

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

On Thursday, 16th February, 1950, beginning at 11 a.m., the Court will hold a public hearing in the advisory case concerning the competence of the General Assembly for the Admission of New Members to the United Nations. The following Governments have announced that an oral statement will be presented on their behalf:

Argentina; France.

Written statements in the same case have been filed by the Secretary-General of the United Nations and by the following Governments : Union of Soviet Socialist Republics; Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic; Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic; Egypt; Czechoslovakia; United States of America; Republic of Argentina; Venezuela.

In the oral proceedings before the Court, the French Government has announced that it will be represented by M. Georges Scelle, Hon. Professor of the Faculties of Law, Member of the International Law Commission of the United Nations.

The Hague, 13th February, 1950.

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