

No. 6465. CONVENTION ON THE HIGH SEAS. DONE AT GENEVA, ON
29 APRIL 1958¹

ACCESSION

Instrument deposited on:

7 December 1964

ALBANIA

With the following reservation and declaration :

[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

Reservation concerning article 9:

The Government of the People's Republic of Albania considers that, in virtue of well-known principles of international law, all Governments ships owned or operated by a State, without exception, irrespective of the purpose for which they are used, are subject to the jurisdiction only of the State under whose flag they sail.

Declaration:

The Government of the People's Republic of Albania declares that the definition of piracy as given in the Convention is not consistent with present international law and does not serve to ensure freedom of navigation on the high seas.

¹ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 450, p. 11; for subsequent actions relating to this Convention, see Annex A in volumes 458, 463, 505 and 510.