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## Withdrawal of the United Kingdom's reservations

The United Kingdom has withdrawn its reservation against application of the Uniform Rules concerning the Contract of Use of Infrastructure in International Traffic (CUI UR – Appendix E to COTIF).

On 25 July 2017, the United Kingdom deposited its instrument of withdrawal of the declaration with the Secretary General of OTIF. The withdrawal takes effect on 28 July 2017.

The United Kingdom declared in June 2006 that it would not apply, among others, the CUI UR, Appendix E to COTIF. OTIF's regulations now apply homogeneously to all Member States.

The Secretariat welcomes this withdrawal, which homogenises application of the Uniform Rules of COTIF.

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