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		COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION			INVESTMENT ARBITRATION		
		New York Convention Entry into force	Panama Convention Entry into force	Arbitration Laws/ Amendments Year adopted	ICSID Convention Entry into force	Bilateral Invest. Treaties In force	Free Trade Agreements In force
	ARGENTINA	1989	1995	1967/81	1994	55	0
	BOLIVIA	1995	1999	1997	1995-2007**	20	1
	BRAZIL	2002	1995	1996	–	0	0
	CHILE	1975	1976	2004	1991	39	11
	COLOMBIA	1979	1987	1989/91/96/98	1997	2	1
	COSTA RICA	1988	1978	1997	1993	14	7
	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	2002	–	2008	–	11/12*	3
	ECUADOR	1962	1991	1997/2005/06	1986	17/25*	0
	EL SALVADOR	1998	1980	2002	1984	19/20*	6
	GUATEMALA	1984	1986	1995	2003	12/13*	4
	HONDURAS	2001	1979	2000	1989	8/9*	5
	MEXICO	1971	1978	1993	–	24	12
	NICARAGUA	2003	–	2005	1995	15/16*	4
	PANAMA	1985	1976	1999/2006	1996	17	4
	PARAGUAY	1998	1977	2002	1983	26/27*	0
	PERU	1988	1989	2008	1993	30	2
	URUGUAY	1983	1977	1988	2000	25/26*	1
	VENEZUELA	1995	1985	1998	1995	23	0

\*Ecuador's Official Register No. 452 of October 23, 2008 published Ecuador's denunciation of 8 BITs.

\*\*In accordance with Article 71 of the ICSID Convention the denunciation became effective six months after the receipt of Bolivia's notice, i.e., on November 3, 2007.