



## OECD Convention on Combating Bribery of Foreign Public Officials in International Business Transactions: Ratification Status as of April 2012

Country	Deposit of instrument of ratification/ acceptance/ approval	Entry into force of the Convention	Entry into force of implementing legislation
<b>Argentina</b>	8 February 2001	9 April 2001	10 November 1999
<b>Australia</b>	19 October 1999	18 December 1999	17 December 1999
<b>Austria</b>	20 May 1999	19 July 1999	1 October 1998
<b>Belgium</b>	27 July 1999	25 September 1999	3 April 1999
<b>Brazil</b>	24 August 2000	23 October 2000	11 June 2002
<b>Bulgaria</b>	22 December 1998	15 February 1999	29 January 1999
<b>Canada</b>	17 December 1998	15 February 1999	14 February 1999
<b>Chile</b>	18 April 2001	17 June 2001	8 October 2002
<b>Czech Republic</b>	21 January 2000	21 March 2000	9 June 1999
<b>Denmark</b>	5 September 2000	4 November 2000	1 May 2000
<b>Estonia</b>	14 December 2004	12 February 2005	1 July 2004
<b>Finland</b>	10 December 1998	15 February 1999	1 January 1999
<b>France</b>	31 July 2000	29 September 2000	29 September 2000
<b>Germany</b>	10 November 1998	15 February 1999	15 February 1999
<b>Greece</b>	5 February 1999	15 February 1999	1 December 1998
<b>Hungary</b>	4 December 1998	15 February 1999	1 March 1999
<b>Iceland</b>	17 August 1998	15 February 1999	30 December 1998
<b>Ireland</b>	22 September 2003	21 November 2003	26 November 2001
<b>Israel</b>	11 March 2009 (accession instrument)	10 May 2009	21 July 2008
<b>Italy</b>	15 December 2000	13 February 2001	26 October 2000
<b>Japan</b>	13 October 1998	15 February 1999	15 February 1999
<b>Korea</b>	4 January 1999	15 February 1999	15 February 1999
<b>Luxembourg</b>	21 March 2001	20 May 2001	11 February 2001
<b>Mexico</b>	27 May 1999	26 July 1999	18 May 1999
<b>Netherlands</b>	12 January 2001	13 March 2001	1 February 2001
<b>New Zealand</b>	25 June 2001	24 August 2001	3 May 2001
<b>Norway</b>	18 December 1998	15 February 1999	1 January 1999
<b>Poland</b>	8 September 2000	7 November 2000	4 February 2001
<b>Portugal</b>	23 November 2000	22 January 2001	9 June 2001
<b>Russian Federation</b>	17 February 2012	17 April 2012	16 May 2011
<b>Slovak Republic</b>	24 September 1999	23 November 1999	1 November 1999
<b>Slovenia</b>	6 September 2001 (accession instrument)	5 November 2001	23 January 1999
<b>South Africa</b>	19 June 2007 (accession instrument)	18 August 2007	27 April 2004
<b>Spain</b>	14 January 2000	14 March 2000	2 February 2000
<b>Sweden</b>	8 June 1999	7 August 1999	1 July 1999
<b>Switzerland</b>	31 May 2000	30 July 2000	1 May 2000
<b>Turkey</b>	26 July 2000	24 September 2000	11 January 2003
<b>United Kingdom</b>	14 December 1998	15 February 1999	14 February 2002
<b>United States</b>	8 December 1998	15 February 1999	10 November 1998