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SWAZILAND

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. Mbabane, 9 May 1969

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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. Mbabane, 9 mai 1969

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DECLARATION¹ OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM
OF SWAZILAND, MADE UNDER ARTICLE 36, PARA-
GRAPH 2 OF THE STATUTE OF THE INTERNATIONAL
COURT OF JUSTICE

I, Prince Makhosini Jameson Dlamini, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Swaziland to whom His Majesty has delegated responsibility for the conduct of foreign affairs, have the honour to declare on behalf of the Government of the Kingdom of Swaziland, that it recognizes as compulsory *ipso facto* and without special agreement, on condition of reciprocity, the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice, in accordance with paragraph 2 of Article 36 of the Statute of the Court.

This Declaration does not extend :

- (a) To disputes in respect of which the parties have agreed or shall agree to have recourse to another means of peaceful settlement ; or
- (b) To disputes relating to matters which, by international law, are essentially within the domestic jurisdiction of the Kingdom of Swaziland.

The Government of the Kingdom of Swaziland also reserves the right to add to, amend or withdraw this Declaration by means of a notification addressed to the Secretary-General of the United Nations, with effect as from the moment of such notification.

Mbabane, 9th May, 1969.

Makhosini Jameson DLAMINI
Prime Minister
and Minister for Foreign Affairs

¹ Deposited with the Secretary-General of the United Nations on 26 May 1969.