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	Contracting States	Art. 8(2)	Art. 10			Art. 15(2)	Art. 16(3)
			(a)	(b)	(c)		
1.	Albania	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
2.	Andorra	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
3.	Antigua and Barbuda	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
4.	Argentina	No opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration of applicability
5.	Armenia	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
6.	Australia	No opposition	Qualified opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment, except where it is determined otherwise by the Court seized by the matter
7.	Bahamas	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
8.	Barbados	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration

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9.	Belarus	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
10.	Belgium	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
11.	Belize	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition
12.	Bosnia and Herzegovina	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition
13.	Botswana	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration

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14.	Bulgaria	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
15.	Canada	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of judgment, except in exceptional cases determined by the rules of the Court seized of the matter
16.	China, People's Republic of	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
17.	China (Hong Kong)	Opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	No declaration of applicability	No declaration

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	China (Macao)	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
	Colombia	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
18.	Costa Rica	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
19.	Croatia	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
20.	Cyprus	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment

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21.	Czech Republic	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
22.	Denmark	No opposition	No opposition - Additional information, see practical information chart	No opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment (additional information, see declarations)
23.	Egypt	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
24.	Estonia	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of three years following the date of the judgment
25.	Finland	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	No declaration of applicability	No declaration

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26.	France	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of twelve months following the date of the judgment
27.	Germany	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the termination of the time limit which has not been observed
28.	Greece	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
29.	Hungary	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
30.	Iceland	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment

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31.	India	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
32.	Ireland	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
33.	Israel	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	No declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
34.	Italy	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration

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35.	Japan	No opposition	No opposition Additional information - See practical information chart	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
36.	Kazakhstan	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
37.	Korea, Republic of	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
38.	Kuwait	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of non-applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of the time fixed by the law of the trial judge or one year following the date of judgment, whichever is longer

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39.	Latvia	Opposition	Qualified opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
40.	Lithuania	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
41.	Luxembourg	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
42.	Malawi	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
43.	Malta	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration

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44.	Mexico	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of non-applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of judgment, or a longer period which the judge may deem reasonable (additional information, see declarations)
45.	Monaco	Opposition	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after expiration of twelve months following the date of the judgment
46.	Montenegro	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
47.	Morocco	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration

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48.	Netherlands	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
49.	Norway	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed if delivered to the competent Norwegian authorities after the expiration of three years following the date of the judgment
50.	Pakistan	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief from ex parte decisions will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of the period of limitation prescribed by the law of Pakistan
51.	Poland	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration

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52.	Portugal	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
53.	Republic of Moldova	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
54.	Romania	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
55.	Russian Federation	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
56.	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration

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57.	San Marino	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
58.	Serbia	Opposition	Opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
59.	Seychelles	Opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
60.	Slovakia	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
61.	Slovenia	Opposition	Qualified opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment

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62.	Spain	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of sixteen months following the date of the judgment
63.	Sri Lanka	Opposition	Opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
64.	Sweden	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
65.	Switzerland	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
66.	The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
67.	Turkey	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment

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68.	Ukraine	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the after expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
69.	United Kingdom	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information – See declarations and practical information chart	Additional information - See declarations and practical information chart	Declaration of applicability	In relation to Scotland only , applications for setting aside judgments on the grounds that the defendant did not have knowledge of the proceedings in sufficient time to defend the action will not be entertained if filed more than one year after the date of judgment.
70.	United States of America	No opposition – See Practical information chart	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after: a) after the expiration of the period within which the same may be filed under the procedural regulations of the court in which the judgment has been entered, or b) after the expiration of one year following the date of judgment, whichever is later.

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71.	Venezuela	Opposition	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after expiration of the period specified in Venezuelan law
72.	Viet Nam	Opposition	Qualified opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration