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**FRANCE
and
RWANDA**

**Agreement on friendship and co-operation. Signed at Paris
on 20 October 1962**

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Texte authentique: français.

Enregistré par la France le 2 février 1972.

[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

AGREEMENT ON FRIENDSHIP AND CO-OPERATION ¹

The Government of the French Republic and
The Government of the Rwandese Republic,
Desiring to strengthen their ties of friendship and co-operation,
Have reached agreement on the following provisions:

Article 1

The French Republic and the Rwandese Republic are linked by bonds of constant friendship and respect for each other's sovereignty and independence.

Article 2

The Government of the French Republic and the Government of the Rwandese Republic agree to organize jointly close co-operation in the cultural, technological and economic spheres with a view to enabling the Rwandese Republic to carry on its development effort.

Article 3

For this purpose, the two Governments shall, as soon as possible, conclude appropriate agreements and conventions.

DONE at Paris on 20 October 1962.

For the Government
of the French Republic:

[Signed]

M. COUVE DE MURVILLE

Minister for Foreign Affairs

[Signed]

G. GORSE

Minister for Co-operation

For the Government
of the Rwandese Republic:

[Signed]

GR. KAYIBANDA

President of the Republic

[Signed]

G. CYIMANA

Minister for Finance

¹ Came into force on 20 October 1962 by signature.