

(b) immunity from jurisdiction, even after the termination of their mission, in respect of acts, including words spoken or written, performed by them in their official capacity and within the limits of their authority; this immunity shall not apply in the case of a traffic offence committed by a representative of a Member State nor in the case of damage caused by a vehicle belonging to or driven by such a person;

(c) inviolability for all their official papers and documents;

(d) exemption from all measures restricting aliens' entry and from aliens' registration formalities;

(e) the same customs facilities as regards their personal luggage and the same privileges in respect of currency and exchange regulations as are accorded to the representatives of foreign Governments on temporary official missions.

#### *Article 13*

The staff members of the Centre shall enjoy, within the limits provided for in this Protocol, the following privileges, immunities and facilities:

(a) immunity from jurisdiction, even after they have left the service of the Centre, in respect of acts, including words spoken or written, performed by them in their official capacity and within the limits of their authority; this immunity shall not apply in the case of a traffic offence committed by a staff member, nor in the case of damage caused by a vehicle belonging to or driven by such a person;

(b) exemption from all obligations in respect of military service;

(c) inviolability for all their official papers and documents;

(d) together with members of their families forming part of their households, the same exceptions regarding measures restricting immigration and governing aliens' registration as are normally accorded to staff members of international organisations;

(e) the same privileges in respect of monetary and exchange regulations as are normally accorded to staff members of international organisations;

(f) together with members of their families forming part of their households, the same facilities as regards repatriation in

time of international crisis as are normally accorded to staff members of international organisations;

(g) the right to import free of duty furniture and personal effects at the time of taking up a post for a period of at least one year in the State concerned and the right on the termination of their functions in the said State to export free of duty furniture and personal effects, subject in both cases to the conditions considered necessary by the Government of the State in whose territory the right is exercised and with the exception of property acquired in that State and subject to an export prohibition therein.

#### *Article 14*

Experts who are not staff members and who perform duties at the Centre or who carry out missions on its behalf, shall enjoy, while performing their duties or while on missions and during journeys made in the course of such duties or missions, the following privileges, immunities and facilities to the extent that they are necessary for the performance of their duties or for the accomplishment of their missions.

(a) immunity from jurisdiction, even after they have left the service of the Centre, in respect of acts, including words spoken and written, performed by them in their capacity as experts and within the limits of their authority; this immunity shall not apply in the case of a traffic offence committed by an expert nor in the case of damage caused by a vehicle belonging to or driven by such a person;

(b) inviolability for all their official papers and documents;

(c) the same customs facilities as regards their personal luggage and the same privileges in respect of currency and exchange regulations as are accorded to persons sent by foreign Governments on temporary official missions.

#### *Article 15*

1. Subject to the conditions and following the procedure laid down by the Council acting in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 6 (2) of the Convention within a period of one year after the Convention's entry into force, the staff members