

(b) Any signatory to the Operating Agreement designated by a State listed above may, prior to the entry into force of the Convention and the Operating Agreement, accept an initial investment share higher than that listed in paragraph (a) if:

(i) other signatories accept a correspondingly lower initial investment share or

(ii) the Convention and the Operating Agreement have not entered into force twenty-four months after they were opened for signature.

The signatories concerned shall inform the Depositary, who shall prepare and distribute a revised list of initial investment shares to all States included in the list of initial investment shares.

(c) A signatory of a State not listed in paragraph (a), on signing the Operating Agreement prior to its entry into force, shall declare to the Depositary its initial investment share, which shall correspond to its projected proportionate utilization of the INMARSAT space segment. The Depositary shall add the new signatory and its initial investment share to the list of initial investment shares in paragraph (a). The revised list shall be sent to all States included in the list. The initial investment share of the new signatory shall be subject subsequently to approval or adjustment by the Council if the Council adjusts the share, it shall adjust proportionately the initial investment shares of all Signatories and, subsequently, the investment shares of all Signatories.

(d) Upon entry into force of the Operating Agreement, the investment shares of Signatories shall be determined by adjusting the initial investment shares of Signatories proportionately so that the sum of all investment shares amounts to 100 per cent.

(e) The initial investment share of any Signatory which is not included in the list in paragraph (a) and which signs the Operating Agreement after its entry into force, and for any Signatory included in the list of initial investment shares for which the Operating Agreement has not entered into force thirty-six months after it was opened for signature, shall be determined by the Council and shall be included in a revised list of initial investment shares of all Signatories.

b) Enhver signatar af driftsoverenskomsten, der er udpeget af en af de foran anførte stater, kan forud for konventionens og driftsoverenskomstens ikrafttræden acceptere en højere begyndelsesandel end den i pkt. a) anførte, såfremt:

i) andre signatarer accepterer en tilsvarende lavere begyndelsesandel eller

ii) konventionen og driftsoverenskomsten ikke er trådt i kraft fireogtyve måneder efter at disse dokumenter blev åbnet for undertegnelse.

De pågældende signatarer skal underrette depositaren, der skal udarbejde og fordele en revideret liste over begyndelsesandelene til alle de lande, der er optaget på listen over begyndelsesinvesteringsandele.

c) En signatar for et land, der ikke er opført i pkt. a), skal ved undertegnelsen af driftsoverenskomsten forud for dennes ikrafttræden over for depositaren angive sin begyndelsesandel, der skal svare til signatærens projekterede forholdsmæssige brug af INMARSAT-satellitafsnittet. Depositaren skal føje den nye signatar og dennes begyndelsesandel til på listen over begyndelsesandele i pkt. a). Den reviderede liste skal sendes til alle de stater, der er optaget på listen. Den nye signatars begyndelsesandel skal senere være genstand for rådets godkendelse eller regulering. Såfremt rådet regulerer andelen, skal rådet forholdsmæssigt regulere alle signatarernes begyndelsesandele og senere alle signatarernes investeringsandele.

d) Ved driftsoverenskomstens ikrafttræden skal signatarernes investeringsandele fastsættes ved at regulere signatarernes begyndelsesandele forholdsmæssigt, således at summen af alle investeringsandelene udgør 100 procent.

e) Begyndelsesandelen for enhver signatar, der ikke er optaget på listen i pkt. a), og som undertegner driftsoverenskomsten efter dens ikrafttræden, samt for enhver signatar, der er optaget på listen over begyndelsesandele, men for hvilken signatar driftsoverenskomsten ikke er trådt i kraft seksogtredive måneder efter, at den blev åbnet for undertegnelse, skal fastsættes af rådet og skal optages i en revideret liste over samtlige signatarers begyndelsesandele.