

CANADIAN STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING TO BE DEPOSITED AT THE TIME OF RATIFICATION OF THE 1977 ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL II TO THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS OF AUGUST 12, 1949

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PROTOCOL II

Protocol relating to the Protection of Victims of non-International Armed Conflicts

STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING

The Government of Canada understands that the undefined terms used in Additional Protocol II which are defined in Additional Protocol I shall, so far as relevant, be construed in the same sense as those definitions.

The understandings expressed by the Government of Canada with respect to Additional Protocol I shall, as far as relevant, be applicable to the comparable terms and provisions contained in Additional Protocol II.