

**Treaty on the delimitation of the maritime frontier between
the Republic of Cape Verde and the Republic of Senegal, 17 February 1993**

The Government of the Republic of Cape Verde, on the one hand, and
The Government of the Republic of Senegal, on the other hand,
Guided by the spirit of friendship and cooperation existing between their two peoples;
Desiring to develop and strengthen their neighborly relations;
Desiring to establish, through negotiations, their common maritime frontier which separates the exclusive economic zone and the continental shelf of the two countries;
Taking into account the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 1982.
Have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The two Parties shall establish, as their maritime frontier which separates the exclusive economic zone and the continental shelf of the two countries, a median line all of whose points are equidistant from the nearest points on the baselines of the two countries.

The median line mentioned above, for practical reasons of simplification, has been corrected following the course and coordinates included in annex I.

Article 2

The baselines referred to in the preceding article are the archipelagic baselines of the Republic of Cape Verde and the baselines of the Republic of Senegal from which the breadth of the territorial sea of each Party is measured.

The baselines are drawn in conformity with the Convention on the Law of the Sea of 1982.

Article 3

The line defining the common maritime frontier between the two countries and its geographical coordinates defined in conformity with article 1 is reproduced in annex I of this Treaty.

The two Parties have agreed to use, in their work, the American map entitled "Operational Navigation Chart", scale 1/1,000,000, series ONE, K-O, prepared and published by the Defense Mapping Agency Aerospace Center, St. Louis, Missouri, Edition Revue of September 1986. They have used this map for drawing the line delimiting their common maritime frontier.

The map mentioned in the preceding paragraph has been anticipated by the signatories of this Treaty and is contained in annex I. 1/

Article 4

The archipelagic lines of the Republic of Cape Verde and their geographical coordinates defined in conformity with article 2 are reproduced in annex II of this Treaty.

Article 5

The baselines of the Republic of Senegal and their geographical coordinates, defined in conformity with article 2, are reproduced in annex III of this Treaty.

Article 6

Any dispute regarding the interpretation or application of this Treaty shall be settled by negotiations.

If, within a reasonable time, these negotiations are not successful, the two Parties may have recourse to any other means of peaceful settlement mutually agreed upon, without prejudice to article 287 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea.

The annexes to this Treaty form an integral part of it.

Article 8

This Treaty shall enter into force on the date of the reception, by the other Party, of the last instrument of ratification.

Article 9

This Treaty is drawn up in two originals, in Portuguese and French, the two texts being equally authentic.
(Map not annexed to this Treaty.)

ANNEX I

Line establishing the common maritime frontier between the Republic of Cape Verde and the Republic of Senegal

Article 1

The line establishing the common maritime frontier which separates the exclusive economic zone and the continental shelf of the two countries is defined by the following coordinates:

Points	Longitude north	Longitude west
A	13° 39' 00"	20° 04' 25"
B	14° 51' 00"	20° 04' 25"
C	14° 55' 00"	20° 00' 00"
D	15° 10' 00"	19° 51' 30"
E	15° 25' 00"	19° 44' 50"
F	15° 40' 00"	19° 38' 30"
G	15° 55' 00"	19° 35' 40"
H	16° 04' 05"	19° 33' 30"

Article 2

The geometric configuration of the maritime zone between the two countries and the projection of the baseline of the maritime frontier mentioned above appear on the map included herewith.

ANNEX II

Baselines of the Republic of Cape Verde

Article 1

The archipelagic baselines of the Republic of Cape Verde having served as reference points for the delimitation of the maritime frontier between the two countries have been defined in conformity with the following coordinates, which have been published in Law No. 60/IV/92 of 21 December 1992 of the Republic of Cape Verde.

Points	Longitude north	Longitude west	Observ.
O-Pta Casaca	16° 50' 01.69"	22° 53' 50.14"	Sal
P-ILHEU Cascalho	16° 11' 31.04"	22° 40' 52.44"	Boa Vista
Pl-ILHEU Baluarte	16° 09' 05.00"	22° 39' 45.00"	Boa Vista
Q-Pta Roque	16° 05' 09.83"	22° 40' 26.06"	Boa Vista
R-Pta Flamengas	15° 10' 03.89"	23° 05' 47.90"	Maio
S-	15° 09' 02.21"	23° 06' 24.98"	Maio

Article 2

The baselines mentioned above appear on the annexed map.

ANNEX III

Baselines of the Republic of Senegal

Article 1

The baselines of the Republic of Senegal having served as reference points for the delimitation of the common maritime frontier between the two countries have been defined in conformity with the following coordinates, which have been published in Decree No. 90-670 of 18 June 1990 of the Republic of Senegal:

Straight baselines

- From the end of the Langu de Barbarie (15° 52' 42" N - 16° 31' 36" W) to point Pl (15° 48' 05" N - 16° 31' 32" W);
- From point P2 (14° 45' 49" N - 17° 27' 42" W) to the northern end of lie de Yoff (14° 46' 18" N - 17° 28' 42" W);

3. From the northern end of lie de Yoff (14° 46' 18" N - 17° 28' 42" W) to the northern end of the lie de Ngor (14° 45' 30" N - 17° 30' 56" W);
4. From the northern end of Ile de Ngor (14° 45' 30" N - 17° 30' 56" W) to feu des Almadies (14° 44'36" N - 17° 32' 36" W);
5. From feu des Almadies (14° 44' 36" N - 17° 32' 36" W) to the south-western end of Ile des Madeleines (14° 39' 10" N - 17° 28' 25" W);
6. From the south-western end of Ile des Madeleines (14° 39' 10" N - 17° 28' 25" W) to Cap-Manuel (14° 39' 00" N - 17° 26' 00" W);
7. From Cap-Manuel (14° 39' 00" N - 17° 26' 00" W) to Point Sud Goree (14° 39' 48" N - 17° 23' 54"W)
8. From Point Sud Goree (14° 39' 48" N - 17° 23' 54" W) to Rufisque lighthouse (14° 42' 36" N - 17° 17' 00" W);
9. From the western end of Sangomer (13° 50' 00" N - 16° 45' 40" W) to the northern end of Ile des oiseaux (13° 39' 42" N - 16° 40' 20" W);
10. From the southern end of Ile des oiseaux (13° 38' 15" N - 16° 38' 45" W) to Point Djinnak (13° 35'36" N - 16° 32' 54" W);

Normal baselines

Everywhere else the breadth of the maritime areas under Senegalese jurisdiction shall be measured from the line of low tide.

Article 2

The baselines mentioned above are drawn on the map appearing in annex I.