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It is not uncommon to find States enquiring whether bilateral treaties Ghana has signed could enter into force provisionally in light of our national constitutional provision requiring all agreements to be ratified by Parliament. Despite this constitutional provision, Ghana has signed a number of treaties, including ECOWAS Protocols requiring provisional entry into force pending compliance with national constitutional procedures or legislative approval. Ghana endeavours to ratify such treaties as soon as possible after signature.

³⁶ Full text available at: <https://www.un.org/en/ga/sixth/67/pdfs/statements/ilc/ghana.pdf>.