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**The International Humanitarian Fact-finding Commission -  
Model declaration of acceptance**

**International Fact-Finding Commission  
(Protocol I, Article 90)  
Optional Clause**

The Government of ..... 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 additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949.

Date Signature