

Articles XII, XIV and XX of the Preliminary Structure of a
Convention on Chemical Weapons

During the 1988 session, the Chairman of the Ad Hoc Committee initiated and carried out open-ended consultations, as well as private consultations with interested delegations, on the final provisions of the Convention.

The following discussion paper constitutes an attempt by the Chairman of the Ad Hoc Committee for the 1988 session to summarize the views expressed during these consultations. The paper is presented with the aim of facilitating further consideration of Articles XII, XIV and XX. Nothing contained therein constitutes any agreement and therefore does not in any way bind any delegation.

Together with existing as well as future proposals and documents on these Articles, the discussion paper will be used for further work on these Articles.