tracting parties, is appended to the present convention and forms an integral part thereof.

## ARTICLE 2.

The Court of Arbitral Justice shall be composed of nine judges, five constituting a quorum.

## ARTICLE 3.

Each contracting power shall appoint a judge to serve during the life of the convention. The judges thus appointed take rank in accordance with the date of their assumption of office.

## ARTICLE 4.

The Administrative Council referred to in Article 12 of the appended rules shall comprise the diplomatic representatives of the contracting powers accredited to The Hague and the Minister for Foreign Affairs of The Netherlands.

## ARTICLE 5.

In derogation of Article 21 of the rules, action may be brought before the Court of Arbitral Justice and its delegation provided for in Article 6 of the rules, even by non-contracting powers.

If the controversy submitted to the Court of Arbitral Justice or its delegation be between a contracting and a non-contracting power, the latter shall have the right to appoint a judge to take part in the trial and determination of the case. If the powers in controversy be non-contracting powers, each one thereof shall have the right to appoint a judge to take part in the trial and determination of the case.

In such cases the remuneration of the judges appointed by the non-contracting power or powers shall be paid by the appointing power, and the expenses and fees caused by the trial and determination of the case submitted by a non-contracting power or powers shall be defrayed by the non-contracting power or powers to the extent determined by the court or its delegation, which shall take into account that one or both of the litigating parties is a non-contracting power, or that the court is convened especially for the case.