

served for the authorities of that other State Party by its domestic law.

Article 19

1. Nothing in this Convention shall affect other rights, obligations and responsibilities of States and individuals under international law, in particular the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations and international humanitarian law.

2. The activities of armed forces during an armed conflict, as those terms are understood under international humanitarian law, which are governed by that law, are not governed by this Convention, and the activities undertaken by military forces of a State in the exercise of their official duties, inasmuch as they are governed by other rules of international law, are not governed by this Convention.

Article 20

1. Any dispute between two or more States Parties concerning the interpretation or application of this Convention which cannot be settled through negotiation within a reasonable time shall, at the request of one of them, be submitted to arbitration. If, within six months from the date of the request for arbitration, the parties are unable to agree on the organization of the arbitration, any one of those parties may refer the dispute to the International Court of Justice, by application, in conformity with the Statute of the Court.

2. Each State may at the time of signature, ratification, acceptance or approval of this Convention or accession thereto declare that it does not consider itself bound by paragraph 1 of the present article. The other States Parties shall not be bound by paragraph 1 with respect to any State Party which has made such a reservation.

3. Any State which has made a reservation in accordance with paragraph 2 of the present article may at any time withdraw that reservation by notification to the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

er forbeholdt myndighederne i denne anden kontraherende stat ifølge dens lovgivning.

Artikel 19

1. Intet i denne konvention skal påvirke staternes og enkeltpersoners øvrige rettigheder, forpligtelser og ansvar i henhold til folkeretten, især formålene og principperne for De Forenede Nationers pact og den humanitære folkeret.

2. Denne konvention gælder ikke for væbnede styrkers aktiviteter under en væbnet konflikt, sådan som disse udtryk forstås efter den humanitære folkeret, som gælder derfor, eller for aktiviteter foretaget af en stats militærstyrke under udøvelse af deres officielle henværk, for så vidt andre bestemmelser i folkeretten gælder derfor.

Artikel 20

1. Enhver uoverensstemmelse mellem to eller flere kontraherende stater om fortolkningen eller anvendelsen af denne konvention, der ikke inden for en rimelig tid kan afgøres ved forhandling, skal efter en af disse staters anmodning henvises til voldgift. Såfremt der ikke inden for seks måneder fra datoén for anmodningen om voldgift kan opnås enighed mellem parterne om voldgiftsretten sammensætning, kan hver af parterne henvisse tvisten til Den internationale Domstol ved en anmodning herom i overensstemmelse med domstolens statutter.

2. En stat kan ved undertegnelsen, ratifikationen, accepten eller godkendelsen af denne konvention eller ved sin tiltrædelse af konventionen erklære, at den ikke anser sig for bundet af bestemmelsen i stk. 1. De øvrige kontraherende stater skal ikke være bundet af stk. 1 over for en kontraherende stat, der har taget et sådant forbehold.

3. En stat, der har taget forbehold i medfør af stk. 2, kan når som helst trække dette forbehold tilbage ved meddelelse herom til De Forenede Nationers generalsekretær.