

Travaux Préparatoires to the Convention

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Convention (Section 1 - Rights and freedoms)

Article	Subject	Document number	Language
Preamble	Introduction	<i>non-existent</i>	-
-	Notion of "general principles of law recognised by civilised nations"	CDH(74)37	bilingual
1	Obligation to respect human rights	Cour(77)9	eng / fre
2	Right to life	<i>non-existent</i>	-
3	Prohibition of torture	DH(56)5 CDH(70)9 CDH(77)3	eng / fre bilingual bilingual
4	Prohibition of slavery and forced labour	DH(62)10 CDH(70)5	bilingual bilingual
5	Right to liberty and security	DH(56)10 CDH(67)10	eng / fre bilingual
6	Right to a fair trial	DH(56)11 CDH(68)3	eng / fre bilingual (1, 2)
7	No punishment without law	DH(57)6 CDH(70)10	bilingual bilingual
8	Right to respect for private and family life	DH(56)12 CDH(67)5	eng / fre bilingual
9	Freedom of thought, conscience and religion	DH(56)14	eng / fre
10	Freedom of expression	DH(56)15 CDH(75)6	eng / fre bilingual
11	Freedom of assembly and association	DH(56)16 CDH(74)39	eng / fre bilingual
12	Right to marry	<i>non-existent</i>	-
13	Right to an effective remedy	DH(57)5 CDH(70)8	bilingual bilingual
14	Prohibition of discrimination	CDH(67)3	bilingual
15	Derogation in time of emergency	DH(56)4 CDH(77)5	eng / fre bilingual
16	Restrictions on the political activities of aliens	CDH(67)4	bilingual
17	Prohibition of abuse of rights	DH(57)4 CDH(75)7	bilingual bilingual
18	Limitation on use of restrictions on rights	CDH(75)11	bilingual

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Convention (Section 3 - Commission and Committee of Ministers)

Article	Subject	Document number	Language
25.1	Individual appeal	DH(64)1	- / fre
26	Exhaustion of domestic remedies + 6 month time limit	CDH(70)30	bilingual
27	Admissibility	CDH(70)30	bilingual
32	Procedure Committee of Ministers	DH(58)4	bilingual

Convention (Section 4 - Court)

Article	Subject	Document number	Language
43	Constitution and role of Chambers	CDHmisc(59)2	- / fre
45	Jurisdiction of the Court in general	CDH(70)32	bilingual
49	Decision of the Court as to its own jurisdiction	CDH(70)32	bilingual
50	Just satisfaction	CDH(70)17	bilingual
52	Judgment of the Court is final	CDH(73)1	bilingual
53	Obligation of Contracting Parties to abide by the decision of the Court	CDH(72)27	bilingual
54	Committee of Ministers to supervise execution of judgments	CDH(72)27	bilingual
55	Court determines its rules and procedures	CDH(59)1	eng / fre

Convention (Section 5 - Miscellaneous provisions)

Article	Subject	Document number	Language
62	Exclusion of other means of dispute settlement	CDH(69)12	bilingual
63	Territorial application	Cour(78)8	eng / fre

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Protocols amending the Convention

Protocol	Subject	Document number	Language
P1-1	Protection of property	CDH(76)36	eng / fre
P1-2	Right to education	CDH(67)2	bilingual
P1-3	Right to free elections	Cour(86)36	bilingual
P2	Competence to give advisory opinions	Coll. edition	eng / fre
P3	Amends articles 29, 30 and 34	Coll. edition	bilingual
P4	Secures certain rights and freedoms other than those already in the Convention and first Protocol	Coll. edition	bilingual
P5	Amends articles 22 and 40	Coll. edition	bilingual

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