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SUBJECT: CONSULAR FORMALITIES - SUBMISSION OF REPORTS BY CONTRACTING PARTIES

AT THEIR TWENTIETH SESSION THE CONTRACTING PARTIES RECOMMENDED TO CONTRACTING PARTIES STILL MAINTAINING CONSULAR REQUIREMENTS THAT THESE SHOULD BE REMOVED IN CONFORMITY WITH THE RECOMMENDATION OF 1952, AS AMENDED IN 1957 (BISD, ELEVENTH SUPPLEMENT, PAGE 59).

THE CONTRACTING PARTIES ALSO AGREED THAT, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE VIII:2 AND THE RECOMMENDATION CITED ABOVE, IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF CONTRACTING PARTIES STILL REGULARLY REQUIRING CONSULAR FORMALITIES WERE TO REPORT TO THE TWENTY-FIRST SESSION, (a) THE REASON FOR MAINTAINING THESE REQUIREMENTS, AND (b) THEIR FUTURE POLICY ON THIS MATTER.

THE CONTRACTING PARTIES CONCERNED ARE REQUESTED TO SUBMIT REPORTS ALONG THE LINES INDICATED ABOVE TO ME BY 10 FEBRUARY 1964 SO THAT THESE CAN BE INCLUDED IN A DOCUMENT FOR CONSIDERATION AT THE TWENTY-FIRST SESSION.

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OBJET: FORMALITES CONSULAIRES - RAPPORTS DES PARTIES CONTRACTANTES

LORS DE LA VINGTIEME SESSION, LES PARTIES CONTRACTANTES ONT RECOMMANDE AUX PARTIES CONTRACTANTES QUI IMPOSENT ENCORE DES FORMALITES CONSULAIRES DE LES SUPPRIMER CONFORMEMENT A LA RECOMMANDATION DE 1952 MODIFIEE EN 1957 (IBDD, SUPPLEMENT N° 11, PAGES 60-61).

LES PARTIES CONTRACTANTES SONT EGALEMENT CONVENUES QUE, COMPTE TENU DES DISPOSITIONS DE L'ARTICLE VIII, PARAGRAPHE 2, ET DE LA RECOMMANDATION CITEE PLUS HAUT, IL SERAIT UTILE QUE LES PARTIES CONTRACTANTES QUI EXIGENT ENCORE NORMALEMENT DES FORMALITES CONSULAIRES FASSENT CONNAITRE A LA VINGT ET UNIEME SESSION a) LES MOTIFS DU MAINTIEN DE CES PRESCRIPTIONS ET b) LEUR POLITIQUE FUTURE EN LA MATIERE.

LES PARTIES CONTRACTANTES INTERESSEES SONT PRIEES DE ME COMMUNIQUER LEURS RAPPORTS SUR LES POINTS INDICUES D'ICI AU 10 FEVRIER 1964 DE FACON QUE CES RAPPORTS PUISSENT ETRE REPRODUITS DANS UN DOCUMENT QUI SERA EXAMINE A LA VINGT ET UNIEME SESSION.

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