

The Hague Convention Abolishing the Requirement for Legalisation for Foreign Public Documents, the Apostille convention

State	Entry into Force	Apostille not recognised in
 Albania	9 May 2004	Belgium, Germany, Greece and Spain
 Andorra	31 Dec 1996	
 Antigua and Barbuda	1 Nov 1981	
 Argentina	18 Feb 1988	
 Armenia	14 Oct 1994	
 Australia	16 Mar 1995	
 Austria	13 Jan 1968	
 Azerbaijan	2 Mar 2005	Germany
 Bahamas	10 Jul 1973	
 Bahrain	31 Dec 2013	
 Barbados	30 Nov 1966	
 Belarus	31 May 1992	
 Belgium	9 Feb 1973	
 Belize	11 Apr 1993	
 Bosnia and Herzegovina	6 Mar 1992	
 Botswana	30 Sep 1966	
 Brunei	3 Dec 1987	
 Bulgaria	29 Apr 2001	
 Cape Verde	13 Feb 2010	
 Colombia	30 Jan 2001	
 Cook Islands	30 Apr 2005	
 Costa Rica	14 Dec 2011	
 Croatia	8 Dec 1991	
 Cyprus	30 Apr 1973	
 Czech Republic	16 Mar 1999	
 Kingdom of Denmark	26 Dec 2006	
 Dominica	3 Nov 1978	
 Dominican Republic	30 Aug 2009	Austria, Belgium, Germany and the Netherlands
 Ecuador	2 Apr 2005	
 El Salvador	31 May 1996	
 Estonia	30 Sep 2001	
 Fiji	10 Oct 1970	
 Finland	26 Aug 1986	
 France	24 Jan 1965	
 Georgia	14 May 2007	Greece
 Germany	13 Feb 1966	
 Greece	18 May 1985	

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 Grenada	7 Apr 2002	
 Honduras	30 Dec 2004	
 Hong Kong	25 Apr 1965	
 Hungary	18 Jan 1973	
 Iceland	27 Nov 2004	
 India	14 Jul 2005	Germany
 Ireland	9 Mar 1999	
 Israel	14 Aug 1978	
 Italy	11 Feb 1978	
 Japan	27 Jul 1970	
 Kazakhstan	30 Jan 2001	
 Kyrgyzstan	31 Jul 2011	Austria, Belgium, Germany and Greece
 Latvia	30 Jan 1996	
 Lesotho	4 Dec 1966	
 Liberia	8 Feb 1996	Belgium, Germany and the United States
 Liechtenstein	17 Sep 1972	
 Lithuania	19 Jul 1997	
 Luxembourg	3 Jun 1979	
 Macau	4 Feb 1969	
 Macedonia	17 Nov 1991	
 Malawi	2 Dec 1967	
 Malta	3 Mar 1968	
 Marshall Islands	14 Aug 1992	
 Mauritius	12 Mar 1968	
 Mexico	14 Aug 1995	
 Moldova	16 Mar 2007	Germany
 Monaco	31 Dec 2002	
 Mongolia	31 Dec 2009	Austria, Belgium, Finland, Germany and Greece
 Montenegro	3 Jun 2006	
 Namibia	30 Jan 2001	
 Kingdom of the Netherlands	8 Oct 1965	
 New Zealand	22 Nov 2001	
 Nicaragua	14 May 2013	
 Niue	2 Mar 1999	
 Norway	29 Jul 1983	
 Oman	30 Jan 2012	
 Panama	4 Aug 1991	
 Peru	30 Sep 2010	Germany and Greece
 Poland	14 Aug 2005	

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 Portugal	4 Feb 1969	
 Romania	13 Mar 2001	
 Russia	31 May 1992	
 Saint Kitts and Nevis	14 Dec 1994	
 Saint Lucia	31 Jul 2002	
 Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	27 Oct 1979	
 Samoa	13 Sep 1999	
 San Marino	13 Feb 1995	
 São Tomé and Príncipe	13 Sep 2008	
 Serbia	27 Apr 1992	
 Seychelles	31 Mar 1979	
 Slovakia	18 Feb 2002	
 Slovenia	25 Jun 1991	
 South Africa	30 Apr 1995	
 South Korea	14 Jul 2007	
 Spain	25 Sep 1978	
 Suriname	25 Nov 1975	
 Swaziland	6 Sep 1968	
 Sweden	1 May 1999	
 Switzerland	11 Mar 1973	
 Tonga	4 Jun 1970	
 Trinidad and Tobago	14 Jul 2000	
 Turkey	29 Sep 1985	
 Ukraine	22 Dec 2003	
 United Kingdom	24 Jan 1965	
 United States	15 Oct 1981	
 Uruguay	14 Oct 2012	
 Uzbekistan	15 Apr 2012	Austria, Belgium, Germany and Greece
 Vanuatu	30 Jul 1980	
 Venezuela	16 Mar 1999	