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ARTICLE II. (Substitute). In this Convention genocide means any of the following deliberate acts committed with the intent to destroy a national, racial, religious, economic* or political group, on grounds of the national or racial origin, religious belief, economic status, or political opinion of its members;

- (1) killing members of the group;
- (2) impairing the physical integrity of members of the group;
- (3) inflicting on members of the group measures or conditions of life aimed at causing their deaths;
- (4) imposing measures intended to prevent births within the group

ARTICLE III. This article should be deleted.

ARTICLE IV. (Substitute). The following acts shall be punishable

- (a) genocide as defined in Articles II and III;
- (b) conspiracy to commit genocide;
- [(c) direct incitement in public or in private to commit genocide whether such incitement be successful or not;]⁷
- (d) attempt to commit genocide;
- (e) complicity in any of the acts enumerated in this article.

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* Underscored words represent the proposed additions; bracketed material represents proposed deletions.

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