

ENGAGING INTERNATIONAL RESPONSABILITY FOR DAMAGES SUFFERED BY STATES AS AN EFFECT OF CLIMATE CHANGE

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ABSTRACT: *This article exploits the possibility of archipelagic states to seek compensation for the loss of land caused by climate change. In this scope, we shall analyse the general conditions for engaging states responsibility for internationally wrongful acts and focus on identifying a rule of international law that would engage state responsibility. Also, we shall analyse the effect of the loss of territory on the statehood of the archipelagic state.*

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