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AGREEMENT 1 ON ECONOMIC, TECHNICAL AND SCIENTIFIC CO-OPERATION BETWEEN THE KING-DOM OF DENMARK AND THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS

The Government of the Kingdom of Denmark and the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics,

Desiring to develop economic, scientific and technical co-operation between the two countries on the basis of equality and mutual advantage, Have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The Contracting Parties shall endeavour to develop and strengthen economic, scientific and technical co-operation between them in all fields of common interest in accordance with the laws and regulations of the two countries.

Economic, scientific and technical co-operation may take the following forms:

- (a) Joint research on, and planning and construction of, projects of common interest, including the delivery of complete industrial enterprises and other forms of industrial co-operation;
- (b) Joint research on, and development of, new technological processes with a view to the rationalization and modernization of industrial processes;
- (c) Joint research on problems in theoretical and applied science whose results might later have industrial applications;
- (d) Exchanges of technical experience and technology, including licences, patents and "know-how" between industrial enterprises of the two countries, undertaken on a commercial basis;
- (e) The holding of courses, conferences and exhibitions;
- (f) Exchanges of specialists and trainees;
- (g) Exchanges of technical documentation and information;
- (h) Other agreed forms of co-operation.

¹ Came into force on 17 July 1970 by signature, in accordance with article 5.

Article 2

An Intergovernmental Danish-Soviet Commission shall be established to ensure the application of this Agreement.

The Commission shall concern itself with specific problems of cooperation between the two countries, seek new means of broadening co-operation and, where necessary, prepare proposals and recommendations for the two Governments.

The Commission shall also endeavour to eliminate any difficulties arising in the application of this Agreement.

The Commission may, if it deems it necessary, establish working groups and employ experts to consider specific questions.

The Commission shall as a general rule meet once a year, alternately in Denmark and in the Soviet Union. Special meetings may be convened by agreement between the Contracting Parties.

Article 3

The Contracting Parties recognize the important role of economic, scientific and technical co-operation in the further development of trade relations.

Commercial exchanges under agreements or contracts concluded between organizations and firms of the two countries shall be carried out in accordance with the trade agreements in force between the two countries and with the laws of the Contracting Parties.

Article 4

A country sending specialists and trainees under the terms of this Agreement shall, save as otherwise agreed between the organizations and firms concerned, pay the costs of travel to and residence in the receiving country, except for costs connected with laboratory work and study, which shall be borne by the receiving country.

Article 5

This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of its signature. It may be denounced by either Contracting Party on six months' notice.

The termination of this Agreement shall not affect existing agreements and contracts between institutions, organizations and firms of the two countries.

Done at Moscow on 17 July 1970, in duplicate in the Danish and Russian languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government of the Kingdom of Denmark:

For the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics:

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