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**1974 No. 1261**

**DIPLOMATIC AND INTERNATIONAL  
IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES**

The United Nations and International Court of  
Justice (Immunities and Privileges) Order 1974

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THE UNITED NATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL COURT OF  
JUSTICE (IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES) ORDER 1974

PART I  
GENERAL

1. This Order may be cited as the United Nations and...
2. (1) In this Order “the 1961 Convention Articles” means the...
3. The Diplomatic Privileges (United Nations and International Court of Justice)...

PART II  
THE UNITED NATIONS

*The United Nations*

4. The United Nations is an organisation of which the United...
5. The United Nations shall have the legal capacities of a...
6. Except in so far as in any particular case it...
7. The United Nations shall have the like inviolability of official...
8. The United Nations shall have the like exemption or relief...
9. The United Nations shall have the like relief from rates...
10. The United Nations shall have exemption from customs duties and...
11. The United Nations shall have exemption from prohibitions and restrictions...
12. The United Nations shall have relief, under arrangements made by...

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13. The United Nations shall have relief, under arrangements made by...

*Representatives*

14. (1) Except in so far as in any particular case...

*High Officers*

15. (1) Except in so far as in any particular case...

*All Officers*

16. Except in so far as in any particular case any...

*Experts*

17. Except in so far as in any particular case any...

PART III

THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

*Judges and Registrar*

18. Except in so far as in any particular case any...

19. The judges and Registrar shall have exemption from income tax...

*All Officers*

20. Except in so far as in any particular case any...

*Agents, counsel and advocates*

21. (1) Except in so far as in any particular case...

*Assessors, witnesses, experts and persons performing missions*

22. Except in so far as in any particular case any...

Signature

Explanatory Note