



***2023 Treaty Event:
Towards Universal Participation in Multilateral Environmental
Agreements for a Healthy Planet
Daily Report***

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Today sixty-eight (68) **treaty actions** were effected with the Secretary-General by sixty-seven (67) States and one (1) International Organization; ten (10) States participated at the level of **Head of State**; ten (10) States participated at the level of **Head of Government**, and forty-seven (47) States participated at the **ministerial level**.

There were a total of sixty-eight (68) signatures. A breakdown of the treaty actions is provided below:

Law of the Sea

- **Agreement under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea on the Conservation and Sustainable Use of Marine Biological Diversity of Areas beyond National Jurisdiction (New York, 19 June 2023)**
(Signature by Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Bulgaria, Cabo Verde, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Honduras, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mauritius, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Nepal, Netherlands (Kingdom of the), New Zealand, Norway, Palau, Panama, Philippines, Portugal, Romania, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Spain, the State of Palestine, Sweden, Timor-Leste, Tuvalu, United Kingdom, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Viet Nam and the European Union)

