SELECTED MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE
SECRETARY-GENERAL WHICH ARE OPEN FOR SIGNATURE

A simple signature (signature subject to ratification) is permitted for most multilateral treaties for a specified period, although some multilateral treaties remain open for signature indefinitely. By signing, the State has not expressed its consent to be bound by the treaty, as this only occurs once the State ratifies, accepts or approves the treaty.

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8. Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. New York, 10 December 1984
9. Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. New York, 18 December 2002


