PROTECTION OF WAR VICTIMS (RED CROSS CONVENTIONS)

Conventions, with annexes, signed at Geneva August 12, 1949 (1) for the amelioration of the condition of the wounded and sick in armed forces in the field; (2) for the amelioration of the condition of wounded, sick and shipwrecked members of armed forces at sea; (3) relative to the treatment of prisoners of war; and (4) relative to the protection of civilian persons in time of war

Senate advice and consent to ratification, with reservations and statements, July 6, 1955

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