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Article ---* of the draft covenant on economic, social and cultural rights:
text adopted by the Commission at its 29th meeting, on 14 May 1952

Article _____

1. The States Parties to the Covenants recognize the right of everyone:
 - (a) To take part in cultural life;
 - (b) To enjoy the benefits of scientific progress and its applications.
2. The steps to be taken by the States Parties to this Covenant to achieve the full realization of this right shall include those necessary for the conservation, the development and the diffusion of science and culture.
3. The States Parties to the Covenant undertake to respect the freedom indispensable for scientific research and creative activity.

* Article 30 of the draft covenant drawn up by the Commission at its seventh session.