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AGREEMENT' ON TECHNICAL CO-OPERATION BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SENEGAL

The Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil and the Government of the Republic of Senegal,

Desiring to promote mutual understanding,

Considering the need to create conditions which will permit access to specific experiences and skills acquired by the Contracting Parties in the fields of industry, agriculture, science and public administration,

Convinced that such an exchange of experience can be of immediate relevance and value, in view of the similarity of tropical ecological conditions in the two countries and the fact that they are developing countries,

Desiring, moreover, to accelerate the training the advanced training of their technical staffs,

Have agreed as follows:

Article I. The Contracting Parties shall organize visits by senior officials responsible for the formulation and execution of their own country's development plans and programmes, with a view to gaining knowledge of the conditions and facilities existing in the country of the other Party in the fields of industry, agriculture, science, public administration and the methodology of the professional training and advanced training of technical staffs.

Article II. On the basis of the information gained during such visits, technical co-operation programmes may be prepared in cases of recognized interest, through:

- (a) The sending of experts, individually or in groups;
- (b) The exchange of information on subjects of common interest;
- (c) The sending of equipment and various materials essential to the execution of a specific project; and
- (d) Professional training and advanced training in all the aforementioned fields.

Article III. Professional training and advanced training programmes and projects may be carried out either through the acceptance of fellowship holders or through the sending of teachers or qualified technical personnel.

Article IV. The Contracting Parties shall seek in so far as possible, to link the programmes and projects mentioned in article II to programmes and projects already being carried out.

Article V. Each Party may designate public or private bodies for the execution of specific programmes or projects.

Article VI. The experts and teachers designated by either Party shall furnish the experts and teachers of the other Party with all relevant information concerning

¹ Came into force on 16 January 1974, the date of the last of the notifications by which each Contracting Party informed the other of the completion of the required formalities, in accordance with article X.

the techniques, practices and methods applicable in their respective fields and the principles on which those methods are based.

Article VII. The Contracting Party receiving experts and teachers shall take the necessary measures in order that they may carry out their task satisfactorily.

Article VIII. When preparing a technical co-operation programme or a specific project, the Contracting Parties shall define by agreement the manner in which it is to be financed.

Article IX. 1. Each Contracting Party shall apply to the experts and teachers of the other Party and to their families and property the same provisions concerning privileges as are in force in its territory in respect of technical assistance personnel.

2. The equipment and various materials sent by the other Contracting Party and intended for a specific project shall be admitted free of customs duties into the receiving country.

Article X. Each Contracting Party shall notify to the other the completion of the formalities required for the entry into force of this Agreement, which shall enter into force on the date of the last such notification.

Article XI. 1. Either Contracting Party may denounce this Agreement by written notification to the other Contracting Party, and it shall cease to have effect six months after the date of notification.

2. Denunciation shall not affect the programmes and projects in course of execution unless the Parties agree otherwise.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, being duly authorized to do so by their respective Governments, have signed this Agreement and have thereto affixed their seals.

DONE at Dakar on 21 November 1972, in duplicate in the Portuguese and French languages, both texts being equally authentic.

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