PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY THE CHILEAN DELEGATION

Article XXVIII

Accession

Add the following subparagraph (c) to this article:

"(c) the States that have acceded to the Antarctic Treaty".
ACCESSION

Add a new paragraph 2 to Article XXVIII;

2. Upon receipt of a notification from a State of its intent to accede to this Convention, the Depositary shall communicate to each of the Contracting Parties such notification as well as any accompanying facts and information presented by such State in connection with the accession standard. Within two months of receipt of such communication from the Depositary, any Contracting Party may request that a special meeting of the Contracting Parties be called by the Depositary, at a time and place to be agreed through diplomatic channels, to determine whether such State has met the standard for accession to this Convention.

Note: List of Annexes lists this item as informal United States proposal for an additional paragraph in Article XXVIII.