

EXTRADITION

Convention signed at México August 16, 1939, supplementing convention of February 22, 1899, as supplemented and amended

Senate advice and consent to ratification November 26, 1940

Ratified by the President of the United States December 20, 1940

Ratified by Mexico January 28, 1941

Ratifications exchanged at México February 17, 1941

Proclaimed by the President of the United States April 4, 1941

Entered into force April 14, 1941

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SUPPLEMENTARY EXTRADITION CONVENTION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE UNITED MEXICAN STATES

The United States of America and the United Mexican States being desirous of enlarging the list of crimes on account of which extradition may be granted under the agreements concluded between the two countries on February 22, 1899,¹ June 25, 1902,² and December 23, 1925,³ with a view to the better administration of justice and the prevention of crimes in their respective territories and jurisdictions, have resolved to conclude a supplementary Convention for this purpose and have appointed as their plenipotentiaries, to wit:

The President of the United States of America:

Hon. Josephus Daniels, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Mexico; and

The President of the United Mexican States:

General Eduardo Hay, Secretary of State and of Foreign Affairs.

Who, after having exhibited to each other their respective full powers, which were found to be in due and proper form, have agreed to and concluded the following articles:

ARTICLE I

The High Contracting Parties agree that the following crime is added to the list of crimes numbered 1 to 21 in the second Article of the Treaty of

¹ TS 242, *ante*, p. 900.

² TS 421, *ante*, p. 918.

³ TS 741, *ante*, p. 955.

Extradition concluded between the United States and Mexico on the 22d of February, 1899, and to the crime designated in the Supplementary Extradition Convention concluded between the two countries on the 25th of June, 1902, and to the crimes designated in the Supplementary Extradition Convention concluded between the two countries on the 23d of December, 1925; that is to say:

26. Extradition shall also take place for participation in any of the crimes before referred to as an accessory before or after the fact; provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both the High Contracting Parties.

ARTICLE II

The present Convention shall be considered as an integral part of the said Extradition Treaty of the 22d of February, 1899, and it is agreed that the paragraph or crime added by the present Convention shall be applied when cases arise to all the crimes listed in that treaty and to the further crimes added by the said Supplementary Extradition Conventions of the 25th of June, 1902 and the 23d of December, 1925, respectively.

ARTICLE III

The present Convention shall be ratified and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Mexico City as soon as possible. It shall go into force ten days after its publication in conformity with the laws of the High Contracting Parties, such period to be computed from its publication in the country last publishing, and it shall continue and terminate in the same manner as the said Treaty of February 22, 1899.

In testimony whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the present Convention in duplicate, and have hereunto affixed their seals.

Done in duplicate at Mexico City, in the English and Spanish languages, this sixteenth day of August one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

JOSEPHUS DANIELS [SEAL]
EDUARDO HAY [SEAL]