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This report covers events with respect to the Antarctic Treaty and the Protocol on Environmental

Protection to the Antarctic Treaty.

Since the last report, there have been no accessions to the Treaty and one approval of the Protocol. Colombia deposited an instrument of approval of the Protocol on February 13, 2020, and the Protocol entered into force for Colombia on March 14, 2020. There are fifty-four (54) Parties to the Treaty and forty-one (41) Parties to the Protocol.

Lists of Parties to the Treaty, to the Protocol, Annex V, Annex VI, and of Recommendations/Measures and their approvals are attached.