

No. 3940

EGYPT

Declaration recognizing as compulsory the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice in conformity with Article 36, paragraph 2, of the Statute of the International Court of Justice and in pursuance and for the purposes of paragraph 9 (b) of the Declaration of the Government of Egypt of 24 April 1957 on the Suez Canal and the arrangements for its operation. Cairo, 18 July 1957

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ÉGYPTE

Déclaration reconnaissant comme obligatoire la juridiction de la Cour internationale de Justice, conformément au paragraphe 2 de l'Article 36 du Statut de la Cour internationale de Justice, et en application et aux fins de l'alinéa b du paragraphe 9 de la Déclaration du Gouvernement égyptien en date du 24 avril 1957 sur le canal de Suez et sur les arrangements concernant sa gestion. Le Caire, 18 juillet 1957

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No. 3940. EGYPT: DECLARATION¹ RECOGNIZING AS COMPULSORY THE JURISDICTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE IN CONFORMITY WITH ARTICLE 36, PARAGRAPH 2, OF THE STATUTE OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE AND IN PURSUANCE AND FOR THE PURPOSES OF PARAGRAPH 9 (b) OF THE DECLARATION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF EGYPT OF 24 APRIL 1957² ON THE SUEZ CANAL AND THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR ITS OPERATION. CAIRO, 18 JULY 1957

MINISTÈRE DES AFFAIRES ÉTRANGÈRES
CABINET DU MINISTRE³

18th July, 1957

DECLARATION

I, Mahmoud Fawzi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Egypt, declare on behalf of the Government of the Republic of Egypt, that, in accordance with Article 36 (2) of the Statute of the International Court of Justice and in pursuance and for the purposes of paragraph 9 (b) of the Declaration of the Government of the Republic of Egypt dated, April 24, 1957,² on, "the Suez Canal and the arrangements for its operation", the Government of the Republic of Egypt accept as compulsory *ipso facto*, on condition of reciprocity and without special agreement, the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice in all legal disputes that may arise under the said paragraph 9 (b) of the above Declaration dated April 24, 1957, with effect as from that date.

[SEAL] (*Signed*) Mahmoud FAWZI

¹ Deposited with the Secretary-General of the United Nations on 22 July 1957.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 265, No. 3821.

³ Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
Office of the Minister.