# The State of Kuwait

## For jurisdictions providing a provisional list:

This document contains a provisional list of expected reservations and notifications to be made by the State of Kuwait pursuant to Articles 28(7) and 29(4) of the Convention.

## **Article 2 – Interpretation of Terms**

## Notification - Agreements Covered by the Convention

Pursuant to Article 2(1)(a)(ii) of the Convention, the state of Kuwait wishes the following agreements to be covered by the Convention:

No	Title	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Original/ Amending Instrument	Date of Signature	Date of Entry into Force
1	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Republic of Armenia for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	Armenia	Original	03/11/2009	12/04/2013
2	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium for the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and Capital and for the Fostering of Economic Relations	Belgium	Original	10/3/1990	29/10/2000

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3	Agreement Between Bosnia and	Bosnia and	Original	28/10/2008	N/A
	Herzegovina and the State of Kuwait for	Herzegovina			
	the Avoidance of Double Taxation and				
	the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with				
	respect to Taxes on Income and Capital				
4	Agreement Between the Government of	Bulgaria	Original	29/10/2002	23/2/2004
	the State of Kuwait and the Government	Baigaria	o i igiridi	23, 10, 2002	23, 2, 200 .
	of the Republic of Bulgaria for the				
	Avoidance of Double Taxation and the				
	Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect				
	to Taxes on Income and on Capital				
5	Agreement between the Government of	Canada	Original	28/01/2002	26/08/2003
	Canada and the Government of the State				
	of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double				
	Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal				
	Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income				
	and Capital				
6		China	Original	25/12/1989	20/7/1000
О	Agreement Between the Government of	Crima	Original	25/12/1989	20/7/1990
	the State of Kuwait and the Government				
	of the People's Republic of China				
	for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and				
	the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with				
	respect to Taxes on Income and Capital				
7	Agreement Between the Government of	Croatia	Original	29/8/2001	9/1/2003
	the State of Kuwait and the Government				
	of the Republic of Croatia for the				
	Avoidance of Double Taxation and the				
	Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect				
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-	to Taxes on Income and on Capital	C	Original	F /10/2010	25/10/2012
8	Convention Between the Government of	Cyprus	Original	5/10/2010	25/10/2013
	the State of Kuwait and the Government				
	of the Republic of Cyprus for the				
	Avoidance of Double Taxation and the				
	Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect				
	to Taxes on Income				
9	Agreement Between the Government of	Czech	Original	5/6/2001	3/3/2004
	the State of Kuwait and the Government	Republic		' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' '	', '
	of the Czech Republic for the Avoidance				
	of Double Taxation and the Prevention of				
	Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on				
	Income and on Capital			00/5/55	0/40/200
10	Agreement Between the Government of	Denmark	Original	22/6/2010	2/10/2013
	the State of Kuwait and the Government				
	of the Kingdom of Denmark for the				
	Avoidance of Double Taxation and the				
	Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect				
	to Taxes on Income and on Capital				
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11	اتفاقية بين حكومة دولة الكويت وحكومة جمهورية	Egypt	Original	16/12/2014	23/11/2016
	مصر العربية لتجنب الازدواج الضريبي ومنع	071		, ,	
	التهرب من الضرائب على الدخل				
12	Convention entre le Gouvernement de la	France	Original	07/02/1982	01/09/1983
	République Française et le		Amending	27/09/1989	01/07/1991
	Gouvernement de l'État de Koweit en vue		Instrument		
	d'éviter les doubles impositions en		(a)		
	matière d'impôts sur le revenu, sur la		Amending	27/01/1994	01/03/1995
	fortune et sur les successions (Ensemble		Instrument		
	un protocole)		(b)		
13	Agreement Between the Government of	Greece	Original	2/3/2003	20/4/2005
	the State of Kuwait and the Government				
	of the Hellenic Republic for the				
	Avoidance of Double Taxation and the				
	Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect				
	to Taxes on Income and on Capital				
14	Agreement Between the Government of	Hong Kong	Original	13/5/2010	24/7/2013
	the State of Kuwait and the Government				
	of the Hong Kong Special Administrative				
	Region of the People's Republic of China				
	for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and				
	the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with				
4.5	respect to Taxes on Income	1 12 .	0.1.11	45/5/2005	47/40/2007
15	Agreement Between the Government of	India	Original	15/6/2006	17/10/2007
	the State of Kuwait and the Government		Amending	15/1/2017	N/A
	of the Republic of India for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of		Instrument		
	Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on		(a)		
	Income				
16	income	Ireland	Original	23/11/2010	12/8/2013
10	Agreement Between the Government of	ii ciallu	Original	23/11/2010	12/0/2013
	the State of Kuwait and the Government				
	of the Ireland for the Avoidance of				
	Double Taxation and the Prevention of				
	Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on				
	Income				
17	Convention Between the Government of	Japan	Original	17/2/2010	14/6/2013
	the State of Kuwait and Japan for the	- a p a i i	20		, 5, 2515
	Avoidance of Double Taxation and the				
	Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect				
	to Taxes on Income				

18	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Republic of Kenya for the Avoidance of Double Taxation of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Kenya	Original	12/11/2013	N/A
19	and Capital  Convention Between the Republic of Korea and the State of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect	Korea (South)	Original	05/12/1998	13/06/2000
	to Taxes on Income and Capital		Amending Instrument (a)	02/10/2007	27/12/2010
20	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Lithuania	Original	18/04/2013	N/A
21	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of Malaysia for the Prevention of Fiscal	Malaysia	Original	5/2/2003	29/5/2007
	Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and for the Fostering of Economic Relations		Amending Instrument (a)	5/1/2010	N/A
22	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of Malta for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Malta	Original	24/7/2002	18/3/2004
23	Agreement Between the Government of the Republic of Mauritius and the Government of the State of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and Capital Gains	Mauritius	Original	24/03/1997	01/09/1998
24	Convention Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the United of Mexican State for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Mexico	Original	27/10/2009	18/6/2013
25	اتفاقية بين حكومة دولة الكويت وحكومة المملكة المغربية لتجنب الازدواج الضريبي ومنع التهرب فيما يتعلق بالضرائب على الدخل	Morocco	Original	15/06/2002	15/07/2006

26	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Kingdom of the Netherlands for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Netherlands	Original	29/5/2001	23/4/2002
27	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Pakistan	Original	30/6/1998	1/1/1999
28	Convention Between the State of Kuwait And the Portuguese Republic for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Portugal	Original	23/2/2010	4/12/2013
29	Agreement Between the State of Kuwait and Romania for the Avoidance of Double Taxation with respect to Taxes on Income and Capital	Romania	Original	26/7/1992	1/1/1995
30	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Russian Federation for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	Russia	Original	9/2/1999	2/1/2003
31	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government Senegalf or the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Senegal	Original	9/4/2007	N/A
32	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	Serbia	Original	2/4/2002	1/1/2004

33	Agreement Between the Government of the Republic of Seychelles and the Government of the State of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	Seychelles	Original	05/02/2008	N/A
34	Agreement Between the Republic of Singapore and the State of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Singapore	Original	21/02/2002	02/07/2003
35	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Slovak Republic for the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Slovak Republic	Original	5/2/2002	23/2/2004
36	Convention Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Republic of Slovenia for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	Slovenia	Original	11/1/2010	17/5/2013
37	Agreement Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Government of the Republic of South Africa for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	South Africa	Original	17/2/2004	25/4/2006
38	Convention Between the Government of the State of Kuwait and the Kingdom of Spain for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	Spain	Original	26/5/2008	18/7/2013

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39	Agreement Between the State of Kuwait and the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal	Sri Lanka	Original	05/02/2002	23/02/2004
	Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income				
40	Agreement Between the Swiss Confederation and the State of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double Taxation with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	Switzerland	Original	16/02/1999	31/05/2000
41	Agreement Between the Kingdom of Thailand and the State of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Thailand	Original	29/07/2003	25/04/2006
42	اتفاقية بين دولة الكويت والجمهورية التونسية لتجنب الازدواج الضريبي ومنع التهرب فيما يتعلق بالضرائب على الدخل	Tunisia	Original	18/04/2000	20/03/2002
43	Agreement Between the State of Kuwait and the Republic of Turkey for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	Turkey	Original	6/10/1997	13/12/1999
44	Agreement Between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the State of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income and on Capital	United Kingdom	Original	23/02/1999	01/07/2000
45	Agreement between the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam and the Government of the State of Kuwait for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income	Vietnam	Original	10/03/2009	11/02/2011

### **Article 3 – Transparent Entities**

#### Reservation

Pursuant to Article 3(5)(a) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait reserves the right for the entirety of Article 3 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

#### Article 4 - Dual Resident Entities

#### Reservation

Pursuant to Article 4(3)(a) of the Convention, the state of Kuwait reserves the right for the entirety of Article 4 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

## Article 6 – Purpose of a Covered Tax Agreement

## **Notification of Choice of Optional Provisions**

Pursuant to Article 6(6) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait hereby chooses to apply Article 6(3).

## Notification of Existing Preamble Language in Listed Agreements

Pursuant to Article 6(5) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements are not within the scope of a reservation under Article 6(4) and contains preamble language described in Article 6(2). The text of the relevant preamble paragraph is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Preamble Text
1	Armenia	desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital,
2	Belgium	Desiring to conclude a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital and for the fostering of economic relations.
3	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Desiring to promote their mutual relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital;
4	Bulgaria	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal

		evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
5	Canada	desiring to promote their mutual economic relations by removing fiscal obstacles, through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital;
6	China (People's Republic of)	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and capital.
7	Croatia	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations by removing fiscal obstacles through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
8	Cyprus	Desiring to conclude a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
9	Czech Republic	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
10	Denmark	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
11	Egypt	رغبة منهما في تعزيز علاقاتهما الاقتصادية المتبادلة من خلال ابرام اتفاقية لتجنب الازدواج الضريبي ومنع التهرب من الضرائب المفروضة على الدخل.
13	Greece	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
14	Hong Kong (China)	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
15	India	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and with a view to promoting economic cooperation between the two countries.
16	Ireland	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
17	Japan	Desiring to conclude a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.

18	Kenya	desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital;
20	Lithuania	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,
21	Malaysia	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and for the fostering of economic relations.
22	Malta	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations by removing fiscal obstacles through the conclusion of a convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
23	Mauritius	desiring to promote their mutual economic relations by removing fiscal obstacles through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and capital,
24	Mexico	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
25	Morocco	رغبة منهما في تنمية وتعزيز علاقتهما الاقتصادية من خلال ابرام اتفاقية لتجنب الازدواج الضريبي ومنع التهرب فيما يتعلق بالضرائب على الدخل؛
26	Netherlands	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the State of Kuwait of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
27	Pakistan	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations by removing fiscal obstacles through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
28	Portugal	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between both Contracting States of a convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
30	Russia	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
31	Senegal	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the

		avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
32	Serbia	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
33	Seychelles	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital;
34	Singapore	desiring to conclude an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,
35	Slovak Republic	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income
36	Slovenia	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital.
37	South Africa	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.
38	Spain	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of a Convention for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital;
39	Sri Lanka	desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income;
40	Switzerland	Desiring to conclude an agreement to avoid double taxation with respect to taxes on income and on capital,
41	Thailand	desiring to promote their mutual economic relations by removing fiscal obstacles through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income;
42	Tunisia	رغبة منهما في تعزيز علاقتهما الاقتصادية المتبادلة من خلال إبرام اتفاقية لتجنب الازدواج الضريبي ومنع التهرب فيما يتعلق بالضرائب على الدخل؛
43	Turkey	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation with respect to taxes on income and on capital,
44	United Kingdom	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations by removing fiscal obstacles through the conclusion of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income

		and on capital;
45	Vietnam	Desiring to promote their mutual economic relations through the conclusion between them of an agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income.

## Notification of Listed Agreements Not Containing Existing Preamble Language

Pursuant to Article 6(6) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements do not contain preamble language referring to a desire to develop an economic relationship or to enhance co-operation in tax matters.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	
1	Armenia	
3	Bosnia Herzegovina	
5	Canada	
6	China (People's Republic of)	
8	Cyprus	
12	France	
14	Hong Kong (China)	
17	Japan	
18	Kenya	
19	Korea (South)	
20	Lithuania	
23	Mauritius	
25	Morocco	
29	Romania	
33	Seychelles	
34	Singapore	
35	Slovak Republic	
39	Sri Lanka	
40	Switzerland	
41	Thailand	
42	Tunisia	
43	Turkey	
44	United Kingdom	
45	Vietnam	

## Article 7 – Prevention of Treaty Abuse

### Statement of Acceptance of the PPT as an Interim Measure

Pursuant to Article 7(17)(a) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait hereby expresses a statement that while the State of Kuwait accepts the application of Article 7(1) alone as an interim measure, it intends where possible to adopt a limitation on benefits provision, in addition to or in replacement of Article 7(1), through bilateral negotiation.

## **Notification of Existing Provisions in Listed Agreements**

Pursuant to Article 7(17)(a) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements are not subject to a reservation described in Article 7(15)(b) and contain a provision described in Article 7(2). The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
4	Bulgaria	Article 12(7)
9	Czech Republic	Article 27(4)
15	India	Article 27
19	Korea (South)	Article 28A
		Articles
44	United Kingdom	10(6),11(5),12(7),22(4),
		P.(4)

#### Article 8 - Dividend Transfer Transactions

#### Reservation

Pursuant to Article 8(3)(a) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait reserves the right for the entirety of Article 8 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 9 – Capital Gains from Alienation of Shares or Interests of Entities Deriving their Value Principally from Immovable Property

#### Reservation

Pursuant to Article 9(6)(a) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait reserves the right for Article 9(1) not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

#### Article 10 - Anti-abuse Rule for Permanent Establishments Situated in Third Jurisdictions

#### Reservation

Pursuant to Article 10(5)(a) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait reserves the right for the entirety of Article 10 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

## Article 11 – Application of Tax Agreements to Restrict a Party's Right to Tax its Own Residents

#### Reservation

Pursuant to Article 11(3)(a) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait reserves the right for the entirety of Article 11 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

# Article 12 – Artificial Avoidance of Permanent Establishment Status through Commissionnaire Arrangements and Similar Strategies

#### Reservation

Pursuant to Article 12(4) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait reserves the right for the entirety of Article 12 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

# Article 13 – Artificial Avoidance of Permanent Establishment Status through the Specific Activity Exemptions

## **Notification of Choice of Optional Provisions**

Pursuant to Article 13(7) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait hereby chooses to apply Option A under Article 13(1).

## Notification of Existing Provisions in Listed Agreements

Pursuant to Article 13(7) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements contain a provision described in Article 13(5)(a). The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
1	Armenia	Article 5(4)
2	Belgium	Article 5 (4)
3	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Article 5(6)
4	Bulgaria	Article 5 (4)
5	Canada	Article 5(6)
6	China (People's Republic of)	Article 5 (4)
7	Croatia	Article 5 (7)
8	Cyprus	Article 5 (6)
9	Czech Republic	Article 5 (6)
10	Denmark	Article 5 (6)
11	Egypt	Article 5 (6)
12	France	Article 5A(4)
13	Greece	Article 5 (6)
14	Hong Kong (China)	Article 5 (4)
15	India	Article 5 (5)
16	Ireland	Article 5 (6)
17	Japan	Article 5 (4)
18	Kenya	Article 5(6)
19	Korea	Article 5(5)
20	Lithuania	Article 5(4)
21	Malaysia	Article 5 (3)
22	Malta	Article 5 (6)
23	Mauritius	Article 5(6)
24	Mexico	Article 5 (7)
25	Morocco	Article 5(4)
26	Netherlands	Article 5 (6)
27	Pakistan	Article 5 (6)
28	Portugal	Article 5 (6)
29	Romania	Article 5 (4)

30	Russia	Article 5 (6)
31	Senegal	Article 5 (7)
32	Serbia	Article 5 (5)
33	Seychelles	Article 5(5)
34	Singapore	Article 5(6)
35	Slovak Republic	Article 5 (4)
36	Slovenia	Article 5 (5)
37	South Africa	Article 5 (6)
38	Sri Lanka	Article 5(6)
39	Spain	Article 5 (6)
40	Switzerland	Article 5(4)
41	Thailand	Article 5(4)
42	Tunisia	Article 5(4)
43	Turkey	Article 5 (3)
44	United Kingdom	Article 5(5)
45	Vietnam	Article 5(6)

**Article 16 – Mutual Agreement Procedure** 

## Notification of Existing Provisions in Listed Agreements

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(a) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements contain a provision described in Article 16(4)(a)(i). The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
1	Armenia	Article 25(1), first sentence
2	Belgium	Article 25(1), first sentence
3	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Article 26(1), first sentence
4	Bulgaria	Article 26(1), first sentence
5	Canada	Article 25(1), first sentence
6	China (People's Republic of)	Article 26(1), first sentence
7	Croatia	Article 25(1), first sentence
8	Cyprus	Article 24(1), first sentence
9	Czech Republic	Article 25(1), first sentence
10	Denmark	Article 25(1), first sentence
11	Egypt	Article 25(1), first sentence
12	France	Article 20(1), first sentence
13	Greece	Article 26(1), first sentence
14	Hong Kong (China)	Article 23(1), first sentence
15	India	Article 25(1), first sentence
16	Ireland	Article 24(1), first sentence
17	Japan	Article 24(1), first sentence

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18	Кепуа	Article 25(1), first sentence
19	Korea (South)	Article 26(1), first sentence
20	Lithuania	Article 25(1), first sentence
21	Malaysia	Article 25(1), first sentence
22	Malta	Article 25(1), first sentence
23	Mauritius	Article 26(1), first sentence
24	Mexico	Article 25(1), first sentence
25	Morocco	Article 25(1), first sentence
26	Netherlands	Article 26(1), first sentence
27	Pakistan	Article 25(1), first sentence
28	Portugal	Article 25(1), first sentence
29	Romania	Article 26(1), first sentence
30	Russia	Article 26(1), first sentence
31	Senegal	Article 25(1), first sentence
32	Serbia	Article 25(1), first sentence
33	Seychelles	Article 25(1), first sentence
34	Singapore	Article 25(1), first sentence
35	Slovak Republic	Article 24(1), first sentence
36	Slovenia	Article 25(1), first sentence
37	South Africa	Article 25(1), first sentence
38	Spain	Article 25(1), first sentence
39	Sri Lanka	Article 25(1), first sentence
40	Switzerland	Article 25(1), first sentence
41	Thailand	Article 25(1), first sentence
42	Tunisia	Article 25(1), first sentence
43	Turkey	Article 27(1), first sentence
44	United Kingdom	Article 27(1)
45	Vietnam	Article 25(1), first sentence

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(b)(i) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements contain a provision that provides that a case referred to in the first sentence of Article 16(1) must be presented within a specific time period that is shorter than three years from the first notification of the action resulting in taxation not in accordance with the provisions of the Covered Tax Agreement. The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
5	Canada	Article 25(1), second sentence
12	France	Article 20(1), second sentence

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(b)(ii) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements contain a provision that provides that a case referred to in the first sentence of Article 16(1) must be presented within a specific time period that is at least three years from the first notification of the action resulting in taxation not in accordance with the

provisions of the Covered Tax Agreement. The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
1	Armenia	Article 25(1), second sentence
2	Belgium	Article 25(1), second sentence
3	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Article 26(1), second sentence
4	Bulgaria	Article 26(1), second sentence
6	China (People's Republic of)	Article 26(1), second sentence
7	Croatia	Article 25(1), second sentence
8	Cyprus	Article 24(1), second sentence
9	Czech Republic	Article 25(1), second sentence
10	Denmark	Article 25(1), second sentence
11	Egypt	Article 25(1), second sentence
13	Greece	Article 26(1), second sentence
14	Hong Kong (China)	Article 23(1), second sentence
15	India	Article 25(1), second sentence
16	Ireland	Article 24(1), second sentence
17	Japan	Article 24(1), second sentence
18	Кепуа	Article 25(1), second sentence
19	Korea (South)	Article 26(1), second sentence
20	Lithuania	Article 25(1), second sentence
21	Malaysia	Article 25(1), second sentence
22	Malta	Article 25(1), second sentence
23	Mauritius	Article 26(1), second sentence
24	Mexico	Article 25(1), second sentence
25	Morocco	Article 25(1), second sentence
26	Netherlands	Article 26(1), second sentence
27	Pakistan	Article 25(1), second sentence
28	Portugal	Article 25(1), second sentence
29	Romania	Article 26(1), second sentence
30	Russia	Article 26(1), second sentence
31	Senegal	Article 25(1), second sentence
32	Serbia	Article 25(1), second sentence
33	Seychelles	Article 25(1), second sentence
34	Singapore	Article 25(1), second sentence
35	Slovak Republic	Article 24(1), second sentence
36	Slovenia	Article 25(1), second sentence
37	South Africa	Article 25(1), second sentence
38	Spain	Article 25(1), second sentence
39	Sri Lanka	Article 25(1), second sentence
40	Switzerland	Article 25(1), second sentence
41	Thailand	Article 25(1), second sentence
42	Tunisia	Article 25(1), second sentence
45	Vietnam	Article 25(1), second sentence

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(c)(ii) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements do not contain a provision described in Article 16(4)(b)(ii).

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction
2	Belgium
24	Mexico
40	Switzerland
43	Turkey
45	United Kingdom

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(d)(ii) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements do not contain a provision described in Article 16(4)(c)(ii).

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction
2	Belgium
28	Portugal
33	Seychelles
44	United Kingdom

## **Article 17 – Corresponding Adjustments**

## Notification of Existing Provisions in Listed Agreements

Pursuant to Article 17(4) of the Convention, the State of Kuwait considers that the following agreements contain a provision described in Article 17(2). The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
1	Armenia	Article 9(2)
2	Belgium	Article 9(2)
3	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Article 9(2)
4	Bulgaria	Article 9(2)
5	Canada	Article 9(2)
6	China	Article 9(2)
7	Croatia	Article 9(2)
8	Cyprus	Article 9(2)
9	Czech Republic	Article 9(2)
10	Denmark	Article 9(2)

11	Egypt	Article 9(2)
13	Greece	Article 9(2)
14	Hong Kong	Article 9(2)
15	India	Article 9(2)
16	Ireland	Article 9(2)
17	Japan	Article 9(2)
18	Kenya	Article 9(2)
19	Lithuania	Article 9(2)
22	Malta	Article 9(2)
23	Mauritius	Article 9(2)
24	Mexico	Article 9(2)
25	Morocco	Article 9(2)
26	Netherlands	Article 9(2)
27	Pakistan	Article 9(2)
28	Portugal	Article 9(2)
29	Romania	Article 9(2)
30	Russia	Article 9(2)
31	Senegal	Article 9(2)
32	Serbia	Article 9(2)
33	Seychelles	Article 9(2)
34	Singapore	Article 9(2)
35	Slovak Republic	Article 9(2)
36	Slovenia	Article 9(2)
37	South Africa	Article 9(2)
38	Spain	Article 9(2)
39	Sri Lanka	Article 9(2)
41	Thailand	Article 9(2)
42	Tunisia	Article 9(2)
43	Turkey	Article 9(2)
44	United Kingdom	Article 9(2)
45	Vietnam	Article 9(2)