NON-JUDICIAL MEANS OF DISPUTE SETTLEMENT (II)

CONCILIATION
Most modern process with preferential character in many international conventions. It is included in the Vienna Conventions of 1963, 1978…

FUNCTIONS
Clarifying facts
Establishing applicable law
Issuing a report with a settlement proposal

CHARACTERISTICS
Conciliation is regulated in many treaties, some of them are the Pacific Settlement of International Disputes General Act adopted in 1928 by the League of Nations; and adopted in 1949 by the UN General Assembly

Disputes of any kind may be submitted
The commissions will be permanent and special
They will meet at the UN headquarters or any other place set by the commission chairman
The procedure is contradictory
The parties reaching a solution is its main purpose

This task is finished with the draft of minutes that determines if an agreement has been reached. The parties decide whether to make it public or not