

FEDERAL POLITICAL DEPARTMENT

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Notification
to the Governments of the States Parties
to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949
for the Protection of War Victims

Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions
of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection
of Victims of International Armed Conflicts
(Protocol I)

Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions
of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection
of Victims of Non-international Armed Conflicts
(Protocol II)

I

ACCESSION OF THE SOCIALIST PEOPLE'S
LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA
AND ENTRY INTO FORCE OF THE
AFOREMENTIONED PROTOCOLS

On 7 June 1978 the Socialist People's Libyan Arab
Jamahiriya has deposited with the Swiss Government the instru-
ment of accession of this State to the Protocols I and II
mentioned above.

Considering the previous ratification of the Protocols by the Republic of Ghana, and by virtue of Articles 95, Paragraph 1, of Protocol I, and 23, Paragraph 1, of Protocol II, the Protocols in question will enter into force six months after the deposit of the instrument of accession by the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, i.e. on 7 December 1978.

II

SIGNATURE OF PROTOCOL I

On 22 March 1978, the Hellenic Republic has signed Protocol I, and has deposited the following declaration:

"... A cette occasion, le Gouvernement Hellénique désire déclarer qu'il se réserve le droit de formuler, éventuellement, des réserves - selon ses dispositions constitutionnelles - au moment du dépôt de l'instrument de ratification."

III

SIGNATURES OF PROTOCOLS I AND II

The States named hereafter have signed the Protocols I and II:

the Socialist Republic of Romania, on 28 March 1978,
the Lao People's Democratic Republic, on 18 April 1978.

The present notification is made in application of Article 100 of Protocol I, and of Article 26 of Protocol II.

Berne, 12 June 1978.
