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SCHEDULE

SUBMARINE TELEGRAPHS CONVENTION

ARTICLE VII

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Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1 Art. VII para. 1 amended and extended by [Continental Shelf Act 1964 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 8(1)

Owners of ships or vessels who can prove that they have sacrificed an anchor, a net, or other fishing gear in order to avoid injuring a submarine cable shall receive compensation from the owner of the cable.

In order to establish a claim to such compensation, a statement supported by the evidence of the crew, should, whenever possible, be drawn up immediately after the occurrence; and the master must, within twenty-four hours after his return to, or next putting into port, make a declaration to the proper authorities.

The latter shall communicate the information to the consular authorities of the country to which the owner of the cable belongs.

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