



Food Assistance Committee
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Republic of Korea: Accession to the Food Assistance Convention

On 31 January 2018, the Republic of Korea acceded to the Food Assistance Convention, bringing the total number of members to sixteen. The Republic of Korea's initial minimum annual commitment in 2018 will be 46 billion Korean Won.

The commitments of the Parties to the Food Assistance Convention are set out below:

Donor	Commitments in 2018
Australia	A\$80m
Austria	€1.495m
Canada	C\$250m
Denmark	DKK185m
European Union	€350m
Finland	€6m
France	€33m
Japan	JPY10bn
Korea (Rep. of)	KRW 46bn
Luxembourg	€4m
Russia	\$15m
Slovenia	€30,000
Spain	€10m
Sweden	SEK200m
Switzerland	CHF34m
United States of America	US\$2.2bn

The Food Assistance Convention is open for accession by all food assistance-providing countries, including new States who were not party to the Food Aid Convention, 1999.

For more information on the Food Assistance Convention see: www.foodassistanceconvention.org

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