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**FRANCE  
and  
CHAD**

**Special Agreement on the conditions for the participation of  
the Republic of Chad in the Community. Signed at Fort-  
Lamy on 11 August 1960**

*Authentic text: French.*

*Registered by France on 19 April 1972.*

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**Accord particulier sur les conditions de participation de la  
République du Tchad à la Communauté. Signé à Fort-  
Lamy le 11 août 1960**

*Texte authentique : français.*

*Enregistré par la France le 19 avril 1972.*

[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

SPECIAL AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup> ON THE CONDITIONS FOR THE PARTICIPATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHAD IN THE COMMUNITY

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The Government of the French Republic and

The Government of the Republic of Chad,

Considering that, by virtue of the transfer agreement of 12 July 1960,<sup>2</sup> which entered into force on 10 August 1960, the Republic of Chad has acceded to independence and that the French Republic has recognized it as an independent and sovereign State,

Considering that the Republic of Chad has stated its intention to cooperate with the French Republic within the Community,

Have agreed as follows:

*Article 1*

The Republic of Chad shall be a member of the Community and shall participate in it under the conditions laid down in this Agreement and in co-operation agreements.

*Article 2*

The Republic of Chad shall recognize that the President of the French Republic is *de jure* the President of the Community.

*Article 3*

The French Republic and the Republic of Chad shall participate in a periodic Conference of Heads of State and Government presided over by the President of the Community in order to work together on the main problems affecting the Community.

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<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 8 February 1961, the date of the last of the notifications by which each Contracting Party notified the other of the completion of the procedures constitutionally required, in accordance with article 5.

<sup>2</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 802, No. I-11419.

They shall also participate in committees of ministers or experts in which the other States may be represented.

*Article 4*

The Republic of Chad shall have the right to send a delegation to an Interparliamentary Consultative Senate composed of delegates of the legislative assemblies of the States of the Community.

*Article 5*

Each Contracting Party shall notify the other of the completion of the procedures constitutionally required for the entry into force of this Agreement, which shall take effect on the date of the last notification.

DONE at Fort-Lamy, on 11 August 1960.

For the Government  
of the Republic of Chad:

[Signed]  
F. TOMBALBAYE

For the Government  
of the French Republic  
and on behalf  
of the Prime Minister:

[Signed]  
J. FOYER  
Secretary of State for Relations  
with the States of the Community