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**WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION
and
LEBANON**

Special arrangement for the provision by the World Health Organization of supplies for a microfilm production laboratory. Signed at Beirut, on 28 May 1951, and at Geneva, on 5 June 1951

Official text: English.

Registered by the World Health Organization on 1 October 1951.

**ORGANISATION MONDIALE DE LA SANTÉ
et
LIBAN**

Arrangement spécial relatif à la fourniture par l'Organisation mondiale de la santé d'articles destinés à un laboratoire de production de microfilms. Signé à Beyrouth, le 28 mai 1951, et à Genève, le 5 juin 1951

Texte officiel anglais.

Enregistré par l'Organisation mondiale de la santé le 1^{er} octobre 1951.

No. 1443. SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION AND THE GOVERNMENT OF LEBANON FOR THE PROVISION BY THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION OF SUPPLIES FOR A MICROFILM PRODUCTION LABORATORY. SIGNED AT BEIRUT, ON 28 MAY 1951, AND AT GENEVA, ON 5 JUNE 1951

The World Health Organization of the United Nations, hereinafter referred to as "the Organization", and the Government of Lebanon, hereinafter referred to as "the Government", being desirous of entering into a special arrangement concerning the provision of supplies for a microfilm production laboratory,

Have agreed as follows:—

Article I

The Organization, represented by the Regional Director of the World Health Organization Eastern Mediterranean Office, at the request of the Government of Lebanon and in accordance with the policies adopted by the Organization, will provide to the American University of Beirut, hereinafter referred to as "the University", equipment and supplies as per the attached list and up to the sum of US\$5,000.00, including packing, freight and other expenses.

Article II

The equipment will be imported into Lebanon free of any taxes, duties or other charges, it being understood that the Government will take full responsibility for the equipment and supplies, from the date of its arrival at a Lebanese port of entrance. The Government shall also be responsible for any loss or damage to the supplies and equipment not covered by insurance from the date of its arrival in Lebanon.

Article III

The equipment and supplies included in the attached list will become the property of the American University of Beirut, on the acceptance by the

¹ Came into force on 5 June 1951, by signature.

University of all the conditions provided in this agreement according to attached statement made by the Dean of the University, duly approved by the Regional Director of the World Health Organization, Eastern Mediterranean Office.

Article IV

The Government assumes responsibility for any breach on the part of the University of the undertaking given by the University relative to the project.

Article V

The attached list of equipment, and the arrangement between the Minister of Health and the Organization, and the statement of the Dean of the University, are parts of this agreement. The Organization may change any of the equipment and supplies contained in the list, subject to availability in the market, or to availability of funds, or to any other emergency condition.

Article VI

The Government shall assume the responsibility of collecting from the University any amount of funds over \$5,000.00 that may result from the purchase of the accepted equipment, due to changes of prices, transportation, or any other cause.

Article VII

This agreement will come into effect after signature by the parties concerned on the day the Organization shall inform the Government of the delivery of the equipment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned duly appointed representatives have, on behalf of the parties, signed this special arrangement at Beirut, this 28th day of May 1951, in three copies in English.

For the Government :
Dr. HAYEK
Minister of Health
Lebanon

For the Organization :
A. SHOUSA
Regional Director
World Health Organization
Geneva, 5th June 1951

STATEMENT OF THE DEAN, AMERICAN UNIVERSITY, BEIRUT

The Dean of the American University of Beirut, on behalf of the University Council, is willing to accept the provision of supplies to complete the Microfilm Laboratory of its Library from the World Health Organization under the following conditions, as agreed between the Government of the Lebanon and the World Health Organization :—

1. The University shall receive assistance from the Organization in the form of equipment and supplies to complete the Microfilm Laboratory of its Library, as per the attached list and not exceeding \$5,000.00 including cost of packing and freight. Any excess will be covered by the University.
2. The University accepts the responsibilities undertaken by the Government in signing the special arrangement to which this letter is annexed.
3. The University agrees to render the following services to the Organization :—
 - (a) Assist the Organization in its programme for exchange of scientific information in the Eastern Mediterranean Region, by providing :—
 - (i) Microfilms or other photographic reproduction of scientific papers available at the University Library when requested by the Organization for the use of the Eastern Mediterranean Regional Office. This includes occasional reproduction of documents as submitted by the Organization
 - (ii) Supply at cost price all microfilm or photostatic reproductions of scientific or other documents of any kind available at the University Library on request from the members Governments of the Eastern Mediterranean region.
 - (b) The free use of the library facilities for trainees or students connected with any of the training and teaching programmes sponsored by the Organization and the Government of Lebanon.
4. The University expresses its willingness to co-operate fully with the World Health Organization in the implementation of this project and in any matter related to the project which may not be specifically mentioned in this statement.

(Signed) Hamilton H. ANDERSON
Dean of University, Beirut