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NOTIFICATION OF TERRITORIAL APPLICATION

- State:** Netherlands – Caribbean Part.
- Instrument:** European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages, opened for signature, in Strasbourg, on 5 November 1992 (ETS No. 148).
- Date of entry into force of the instrument:** 1 March 1998.
- Date of entry into force in respect of the Netherlands:** 1 March 1998.
- Reservations:** ETS No. 148 Res./Decl. Netherlands – Caribbean Part.
Declarations: (See Annex)
- Date of entry into force in respect of the Caribbean Part of the Netherlands:** 22 January 2024.

Notification made in accordance with Article 23 of the Charter.

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EUROPEAN CHARTER FOR REGIONAL OR MINORITY LANGUAGES
opened for signature, in Strasbourg, on 5 November 1992

CHARTRE EUROPEENNE DES LANGUES REGIONALES OU MINORITAIRES
ouverte à la signature, à Strasbourg, le 5 novembre 1992

Reservations and Declarations
Réserves et Déclarations

NETHERLANDS

Declarations contained in a Declaration from the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands, dated 16 January 2024, registered at the Secretariat General on 22 January 2024 - Or. Engl.

The Kingdom of the Netherlands accepts the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages for the Caribbean Part of the Netherlands (the islands of Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba).

The Kingdom of the Netherlands declares, in accordance with Article 2, paragraph 2, and Article 3, paragraph 1, of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages, that it will apply to the Papiamentu (Papiamentu) language on the Island of Bonaire the following provisions of Part III of the Charter:

In Article 8:

Paragraph 1, sub-paragraphs b(i), c(iii), e(iii), g

In Article 9:

Paragraph 1, sub-paragraphs a(i), a(ii), a(iv), b(i), c(i), c(ii), c(iii)

In Article 10:

Paragraph 1, sub-paragraph a(iv)
Paragraph 2, sub-paragraphs a, b, d, f, g
Paragraph 4, sub-paragraphs a, b
Paragraph 5

In Article 11:

Paragraph 1, sub-paragraphs a(ii), d, e(i)
Paragraph 2

In Article 12:

Paragraph 1, sub-paragraphs a, b, d, e, f
Paragraph 2
Paragraph 3

In Article 13:

Paragraph 1, sub-paragraphs a, c, d
Paragraph 2, sub-paragraphs b, e

PAYS-BAS

Déclarations consignées dans une Déclaration du Ministre des Affaires étrangères des Pays-Bas, datée du 16 janvier 2024, enregistrée au Secrétariat Général le 22 janvier 2024 - Or. angl.

Le Royaume des Pays-Bas accepte la Charte européenne des langues régionales ou minoritaires pour la Partie caribéenne des Pays-Bas (les îles de Bonaire, Saint-Eustatius et Saba).

Le Royaume des Pays-Bas déclare, conformément à l'article 2, paragraphe 2, et à l'article 3, paragraphe 1, de la Charte européenne des langues régionales ou minoritaires, qu'il appliquera à la langue papiamentu (Papiamentu) de l'île de Bonaire les dispositions suivantes de la Partie III de la Charte :

Article 8:

Paragraphe 1, alinéas b(i), c(iii), e(iii), g

Article 9:

Paragraphe 1, alinéas a(i), a(ii), a(iv), b(i), c(i), c(ii), c(iii)

Article 10:

Paragraphe 1, alinéa a(iv)

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Paragraphe 2, alinéas b, e