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1. Any State may at the time of signature, ratification or accession to the present Covenant or at any time thereafter declare by notification given to the Secretary-General of the United Nations that the present Covenant shall extend to any of the territories for whose international relations it is responsible and the Covenant shall from the date of the receipt of the notification extend to the territories named therein.

2. A state which has made a declaration under aragraph 1 above extending the present Covenant to any territory for whose international relations it is responsible may at any time thereafter declare by notification given to the Secretary-General of the United Nations that the Covenant shall cease to extend to any territory named in the notification and the Covenant shall from the date of the notification cease to extend to such territory.

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