



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Depositary Notification

Notification Reference No. 2022-006

**Annex V to the Protocol on Environmental Protection to the Antarctic Treaty: Area Protection and Management**

Done at Bonn on October 17, 1991

Canada: Acceptance

Date of Action: February 23, 2022

The Secretary of State, in performance of the depositary duties of the United States of America, communicates the following:

On February 23, 2022, Canada deposited an instrument of acceptance of Annex V to the Protocol on Environmental Protection to the Antarctic Treaty.

In accordance with Article 9, paragraph 4 of the Protocol, Annex V became effective for Canada on February 23, 2022.

Washington, April 4, 2022

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