International Court of Justice: Worksheet

1. What is the role of the International Court of Justice (ICJ)?

2. What court preceded the ICJ?

3. How many judges make up the ICJ?

4. What are contentious issue cases?

5. What is compulsory jurisdiction?

6. What happens if a state refuses to comply with the ICJ’s ruling?

7. How did the United States respond to the ICJ’s ruling on *Nicaragua v. United States*?