

definition

“An international agreement concluded between States in written form and governed by international law, whether embodied in a single instrument or in two or more related instruments and whatever its particular designation”

- Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties, 1969.

“ An agreement formally signed, ratified, or adhered to between two nations or sovereigns; an international agreement concluded between two or more states in written form and governed by international law. - Also termed accord; convention; covenant; declaration; pact.”

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