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Notification
to the Signatory States of the Convention on Jurisdiction
and the Enforcement of Judgements in Civil and Commercial Matters,
concluded at Lugano on 16 September 1988

Invitation to the Republic of Estonia to accede to the Convention

By a note dated 17 February 2000, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany addressed a request to the Swiss Federal Council tending to invite the Republic of Estonia to accede to the Convention, pursuant to its Article 62, paragraph 1 (b).

By a note dated 9 June 2000; the Republic of Estonia let the depositary have the contents of the communications it intends to make in accordance with Article 63 of the Convention.

Referring to Article 62 of the Convention, the Swiss Federal Council transmits a copy of the latter note to the Signatory States of the Convention and asks them to inform it if they accept that the Republic of Estonia be invited to deposit its instrument of accession.

The depositary shall formally invite the Republic of Estonia to accede to the Convention only as it has obtained the unanimous agreement of the Signatory States.

The present notification is made by the Swiss Federal Council in its capacity as depositary of the Convention.

Enclosure: - Note of 9 June 2000 and Annex

Berne, 17 August 2000

