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## CONGO-BRAZZAVILLE – LAW NO. 26-2017 OF 16 JUNE 2017

The Parliament of Congo-Brazzaville authorizes the ratification of the treaty concluded on 22 November 2010, between the Republic of Congo on the one hand and the Federal Republic of Germany on the other hand, on the promotion and mutual protection of investments.

This ratification was expected so as to allow for the entry into force of the Treaty, the content of which is quite conventional:

- Principle of equal treatment between investors who are nationals of either State, when they invest in the State which is not that of their nationality;
- Principle of free transfer of funds between the two States in the context of payments made in connection with an investment made in either State;
- Subrogation in its own right of the State which indemnifies one of its nationals due to the damage suffered in connection with an investment made in the other State;
- Guarantees of compensation in the event of expropriation;
- Use of arbitration in case of investment disputes.