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**GRÈCE ET TURQUIE**

Pacte d'entente cordiale. Signé à  
Ankara, le 14 septembre 1933.

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**GREECE AND TURKEY**

Pact of Cordial Friendship. Signed  
at Ankara, September 14th, 1933.

<sup>1</sup> TRADUCTION. — TRANSLATION.

No. 3600. — PACT <sup>2</sup> OF CORDIAL FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN GREECE AND TURKEY. SIGNED AT ANKARA, SEPTEMBER 14TH, 1933.

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*French official text communicated by the Permanent Delegate of the Hellenic Republic accredited to the League of Nations. The registration of this Pact took place January 31st, 1935.*

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GREECE and TURKEY, faithful to their policy of friendship, understanding and cordial co-operation ;

Being resolved to ensure the continuous development of this policy, the effects of which are felt in all fields of their national and international activity ; imbued, moreover, with the spirit of the Pact <sup>3</sup> of Paris and other international instruments of which they are signatories ; and being desirous of giving a further solemn proof of their devotion to the cause of peace ;

Have decided to conclude a Pact and for this purpose have appointed as their Plenipotentiaries :

THE PRESIDENT OF THE HELLENIC REPUBLIC :

His Excellency Monsieur Panaghis TSALDARIS, President of the Council of Ministers ;  
His Excellency Monsieur Démètre MAXIMOS, Minister for Foreign Affairs ;

THE PRESIDENT OF THE TURKISH REPUBLIC :

His Excellency ISMET Pasha, President of the Council of Ministers, Deputy for Malatya ;  
His Excellency Dr. Tevfik RUSTU Bey, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Deputy for Izmir ;

Who, having communicated their full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles.

*Article 1.*

Greece and Turkey mutually guarantee the inviolability of their common frontiers.

*Article 2.*

The High Contracting Parties agree that a preliminary consultation on any international question which may concern them would be in conformity with the general lines of their policy of understanding and co-operation and with their respective common interests.

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<sup>1</sup> Traduit par le Secrétariat de la Société des Nations, à titre d'information.

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<sup>2</sup> Came into force March 12th, 1934, date of the ratification by Turkey, which was the last ratification.

<sup>3</sup> Vol. XCIV, page 57 ; Vol. CXXXIV, page 411 ; and Vol. CLII, page 298, of this Series.

*Article 3.*

In all international meetings the membership of which is restricted, Greece and Turkey are prepared to consider that it will be the duty of the representative of one of the two Parties to defend the common and special interests of both Parties, and they undertake to endeavour to secure such joint representation, either alternately or, in particular cases of special importance, by the country most closely concerned.

*Article 4.*

The present Pact is concluded for a period of ten years.

If it is not denounced by either High Contracting Party one year before the date on which it expires, it shall remain in force for a further period of ten years.

*Article 5.*

The present Pact shall be ratified and the instruments of ratification shall be exchanged at Athens as soon as possible. It shall come into force as from the date of the last ratification, which shall be communicated by a note to the other Contracting Party.

Done at Ankara, the fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three.

P. TSALDARIS.

D. MAXIMOS.

ISMET.

Dr. T. RUSTU.