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and
ITALY**

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Accord relatif à l'organisation de la Conférence des Nations Unies sur les sources nouvelles d'énergie. Signé à New-York, le 23 août 1961

Texte officiel anglais.

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No. 5819. AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE REPUBLIC OF ITALY REGARDING THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON NEW SOURCES OF ENERGY. SIGNED AT NEW YORK, ON 23 AUGUST 1961

Whereas, upon the invitation of the Government of Italy (hereinafter referred to as the Government) the United Nations Conference on New Sources of Energy (hereinafter referred to as the Conference) shall be held in Rome, approximately from 21 to 31 August 1961. The United Nations and the Government hereby agree as follows :

I. FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS

(1) The Government shall be responsible for additional expenditures to the United Nations budget resulting from the convening of the Conference in Rome rather than at United Nations Headquarters.

(2) The United Nations agrees that the costs to be reimbursed to the United Nations by the Government, other than local costs, shall not exceed \$25,000, and that it will use its best endeavours to limit local costs which will be met by the Government to the essential minimum necessary for the efficient functioning of the Conference.

(3) Adjustment of financial accounts between the United Nations and the Government shall be made not later than December 26th, 1961.

II. ACCOMMODATION

(1) The United Nations shall utilize the conference accommodation and other facilities placed at the disposal of the Government by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (hereinafter referred to as "the FAO"), details of which have been agreed to between the United Nations, the FAO and the Government.

(2) The Government shall, at its expense, supplement office space available in the FAO Headquarters by providing eight additional furnished offices in the Postal Building Annex adjoining the FAO Headquarters. The cleaning and maintenance of these additional offices shall be provided for by the Government at its expense as will intercommunication facilities between these offices and the Conference area in the FAO Headquarters.

¹ Came into force on 23 August 1961 by signature.

III. DOCUMENTS REPRODUCTION

The Government shall at its expense make arrangements with SADA of Rome for the provision of a maximum of six reproduction machines and the necessary ink, together with the necessary operating staff for servicing the document reproduction requirements of the Conference, including the night extension work necessitated *inter alia*, by the publication of a daily journal. The United Nations shall at its expense provide SADA with the stencils and paper required for such reproduction services.

IV. INTERPRETATION

The Government shall at its expense provide a minimum of four interpreters to meet the interpretation requirements of the Conference from English and/or French into Italian.

V. REIMBURSABLE COSTS

(1) It is the understanding that within the accommodation and other facilities being accorded to the Conference by the FAO shall be included telecommunication (telex) and mail registry services, the services of tape recording and simultaneous interpretation equipment; and the services of lift operators and of cloakroom and meeting room attendants.

(2) The United Nations estimates that overall United Nations costs of necessary additional local staff and essential services will be \$7,500, on which basis the Government agrees that it will reimburse such costs as are incurred by the United Nations inclusive *inter alia* of the costs of the following :

- a. Extra local staff required to service the Conference which will be recruited by the United Nations ;
- b. Transport and insurance charges covering equipment and stationery shipped to Rome from Geneva and from Rome to Geneva ;
- c. Local hire costs of approximately thirty typewriters supplementary to those available to the United Nations from their own and FAO resources.

VI. TRANSPORTATION

The Government shall at its expense provide the Conference with six chauffeur-driven cars for use by the officers and staff of the Conference, and shall indemnify and hold harmless the United Nations from any claims, damages and costs arising out of their use.

VII. IMPORT DUTIES AND TAXES

(1) The Government shall waive import and re-export duties and taxes with respect to all models, equipment and supplies shipped to or for the United Nations to and from Rome for use of the Conference and shall extend to the United Nations without delay any necessary import and export permits through the FAO.

(2) The Government shall issue to the FAO an import permit for the limited supplies required by the United Nations for the official requirements and entertainment schedules of the Conference as reflected in the enclosure attached to the letter dated 11 July 1961 from the Executive Secretary of the Conference to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Government.

VIII. GOVERNMENT LIAISON OFFICER

The Government shall assign to the Conference Secretariat a liaison officer or officers to assist the Secretariat in its local relations arising out of this Agreement.

IX. POLICE SERVICES

The Government shall furnish, if needed and in liaison with the FAO, such police services as may be required for the efficient functioning of the Conference.

X. PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES

(1) The Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations,¹ to which the Republic of Italy is a party,² shall be applicable with respect to the Conference and in particular officials of the United Nations connected with the Conference shall be accorded the privileges and immunities specified therein.

(2) The Government agrees to apply the provisions of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies, approved by the General Assembly on 21 November 1947,³ to officials of the Specialised Agencies attending the Conference.

¹ See footnote 1, p. 275 of this volume.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 286, p. 329.

³ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 33, p. 261; Vol. 43, p. 342; Vol. 46, p. 355; Vol. 51, p. 330; Vol. 71, p. 316; Vol. 76, p. 274; Vol. 79, p. 326; Vol. 81, p. 332; Vol. 84, p. 412; Vol. 88, p. 446; Vol. 90, p. 323; Vol. 91, p. 376; Vol. 92, p. 400; Vol. 96, p. 322; Vol. 101, p. 288; Vol. 102, p. 322; Vol. 109, p. 319; Vol. 110, p. 314; Vol. 117, p. 386; Vol. 122, p. 335; Vol. 127, p. 328; Vol. 131, p. 309; Vol. 136, p. 386; Vol. 161, p. 364; Vol. 168, p. 322; Vol. 171, p. 412; Vol. 175, p. 364; Vol. 183, p. 348; Vol. 187, p. 415; Vol. 193, p. 342; Vol. 199, p. 314; Vol. 202, p. 321; Vol. 207, p. 328; Vol. 211, p. 388; Vol. 216, p. 367; Vol. 221, p. 409; Vol. 231, p. 350; Vol. 275, p. 298; Vol. 276, p. 352; Vol. 277, p. 343; Vol. 280, p. 348; Vol. 282, p. 354; Vol. 286, p. 334; Vol. 299, p. 408; Vol. 300, p. 305; Vol. 301, p. 439; Vol. 302, p. 353; Vol. 304, p. 342; Vol. 308, p. 310; Vol. 309, p. 354; Vol. 310, p. 318; Vol. 314, p. 308; Vol. 316, p. 276; Vol. 317, p. 316; Vol. 320, p. 321; Vol. 323, p. 364; Vol. 325, p. 328; Vol. 327, p. 324; Vol. 330, p. 348; Vol. 337, p. 376; Vol. 338, p. 326; Vol. 344, p. 302; Vol. 345, p. 352; Vol. 349, p. 312; Vol. 355, p. 404; Vol. 359, p. 390; Vol. 369, p. 446; Vol. 371, p. 266; Vol. 372, p. 354; Vol. 374, p. 374; Vol. 375, p. 342; Vol. 376, p. 405; Vol. 380, p. 388; Vol. 381, p. 352; Vol. 383, p. 313; Vol. 384, p. 329; Vol. 387, p. 328; Vol. 397; Vol. 398; Vol. 399, p. 252; Vol. 401, and Vol. 402.

(3) As far as transit to and from the Conference is concerned the respective provisions of the Headquarters Agreement between the Republic of Italy and the FAO shall apply and the Government shall in particular impose no impediment to transit to and from the Conference of persons invited to the Conference by the United Nations and shall grant any visa required for such persons promptly and without charge.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the respective representatives of the United Nations and of the Republic of Italy have signed this Agreement.

DONE in duplicate at New York this twenty-third day of August 1961 in the English language.

For the United Nations :

For the Republic of Italy :

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