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DRAFT CONVENTION RELATING TO THE STATUS OF REFUGEES

United Kingdom : Amendment to Article 1.

Article 1

Substitute for Paragraph (2) of Section A, down to the words "is unwilling to return to it", the fallowing : '

"As a result of events occurring before 1st Jan. 1951 and owing to well-founded fear of being persecuted for reasons of race, religion, nationality or political opinion, is sutside the country of his nationality, or, if he has no nationality, the country of his habitual residence, and is unable, or, owing to such fear or for reasons other than personal convenience is unwilling to avail himself of the protection of the country of his nationality; or, if he has no nationality, to return to the country of his former habitual residence".