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NAURU

**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. Done on 30 December 1987**

*Authentic text: English.*

*Registered ex officio on 29 January 1988.*

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NAURU

**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. Faite le 30 décembre 1987**

*Texte authentique : anglais.*

*Enregistrée d'office le 29 janvier 1988.*

DECLARATION<sup>1</sup> BY NAURU 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

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REPUBLIC OF NAURU

On behalf of the Government of the Republic of Nauru I declare that it accepts as compulsory, *ipso facto* and without special agreement, in relation to any other State accepting the same obligation, the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice, in accordance with Article 36, paragraph 2 of the Statute of the Court, and stipulate that the acceptance of the Court's jurisdiction shall extend to all disputes to which the Republic is or may be a party, other than any dispute with respect to which there exists a dispute settlement mechanism under an agreement between the Republic of Nauru and another State.

I further declare that the present Declaration shall be in force for a period of five years from the date of its deposit with the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF under my hand and the Common Seal of the Republic of Nauru, dated this thirtieth day of the month of December, one thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven.

[Signed]

HAMMER DEROBURT

President and Minister for External Affairs  
Republic of Nauru

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<sup>1</sup> Deposited with the Secretary-General of the United Nations on 29 January 1988, to take effect on the same date.