

4. I forholdet mellem deltagerne i denne protokol skal en opsigelse af Ansvarskonventionen af 1969 i henhold til konventionens artikel XVI af en af dem ikke fortolkes som en opsigelse af Ansvarskonventionen af 1969 som ændret ved denne protokol.

5. En opsigelse af protokollen af 1992, der ændrer Fondskonventionen af 1971, af en stat, der forbliver deltager i Fondskonventionen af 1971, anses for opsigelse af denne protokol. En sådan opsigelse har virkning fra den dato, på hvilken opsigelsen af protokollen af 1992, der ændrer Fondskonventionen af 1971, træder i kraft i henhold til protokollens artikel 34.

Artikel 17

Deponering

1. Denne protokol og ændringer antaget i henhold til artikel 15 skal deponeres hos organisationens generalsekretær.

2. Organisationens generalsekretæren skal:

- a) underrette alle stater, som har undertegnet eller tiltrådt protokollen, om:
 - i) enhver ny undertegnelse eller deponering af instrument med angivelse af datoen herfor,
 - ii) enhver erklæring og meddelelse i henhold til artikel 13 og enhver erklæring og meddelelse i henhold til artikel V, stk. 9, i Ansvarskonventionen af 1969,
 - iii) datoen for protokollens ikrafttrædelse,
 - iv) ethvert forslag til ændring af ansvarsgrænser fremsat i henhold til artikel 15, stk. 1,
 - v) enhver ændring vedtaget i henhold til artikel 15, stk. 4,
 - vi) enhver ændring, der anses for antaget i henhold til artikel 15, stk. 7, med angivelse af den dato, på hvilken ændringen skal træde i kraft i henhold til artiklens stk. 8 og 9,

4. As between the Parties to this Protocol, denunciation by any of them of the 1969 Liability Convention in accordance with Article XVI thereof shall not be construed in any way as a denunciation of the 1969 Liability convention as amended by this Protocol.

5. Denunciation of the Protocol of 1992 to amend the 1971 Fund Convention by a State which remains a Party to the 1971 Fund Convention shall be deemed to be a denunciation of this Protocol. Such denunciation shall take effect on the date on which denunciation of the Protocol of 1992 to amend the 1971 Fund Convention takes effect according to Article 34 of that Protocol.

Article 17

Depositary

1. This Protocol and any amendments accepted under Article 15 shall be deposited with the Secretary-General of the Organization.

2. The Secretary-General of the Organization shall:

- (a) Inform all States which have signed or acceded to this Protocol of:
 - (i) each new signature or deposit of an instrument together with the date thereof;
 - (ii) each declaration and notification under Article 13 and each declaration and communication under Article V, paragraph 9, of the 1992 Liability Convention;
 - (iii) the date of entry into force of this Protocol;
 - (iv) any proposal to amend limits of liability which has been made in accordance with Article 15, paragraph 1;
 - (v) any amendment which has been adopted in accordance with Article 15, paragraph 4
 - (vi) any amendment deemed to have been accepted under Article 15, paragraph 7, together with the date on which that amendment shall enter into force in accordance with paragraphs 8 and 9 of that Article;