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Passage through the Great Belt  
(Finland v. Denmark)

Request for the indication of provisional measures

Court to give its decision on Monday 29 July 1991

The following information is communicated to the Press by the Registry of the International Court of Justice.

On Monday 29 July 1991, at 3 p.m., the Court will hold a public sitting for the purpose of announcing its decision on the request for the indication of provisional measures submitted by the Republic of Finland.

NOTE FOR THE PRESS

1. The public sitting will be held in the Great Hall of Justice of the Peace Palace. Members of the Press will be entitled to attend on presentation of an admission card, which may be obtained upon application. The tables reserved for them are situated on the far left of the public entrance of the courtroom.

2. Photographs may be taken before the opening, during the first five minutes of the sittings; and also for a few minutes towards the end. Filming for cinema or television purposes is however subject to special authorization.

3. Members of the Press may use only the public telephones in the Post Office in the basement of the Palace.

4. Mrs. El-Erian (telephone extension 234 or 238), will be available to deal with any requests for information by members of the Press.