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- *In the index of keywords, the keywords, as well as the cases related to each keyword are arranged alphabetically.*
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²) Keyword “expulsion” includes also other forms of deportation, such as refusal to renew residence permit.

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³) Keyword “ill-treatment” includes torture and other forms of cruel or inhumane treatment covered by Article 3 of the Convention.

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⁴) Keyword “life sentence” includes also other forms of extremely long sentences.

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⁵) Keyword “obligation to prosecute” means also “obligation to investigate”.

⁶) Keyword “transfer of enforcement of sentence” covers transfers of enforcement of sentences both under Article 2 of the Additional Protocol to the Convention on Transfer of Sentenced Persons and under the European Convention on the International Validity of Criminal Judgments.

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