## XXI

For the Republic of the Philippines:

The Republic of the Philippines formally declares upon signing the present Convention that it cannot currently accept any obligations with reference to the Telephone and Telegraph Regulations mentioned in paragraph 2 of Article 12 of that Convention.

## XXII

For the People's Republic of Poland:

In signing the International Telecommunication Convention of Buenos Aires, the Delegation of the People's Republic of Poland is authorized to make the following statement:

1. The Delegation of the People's Republic of Poland considers that participation of Kuomintang representatives in the Buenos Aires Plenipotentiary Conference, and the grant to them of the right to sign the International Telecommunication Convention, is illegal, since the only legitimate representatives of China are those appointed by the Central People's Government of the People's Republic of China.

Participation in the Conference by representatives of Bao-Dai Viet-Nam and of South Korea is likewise illegal, as is the fact that they have been allowed to sign the Convention, since they do not

in fact represent Viet-Nam and Korea.

2. The Delegation of the People's Republic of Poland also considers that participation in the Conference by, and the grant of the right to sign the Convention to, the representatives of the Bonn authorities, which do not represent the whole of Germany and hence are not entitled to act on its behalf, is illegal.

The right to sign the Buenos Aires Convention should also be accorded to the representatives of the German Democratic Republic, which is a party to the Atlantic City Convention and a

Member of the I.T.U.

3. At the time of signing the International Telecommunication Convention in Buenos Aires, the question of acceptance of the Radio Regulations remains open for the People's Republic of Poland.