OBSESSION to the signature by Democratic Kampuchea

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GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

"The signing of the above-said convention on behalf of the so-called Government of Democratic Kampuchea, a criminal clique of stooges which was overthrown by the people of Kampuchea, in the opinion of the German Democratic Republic is unlawful and, therefore, null and void. In the People's Republic of Kampuchea, the only existing Kampuchean State, the entire power is exercised by the Revolutionary Council of the People's Republic of Kampuchea. Therefore, the Revolutionary Council of the People's Republic of Kampuchea is the sole legitimate Government of Kampuchea which has the right to represent that country and its interests, including within the framework of the United Nations Organization. It cannot be overlooked that the farce of the signing of the said conventions by one person who represents nobody [other] than himself constitutes a violation of generally recognized legal norms, an affront to millions of citizens of Kampuchea who were tormented to death by


2 Ibid.


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the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary regime, and a derision of the international public which very well knows about those crimes."