republic of Benin
47. Kyrgyz Republic
48. Republic of Guyana
49. Arab Republic of Egypt*
50. Islamic Republic of Pakistan*
51. Kingdom of Morocco*

*(*Countries that have ratified without signing)*

X. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE OIC CHARTER

1. Republic of Senegal
2. Republic of Maldives
3. Republic of Gabon
4. Malaysia
5. Republic of Niger
6. State of the United Arab Emirates
7. Republic of Guinea
8. Republic of Tajikistan
9. Libya
10. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
11. People's Republic of Bangladesh
12. Arab Republic of Egypt
13. Republic of Uganda
14. Kingdom of Bahrain
15. Republic of Djibouti
16. Republic of Azerbaijan
17. State of Qatar
18. Kingdom of Morocco
19. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
20. Republic of the Gambia
21. Republic of Kazakhstan
22. Republic of Tunisia
23. Republic of the Sudan
24. Kyrgyz Republic
25. Republic of Turkey
26. Republic of Chad
27. People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
28. Islamic Republic of Afghanistan
29. State of Palestine

Y. LIST OF MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE SIGNED THE STATUTE OF THE ORGANIZATION OF WOMEN DEVELOPMENT IN THE OIC MEMBER STATES

1. Arab Republic of Egypt
2. Republic of Mali
3. State of the United Arab Emirates
4. Republic of Djibouti
5. Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros
6. Republic of Benin
7. Republic of Niger
8. Islamic Republic of Mauritania
9. Republic of Indonesia
10. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
11. Republic of The Gambia
12. Libya
13. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
14. Republic of Turkey
15. Republic of Guinea
16. Republic of Chad
17. State of Kuwait
18. State of Palestine.

Z. LIST OF THE MEMBER STATES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE STATUTE OF THE ORGANIZATION OF WOMEN DEVELOPMENT IN THE OIC MEMBER STATES

1. Republic of Gabon
2. Islamic Republic of Pakistan
3. Republic of The Gambia

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