

No. 1845. INTERNATIONAL OPIUM CONVENTION. SIGNED AT GENEVA,
FEBRUARY 19, 1925¹

DECLARATION concerning the declaration made by the Federal Republic of Germany² with regard to the declaration of reapplication by the German Democratic Republic³ (*Note by the Secretariat*)

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“The Government of the German Democratic Republic takes the view that in accordance with the applicable rules of international law and the international practice of States the regulations on the reapplication of agreements concluded under international law are an internal affair of the successor State concerned. Accordingly, the German Democratic Republic was entitled to determine the date of reapplication of the International Opium Convention, February 19, 1925¹ to which it established its status as a party by way of succession.”

(17 June 1976)

¹ League of Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. LXXXI, p. 317; for subsequent actions published in the League of Nations *Treaty Series*, see references in General Indexes Nos. 3 to 9, and for those published in the United Nations *Treaty Series*, see annex C in volumes 798, 890, 917, 976 and 999. See also “Protocol signed at Lake Success, New York, on 11 December 1946, amending the Agreements, Conventions and Protocols on narcotic drugs concluded at The Hague on 23 January 1912, at Geneva on 11 February 1925 and 19 February 1925, and 13 July 1931, at Bangkok on 27 November 1931 and at Geneva on 26 June 1936” in United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 12, p. 179.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 999, No. C-1845.

³ *Ibid.*, vol. 917, p. 369.