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Article 21°. The archeological sites and remains, buildings, monuments, places, bibliographical and on file documents, artistic objects and testimonies of historic value expressly declared as cultural assets, and those provisionally presumed as such, are cultural heritage of the Nation regardless of its condition of private or public property. These are protected by the State.

The law guarantees the ownership of such heritage.

In compliance with the law, the State promotes the private participation in the conservation, restoration, exhibition and diffusion of it, as well as its restitution to the country when it would have been illegally transferred out of the national territory.

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