Peace, War, and the Environment Term 3 Professor MacKenzie

Week 1 Monday: Overview of International Law

Please review these websites and read the UN Charter UN <u>http://www.un.org/en/</u> UN International Law <u>http://www.un.org/en/law/</u> International Court of Justice <u>http://www.icj-cij.org/homepage/index.php</u> International Criminal Court <u>http://www.icc-cpi.int/en_menus/icc/Pages/default.aspx</u> UN Charter <u>http://www.un.org/en/documents/charter/index.shtml</u>

Discussion Questions: What is the structure of the international legal system? How does that system differ from national legal systems? What are the sources of international law? How are the aims of the UN? What is the role of the UN Charter? What mechanisms may be used to enforce international law?