



DÉPARTEMENT FÉDÉRAL DES AFFAIRES ÉTRANGÈRES

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Notification
to the Governments of the States parties
to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949
for the Protection of War Victims

ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL I

Declaration by Portugal

On 1 July 1994, the Portuguese Republic deposited with the Swiss Federal Council the following declaration (original version):

"The Government of Portugal declares that it recognizes ipso facto and without special agreement, in relation to any other High Contracting Party accepting the same obligation, the competence of the International Fact-Finding Commission to enquire into allegations by such other Party, as authorized by Article 90 of Protocol I to the Geneva Conventions of August 12th, 1949, concluded in Geneva on December 12th, 1977, relating to the Protection of Victims of International Armed Conflicts.

The Portuguese Republic ratified the Protocol on 27 May 1992.

The present notification is made by the Swiss Federal Council in its capacity of depositary of the Protocol.

Berne, 27 July 1994