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[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

No. 7464. CULTURAL CONVENTION¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PERUVIAN REPUBLIC. SIGNED AT LIMA, ON 25 JUNE 1962

The Government of the Peruvian Republic and the Government of the State of Israel,

Desiring to strengthen the friendly relations existing between the Peruvian Republic and the State of Israel ; and

Convinced that the ties between the two peoples can be still further strengthened by the dissemination of information about the intellectual, scientific and artistic progress achieved in each of the two countries ;

And believing therefore that there should be closer cultural bonds between the two peoples,

Have decided to conclude a cultural convention and for that purpose have appointed as their plenipotentiaries :

The Government of the Peruvian Republic : Dr. Luis Alvarado G., Minister for Foreign Affairs, and Dr. Dario Acevedo Criado, Minister for Education ;

The Government of the State of Israel : Dr. Michael Simon, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to Peru ;

who, having exhibited their full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed as follows :

Article I

The Contracting Parties shall do everything possible to increase and facilitate cultural exchanges between their two countries and shall take all measures within their power to this end ; they shall, in particular :

1. Encourage the creation at universities in each country of professorial chairs in the language, literature, history, culture and art of the other Contracting Party.

2. Grant facilities, on a basis of reciprocity, to research workers and scientists to continue their studies and undertake research in scientific institutions in the other country.

¹ Came into force on 11 September 1963, the date of the exchange of the instruments of ratification at Lima, in accordance with the provisions of article III.

3. Encourage the establishment of Israel collections in the principal libraries in Peru and Peruvian collections in the principal libraries in Israel.
4. Encourage the inclusion in the textbooks of each country of accurate and, as far as possible, complete information on all matters concerning the other Contracting Party.
5. Facilitate the exchange of teachers for the teaching of Hebrew in Peru and the teaching of Spanish and of Peruvian aboriginal languages in Israel.
6. Recommend the public or private scientific, cultural and artistic institutions of the two countries to improve and intensify their relations with institutions in the other country through the exchange of professors, students, research workers and artists, to expand the exchange of publications between the two countries and in general to seek to ensure permanent contact between the respective institutions in all matters relating to cultural exchanges between the two countries.
7. Provide for the exchange of official publications of the two countries.
8. Facilitate, in accordance with the legal provisions in force in the respective countries, the importation, distribution and circulation of books, newspapers, periodicals, publications, art reproductions, films and gramophone records produced in the two countries.
9. Take all the necessary steps to facilitate the importation into and exhibition in the two countries of books, drawings, pictures, sculpture, artistic photographs, folk art, archaeological objects and other similar articles sent from one of the two countries to the other for non-commercial purposes.
10. Facilitate the exchange of documentary films illustrating cultural, economic and social progress in the two countries and grant the necessary facilities for this purpose on a basis of reciprocity, subject to the legal provisions in force in the two countries.
11. Ensure increased co-operation between the official broadcasting services of the two High Contracting Parties with a view to the exchange of cultural and artistic programmes concerning the two countries.
12. Promote and facilitate visits by theatrical and entertainment troupes and individual entertainers from one country to the other.
13. Take all the necessary steps to protect in each country the intellectual property rights of writers, translators, publishers, composers, artists and distributors who are nationals of the other country in all types of literary, musical and artistic works, and in gramophone records, films and other similar articles, in accordance with the legal provisions concerning intellectual and artistic property in force in each country.

14. Lend assistance in the organization of visits by professors and members of scientific, literary and artistic institutions from one country to the other for the purpose of giving lectures or courses in their special fields.

15. Foster relations between the journalists of the two countries and provide facilities for visits by groups of journalists or by individual journalists.

16. Promote and facilitate group or individual travel by citizens of each country to the other for purposes of study or participation in scientific congresses or artistic or sports competitions.

Article II

With a view to achieving the purposes set forth in the preceding article, each Contracting Party shall accord to the other Party facilities to establish cultural institutions in its territory, subject to the relevant legal provisions in force in the country. In this context, the term "institution" used in this Convention shall include schools, libraries, and other similar entities and objects.

Article III

This Convention shall be ratified in accordance with the laws in force in each country, and the instruments of ratification shall be exchanged between the High Contracting Parties as soon as possible.

This Convention shall enter into force immediately after the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which shall take place at the city of Lima.

Either of the High Contracting Parties may denounce this Convention by communication in writing to the other Party. The denunciation shall take effect one year after its receipt by the other High Contracting Party.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the above-mentioned plenipotentiaries have signed this Convention and have thereto affixed their seals.

DONE at Lima, in four identical copies, in Spanish and Hebrew, all copies being authentic, on 25 June 1962, corresponding to the twenty-third day of the month of Sivan of the year five thousand seven hundred and twenty-two.

(Signed) Luis ALVARADO G.
Dario ACEVEDO CRIADO

(Signed) Michael SIMON