

Indian Prime Minister visits ICRC

Indian Prime Minister, Mrs. Indira Gandhi, visited on May 6 the headquarters of the International Committee of the Red Cross in Geneva following her address to the Assembly of the World Health Organization.

Mrs. Gandhi was welcomed to the ICRC by its President, Mr. Alexandre Hay and members of the committee and directorate and by leading figures from the League of Red Cross Societies.

After signing the visitors' book, Mrs. Gandhi discussed with ICRC representatives current humanitarian problems.

Declaration of succession of Grenada to the Geneva Conventions

The Government of Grenada, in a letter dated 25 March 1981 addressed to the Swiss Federal Council and received on 13 April 1981, confirmed its participation in the four Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 for the protection of the victims of war, pursuant to their ratification by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Following this declaration, Grenada is a Party to the Geneva Conventions as from 7 February 1974, when it acceded to independence. Grenada is the 148th State which is a Party to the Geneva Conventions.