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**INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE SAFETY OF LIFE
AT SEA, 1974, AS AMENDED**

**Agreement concerning specific stability requirements for ro-ro passenger ships undertaking
regular scheduled international voyages between or to or from designated ports in North West
Europe and the Baltic Sea**

Ratification by Finland

The Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization, acting in his capacity as depositary, communicates the following:

On 1 October 1996, the instrument of ratification by the Republic of Finland to the above-mentioned Agreement was deposited with the Secretary-General.

In accordance with its article 8, the Agreement will enter into force for Finland on 1 April 1997.

As of 1 October 1996 the following States had expressed their consent to be bound by the Agreement:

State	Date of signature or deposit of instrument
Denmark (signature)	14 August 1996
Finland (ratification)	1 October 1996
Ireland (signature)	1 July 1996
Norway (signature) ¹	25 September 1996
Sweden (signature)	14 August 1996
United Kingdom (signature)	1 July 1996

¹Accompanied by a statement