



All disputes that may arise as regards such estates shall be determined in the territories of His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar by the competent tribunals in accordance with the provisions of laws of general application. French consuls shall not in any matter be cited before a native court in this capacity as administrator or liquidator of the estate of a French national.

The provisions of the present article may be terminated at any time after the expiry of twenty years from the date of the entry into force of the present convention by six months' notice.

#### ARTICLE 23

The following provisions of the Treaty signed at Zanzibar on the 17th November, 1844, with His Highness the Sultan of Muscat and dependencies, namely, Articles 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9, are abrogated so far as the territories of His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar are concerned.

#### ARTICLE 24

For the purposes of this convention the expression "British companies" means any company duly incorporated under the law of any territory under the sovereignty of His Majesty The King or of any territory under his protection, registered in any of the above-mentioned territories.

The expression "French companies" means any company duly incorporated under the law of France or any French colony, protectorate or territory under mandate, and the expression "French ships" means any ship duly registered in any of the above-mentioned territories.

The expression "subject of His Majesty the Sultan of Morocco" only includes those of His Majesty's subjects who enjoy French diplomatic protection abroad.

The expression "territories of His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar" means the territories referred to in the notes exchanged on the 13th and 18th May, 1904, between the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of the French Republic.

#### ARTICLE 25

Any dispute between the High Contracting Parties relating to the interpretation or application of the provisions of the present convention, which they are unable to settle by diplomatic means, shall, on the application of one of them, be submitted to the Permanent Court of International Justice unless the High Contracting Parties agree on another method of settlement.

#### ARTICLE 26

The present convention shall be ratified.

The instruments of ratification shall be exchanged at Paris.

The present convention shall enter into force one calendar month after the date of the exchange of ratifications.

In faith whereof the above-named plenipotentiaries have signed the present convention.

Done this 29th day of July, 1937, at London, in duplicate, in English and French, both texts being equally authentic.

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