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**CONVENTION ON THE INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS
FOR PREVENTING COLLISIONS AT SEA, 1972**

Accession by Bosnia and Herzegovina

The Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization has the honour to refer to the Convention on the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972, and to state that, in accordance with article II(3), accession by Bosnia and Herzegovina was effected by the deposit of an instrument on 22 September 2020.

The Convention entered into force for Bosnia and Herzegovina on 22 September 2020, in accordance with article IV(3).

There are, at present, 161 Contracting States to the Convention, representing approximately 98.97%* of the gross tonnage of the world's merchant shipping.

* Tonnage calculated as of 22 September 2020 based on world tonnage figures provided by IHS Maritime and Trade current as of 31 December 2019.