

**Case on Conservation of Swordfish Stocks
Between Chile and the European Community
in the South-Eastern Pacific Ocean (ITLOS
2001)**

Chile and the European Community asked the Tribunal to form a Special Tribunal (consisting of five judges) to decide *whether the European Community had complied with its obligations under the Law of the Sea Convention to ensure conservation of swordfish in the high seas adjacent to Chile's EEZ.*

Three months later, the parties notified the Tribunal that they had reached a provisional agreement concerning the dispute and requested that the proceedings before the Chamber be suspended.