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Protocol concerning the social insurance scheme for students. Signed at Paris on 7 April 1972

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[Translation — Traduction]

PROTOCOL¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF IRAQ CONCERNING THE SOCIAL INSURANCE SCHEME FOR STUDENTS

The Government of the French Republic and

The Government of the Republic of Iraq,

Desiring to ensure equal treatment in health care for nationals of each State who are studying in the territory of the other State,

Have decided to adopt the following measures:

- Article 1. The French social insurance scheme for students established in Title I, Book VI, of the Social Security Code shall apply, under the conditions applicable to French students, to Iraqi students who are studying in France and who are not insured under the social insurance scheme in that country and are not dependants of a person covered by that scheme.
- Article 2. The Iraqi scheme of free medical assistance shall apply, under the conditions applicable to Iraqi students, to French students who are studying in Iraq.
- Article 3. Each Contracting Party shall notify the other of the completion of the constitutional procedures required in that country for the entry into force of this Protocol. The Protocol shall take effect on the first day of the third month following the date of the last such notification.
- Article 4. This Protocol is concluded for the duration of one year from the date of its entry into force. It shall continue in force from year to year unless notice of termination is given three months before the expiration of the period.

In the event of such termination, the provisions of this Protocol shall remain applicable to acquired rights.

DONE at Paris on 7 April 1972 in two original copies in French and Arabic, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government of the French Republic:

[Signed]

GILBERT DE CHAMBRUN

For the Government of the Republic of Iraq:

[Signed]

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¹ Came into force on 1 March 1973, i.e. the first day of the third month following the date of the last of the notifications (effected on 16 August and 22 December 1972) by which each Contracting Party informed the other of the completion of the required constitutional procedures, in accordance with article 3.