No. 8360

UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME (SPECIAL FUND)

and BOTSWANA

Exchange of letters constituting an agreement for the application to the Special Fund's Projects in Botswana, which are currently in operation or may be approved in the future, of the Agreement of 7 January 1960 between the Special Fund and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland concerning assistance from the Special Fund. New York and Gaberones, 30 September 1966

Official text: English.

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PROGRAMME DES NATIONS UNIES POUR LE DÉVELOPPEMENT (FONDS SPÉCIAL)

et BOTSWANA

Échange de lettres constituant un accord concernant l'application aux projets du Fonds spécial en cours d'exécution au Botswana, ou qui pourraient être approuvés ultérieurement pour ce pays, de l'Accord du 7 janvier 1960 entre le Fonds spécial et le Royaume-Uni de Grande-Bretagne et d'Irlande du Nord concernant une assistance du Fonds spécial. New York et Gaberones, 30 septembre 1966

Texte officiel anglais.

Enregistré d'office le 1er novembre 1966.

No. 8360. EXCHANGE OF LETTERS CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME (SPECIAL FUND) AND THE GOVERNMENT OF BOTSWANA FOR THE APPLICATION TO THE SPECIAL FUND'S PROJECTS IN BOTSWANA, WHICH ARE CURRENTLY IN OPERATION OR MAY BE APPROVED IN THE FUTURE, OF THE AGREEMENT OF 7 JANUARY 1960² BETWEEN THE SPECIAL FUND AND THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND CONCERNING ASSISTANCE FROM THE SPECIAL FUND. NEW YORK AND GABERONES, 30 SEPTEMBER 1966

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UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

SF 332 Botswana

30 September 1966

Sir,

I am writing on behalf of the United Nations Development Programme and have the honour to propose that following the independence of Botswana on 30 September 1966 and until such time as an Agreement between the Government of Botswana and the UNDP (Special Fund) relating to assistance from the latter is signed and comes into force, the Government of Botswana accept the provisions of the Agreement² between the United Kingdom and the United Nations Special Fund which governed the Special Fund operations in Botswana before independence, and that the Government are willing to consider themselves to be the successor to the United Kingdom Government with respect to Botswana under that Agreement.

Accordingly, for all Plans of Operation relating to UNDP (Special Fund) projects currently in operation in Botswana, the Government will apply the provisions of the Agreement referred to above and will likewise apply them to the Plans of Operation for projects which may be approved in the future.

I should appreciate it if you would kindly indicate your Government's acceptance of this proposal by quoting the full text of this letter in your reply.

¹ Came into force on 30 September 1966, by the exchange of the said letters.
² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 348, p. 177, and Vol. 362, p. 340.

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Paul G. Hoffman Administrator

His Excellency Mr. Seretse Khama President of the Republic Gaberones, Republic of Botswana

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT GABERONES, BOTSWANA

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30th September, 1966

Sir,

Agreement between the United Nations Special Fund and the United Kingdom Government signed at New York on 7 January 1960

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter reference SF 332 Botswana of 30th September, 1966, reading as follows:

[See letter I]

2. In reply thereto, I have the honour to confirm that your proposals are acceptable to the Government of Botswana, who, therefore, agree that your letter and the present reply shall constitute an agreement between the Government of Botswana and the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme.

Please accept the assurances of my highest consideration.

S. M. KHAMA President

The Administrator
United Nations Development Programme
New York