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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 16(1)

Submitted by the Soviet delegation

Article 16(1) should read as follows:

## "Article 16(1) Signature, Acceptance and Accession

- (1) The present Convention shall remain open for signature for three months from....., and shall thereafter remain open for accession. Governments of States may become Parties to the Convention by:
  - (a) signature without reservation as to acceptance;
  - (b) signature subject to acceptance followed by acceptance, or
  - (c) accession."
- (2) Paragraph (2) remains unchanged.