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States Parties	Art. 8(2)	Art. 10			Art. 15(2)	Art. 16(3)
		(a)	(b)	(c)		
Albania	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Antigua and Barbuda*	-	-	-	-	-	-
Argentina	No opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration of applicability
Australia	No opposition	Qualified opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment, except where it is determined otherwise by the Court seized by the matter
Bahamas	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Barbados	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Belarus	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Belgium	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Belize	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition

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Bosnia and Herzegovina	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition
Botswana	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Bulgaria	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Canada	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of judgment, except in exceptional cases determined by the rules of the Court seized of the matter
China, People's Republic of	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
China (Hong Kong)	Opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
China (Macao)	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment

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Croatia	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Cyprus	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Czech Republic	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Denmark	No opposition	No opposition - Additional information, see practical information chart	No opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment (additional information, see declarations)
Egypt	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Estonia	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of three years following the date of the judgment
Finland	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
France	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of twelve months following the date of the judgment

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Germany	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the termination of the time limit which has not been observed
Greece	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Hungary	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Iceland	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
India	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Ireland	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition Additional information – See declarations	Opposition Additional information – See declarations	Declaration of applicability	No declaration

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Israel	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information	Additional information	No declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Italy	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Japan	No opposition	No opposition Additional information – See practical information chart	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Korea, Republic of	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Kuwait	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of non-applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of the time fixed by the law of the trial judge or one year following the date of judgment, whichever is longer
Latvia	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Lithuania	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment

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Luxembourg	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Malawi	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Mexico	Opposition	Additional information	Additional information	Additional information	Declaration of non-applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of judgment, or a longer period which the judge may deem reasonable (additional information, see declarations)
Monaco	Opposition	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after expiration of twelve months following the date of the judgment
Netherlands	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Norway	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed if delivered to the competent Norwegian authorities after the expiration of three years following the date of the judgment

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Pakistan	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief from ex parte decisions will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of the period of limitation prescribed by the law of Pakistan
Poland	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Portugal	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Romania	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Russian Federation	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	No opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
San Marino	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Serbia	Opposition	Opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment

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Seychelles	Opposition	No opposition	Additional information – See declarations	Additional information – See declarations	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Slovakia	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Slovenia	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Spain	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of sixteen months following the date of the judgment
Sri Lanka	Opposition	Opposition	No opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	No declaration
Sweden	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information – See declarations	Additional information – See declarations	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
Switzerland	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	No declaration of applicability	No declaration
The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment

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Turkey	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
Ukraine	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after the after expiration of one year following the date of the judgment
United Kingdom	No opposition	No opposition	Additional information – See declarations and practical information chart	Additional information - See declarations and practical information chart	Declaration of applicability	In relation to Scotland only , applications for setting aside judgments on the grounds that the defendant did not have knowledge of the proceedings in sufficient time to defend the action will not be entertained if filed more than one year after the date of judgment.
United States of America	No opposition – See Practical information chart	No opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after: a) after the expiration of the period within which the same may be filed under the procedural regulations of the court in which the judgment has been entered, or b) after the expiration of one year following the date of judgment, whichever is later.
Venezuela	Opposition	Opposition	No opposition	No opposition	Declaration of applicability	Declaration that application for relief will not be entertained if it is filed after expiration of the period specified in Venezuelan law

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