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[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

No. 2433. AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE KINGDOM OF NORWAY AND THE REPUBLIC OF FINLAND TO PROVIDE EXEMPTION FROM COMPULSORY MILITARY SERVICE IN CERTAIN CASES. SIGNED AT OSLO, ON 22 SEPTEMBER 1953

Article 1

Finnish nationals residing in Norway and Norwegian nationals residing in Finland shall be exempted from compulsory military service or any other service connected therewith in the country in which they reside. The exemption shall also apply to any economic contribution which may be imposed in lieu of personal services as aforesaid.

Article 2

This Agreement, which is drawn up in two original copies in the Finnish, Swedish and Norwegian languages, shall be ratified and the instruments of ratification shall be exchanged at Helsinki as soon as possible.

The Agreement shall enter into force on the date of exchange of the instruments of ratification and shall remain in force until the first day of the month next following the expiry of one year after the date on which either Contracting Party receives from the other notice in writing of the denunciation of the Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the plenipotentiaries of both States have signed the present Agreement and have thereto affixed their seals.

DONE at Oslo, on 22 September 1953.

Halvard LANGE
Edward Hj. PALIN

¹ Came into force on 5 December 1953 by the exchange of the instruments of ratification, in accordance with article 2.