

No. 8676

**INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANISATION
and
LEBANON**

**Agreement concerning the establishment of an Office of the
Organisation at Beirut. Signed at Beirut, on 14 May 1966**

Official text : French.

Registered by the International Labour Organisation on 29 June 1967.

**ORGANISATION INTERNATIONALE DU TRAVAIL
et
LIBAN**

**Accord sur l'établissement d'un Bureau de l'Organisation
à Beyrouth. Signé à Beyrouth, le 14 mai 1966**

Texte officiel français.

Enregistré par l'Organisation internationale du Travail le 29 juin 1967.

[TRANSLATION¹ — TRADUCTION²]

No. 8676. AGREEMENT³ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF LEBANON AND THE INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANISATION CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN OFFICE OF THE ORGANISATION AT BEIRUT. SIGNED AT BEIRUT, ON 14 MAY 1966

Whereas the International Labour Organisation has decided to establish an Office of the International Labour Organisation at Beirut, and

Whereas the Government of Lebanon has informed the International Labour Organisation of its readiness to grant all necessary facilities to the Office;

The Government of Lebanon and the International Labour Organisation have agreed as follows :

Article 1

The Government of Lebanon shall afford every assistance within its power in securing the necessary facilities for the Office of the International Labour Organisation at Beirut.

Article 2

The Government shall grant to the Office of the International Labour Organisation and to the staff of the Organisation appointed to the said Office the privileges and immunities provided for in the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialised Agencies of 21 November 1947,⁴ and by Decree No. 12991 of the Lebanese Government of 10 June 1965.

Article 3

The Government shall facilitate the entry into and the stay in Lebanon of the persons invited to go to the Office of the International Labour Organisation for official purposes, and their departure from the country.

¹ Translation provided by the International Labour Organisation.

² Traduction transmise par l'Organisation internationale du Travail.

³ Came into force on 14 May 1966 by signature, in accordance with article 6 (1).

⁴ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 33, p. 261. For the final and revised texts of annexes published subsequently, see Vol. 71, p. 318; Vol. 79, p. 326; Vol. 117, p. 386; Vol. 275, p. 298; Vol. 314, p. 308; Vol. 323, p. 364; Vol. 327, p. 326; Vol. 371, p. 266; Vol. 423, p. 284, and Vol. 559, p. 348.

Article 4

The Government shall afford the International Labour Organisation every assistance within its power in securing appropriate office accommodation and necessary telephone, water and electricity installations.

Article 5

The Government of Lebanon shall grant in general to the Office of the International Labour Organisation and to its staff a treatment not less favourable than that granted to any other specialised agency or to the United Nations itself, and to their staff.

Article 6

1. This Agreement shall come into force on signature.
2. The Agreement shall remain in force while the Office of the International Labour Organisation remains established at Beirut.
3. The Agreement may be modified by mutual consent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned duly authorised representatives of the Government of Lebanon and of the International Labour Organisation respectively have signed the present Agreement at Beirut this fourteenth day of May 1966, in two copies in the French language.

For the Government
of Lebanon :
Abdel Rahman ADRA

For the International Labour
Organisation :
Xavier CABALLERO TAMAYO