

The following information from the Registry of the International Court of Justice has been communicated to the Press:

A communication from the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company to-day reached the President of the International Court of Justice requesting him to appoint an arbitrator to settle its dispute with the Imperial Government of Iran.

The communication of the Anglo-Iranian Company invokes Article 22 of the Concession dated April 29th, 1933, which provides that differences between the Parties shall be settled by arbitration and that, failing agreement on the choice of the arbitrators, a third arbitrator, or a sole arbitrator shall be appointed by the President of the Permanent Court of International Justice at the request of either of the Parties.

The Hague, May 26th, 1951.

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