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I

AMBASSADE ROYALE DE GRÈCE EN TURQUIE²

No. 600

Ankara, the 23rd February, 1959

Excellency,

With reference to your Note No. 173/4(23)57 dated January 17, 1959, I have the honour to inform you that I have been authorized by the Royal Greek Government to concur to the following text of the revised Agreement concerning the abolition of visas between Pakistan and Greece :

1.—Nationals of each country possessing valid passports shall be free to travel from any place whatever to the other for a period not exceeding three months for a single journey and five months for more than one journey within the same year, without the necessity of obtaining a visa in advance.

2.—The waiver of the visa requirement does not exempt Greek nationals and Pakistanis coming respectively to Pakistan and Greece, from the necessity of complying with the Pakistani or Greek laws and regulations concerning the entry, residence (temporary or permanent) and employment or occupation of foreigners and that travellers who are unable to satisfy the immigration authorities that they comply with these laws and regulations will be liable to be refused leave to enter or to land.

3.—The competent authorities of each country reserve the right to refuse leave to enter or stay in the country to persons considered undesirable.

4.—Either Government may suspend the Agreement temporarily for reasons of public order, and the suspension shall be notified immediately to the other Government through diplomatic channels.

5.—Either Government may denounce the Agreement subject to one month's notice.

6.—The present Agreement will come into force from April 1, 1959.

¹ Came into force on 1 April 1959, in accordance with the terms of the said letters.

² Royal Embassy of Greece in Turkey.

I am further authorised to state that my present letter and your acknowledgment thereof shall be considered as placing on record the Agreement between our two Governments.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed) G. PESMAZOGLU
Ambassador of Greece

II

EMBASSY OF PAKISTAN
ANKARA

No. 716/4(23)57

5th March, 1959

Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Your Excellency's letter No. 600 dated the 23rd of February, 1959, informing me that the Royal Greek Government concur to the following text of the revised Agreement concerning the abolition of visas between Pakistan and Greece :

[See letter I]

2. I have the honour to inform you that the Government of Pakistan agree to the foregoing provisions and that your letter referred to above and my present reply thereto shall be regarded as placing on record the Agreement between our two Governments.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed) S. M. HASSAN
Ambassador of Pakistan

His Excellency Mr. Georges Pesmazoglu
Ambassador of Greece
Ankara