

same date as the Energy Charter Treaty enters into force, whichever is later.

- (2) For each state or Regional Economic Integration Organization for which the Energy Charter Treaty has entered into force and which ratifies, accepts, or approves this Protocol or accedes thereto after the Protocol has entered into force in accordance with paragraph (1), the Protocol shall enter into force on the thirtieth day after the date of deposit by such state or Regional Economic Integration Organization of its instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession.
- (3) For the purposes of paragraph (1), any instrument deposited by a Regional Economic Integration Organization shall not be counted as additional to those deposited by member states of such Organization.

ARTICLE 19

Reservations

No reservations may be made to this Protocol.

ARTICLE 20

Withdrawal

- (1) At any time after this Protocol has entered into force for a Contracting Party, that Contracting Party may give written notification to the Depositary of its withdrawal from the Protocol.
- (2) Any Contracting Party which withdraws from the Energy Charter Treaty shall be considered as also having withdrawn from this Protocol.
- (3) The effective date of withdrawal under paragraph (1) shall be ninety days after receipt of notification by the Depositary. The effective date of withdrawal under paragraph (2) shall be the same as the effective date of withdrawal from the Energy Charter Treaty.

ARTICLE 21

Depositary

The Government of the Portuguese Republic shall be the Depositary of this Protocol.

energichartertraktaten, afhængigt af hvilken dato der er den seneste.

2. For hver stat eller regional organisation for økonomisk integration, for hvilken energichartertraktaten er trådt i kraft, og som ratificerer, accepterer, godkender eller tiltræder denne protokol, efter at protokollen er trådt i kraft i overensstemmelse med stk. 1, træder protokollen i kraft den tredivte dag efter den dato, hvor den pågældende stat eller regionale organisation for økonomisk integration deponerede sit ratifikations-, accept-, godkendelses- eller tiltrædelsesinstrument.
3. For så vidt angår stk. 1, kan intet instrument, der deponeres af en regional organisation for økonomisk integration, føjes til de instrumenter, som medlemsstater af den nævnte organisation allerede har deponeret.

ARTIKEL 19

Forbehold

Der kan ikke tages forbehold over for denne protokol.

ARTIKEL 20

Opsigelse

1. En kontraherende part kan når som helst, efter at denne protokol er trådt i kraft for den pågældende part, opsiges protokollen ved skriftlig meddelelse til depositaren.
2. Kontraherende parter, som opsiges energichartertraktaten, anses for også at have opsagt denne protokol.
3. En opsigelse i henhold til stk. 1 får virkning 90 dage efter depositarens modtagelse af meddelelsen herom. En opsigelse i henhold til stk. 2 får virkning på samme dato som den dato, hvor opsigelse af energichartertraktaten får virkning.

ARTIKEL 21

Depositar

Den portugisiske Republiks regering er depositar for denne protokol.