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international humanitarian law to protect the civilian population in armed conflicts.	
Protocols I and II and the Statute of the International Criminal Court oblige parties to a conflict to take all feasible measures to ensure that children under the age of 15 years do not take part in the hostilities and to refrain from recruiting them into their armed forces. The ICC Statute lists as a war crime conscription of children into the armed forces or using children to participate actively in war.	