

No. 32032

**UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN
AND NORTHERN IRELAND**

and

NETHERLANDS

**Agreement to supplement and facilitate the operation of the
Convention of the Council of Europe on laundering,
search, seizure and confiscation of the proceeds from
crime, concluded at Strasbourg on 8 November 1990.
Signed at London on 15 September 1993**

Authentic texts: English and Dutch.

*Registered by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
on 3 July 1995.*

**ROYAUME-UNI DE GRANDE-BRETAGNE
ET D'IRLANDE DU NORD**

et

PAYS-BAS

**Accord pour compléter et faciliter l'opération de la Conven-
tion du Conseil de l'Europe relative au blanchiment, au
dépistage, à la saisie et à la confiscation des produits du
crime, conclue à Strasbourg le 8 novembre 1990. Signé à
Londres le 15 septembre 1993**

Textes authentiques : anglais et néerlandais.

*Enregistré par le Royaume-Uni de Grande-Bretagne et d'Irlande du Nord
le 3 juillet 1995.*

AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS TO SUPPLEMENT AND FACILITATE THE OPERATION OF THE CONVENTION OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE ON LAUNDERING, SEARCH, SEIZURE AND CONFISCATION OF THE PROCEEDS FROM CRIME, CONCLUDED AT STRASBOURG ON 8 NOVEMBER 1990²

The Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, hereinafter referred to as the Parties;

Desirous to establish rules to supplement and facilitate the operation, in their mutual relations, of the Convention of the Council of Europe on Laundering, Search, Seizure and Confiscation of the Proceeds from Crime of 8 November 1990;²

Having regard to Article 39, paragraph 2, of the aforementioned Convention;

Have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE I

In this Agreement the word “Convention” means:

the Convention of the Council of Europe on Laundering, Search, Seizure and Confiscation of the Proceeds from Crime, concluded at Strasbourg on 8 November 1990, subject to such reservations and declarations as have been made by the Parties.

ARTICLE II

(Re Article I of the Convention)

“Confiscation” includes a court order obliging the offender to pay a sum of money representing the assessed value of all or part of his proceeds from offences, including offences for which the offender has not been formally charged, but which have been taken into account by the court of a Party when imposing the confiscation order, in accordance with its domestic law.

¹ Came into force on 2 June 1994, i.e., 30 days after the date of the last of the notifications by which the Parties had informed each other of the completion of the constitutional requirements, in accordance with article XIII.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1862, No. I-31704.