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**ROYAUME-UNI DE GRANDE-BRETAGNE
ET D'IRLANDE DU NORD
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le 26 juin 1975.*

CULTURAL CONVENTION¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK

The Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Kingdom of Denmark;

Desiring to strengthen the friendly relations between their two countries and to promote and develop cultural, educational and scientific co-operation;

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1. For the purpose of this Convention the terms “territory” and “country” shall mean, in relation to the Government of the United Kingdom, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and, in relation to the Government of Denmark, the Kingdom of Denmark with the exception of the Faroe Islands and Greenland.

Article 2. The Contracting Parties shall mutually encourage educational, scientific and cultural co-operation between the two countries through such means as the following:

- (a) visits by university professors and other persons engaged in scientific research as guest professors;
- (b) the sharing by suitably qualified university graduates, research scholars and cultural specialists on a similar level of each country in training programmes, seminars, colloquies and visits to scientific laboratories and institutes in the other country, including provision of the facilities, such as scholarships, necessary for such study or research;
- (c) promotion of studies in the language and literature of each country in the universities or other educational institutions of the other country;
- (d) all possible support of cultural institutions in the country of the other Party according to the laws and practices of that country; the expression “cultural institutions” to include schools, libraries, cultural centres and other organisations dedicated to the purpose of this Convention;
- (e) exchange of delegations wishing to examine problems and exchange experience of mutual interest in the field of science, education or culture.

Article 3. The Contracting Parties shall continue to grant scholarships to students and/or young postgraduates from the other country for studies and specialisation in science, education and culture.

Article 4. (1) The Contracting Parties shall endeavour to make it possible for students from the other country to be admitted to institutions of education within the limits of existing regulations.

(2) The Contracting Parties shall consider to what extent and under what conditions degrees and diplomas from universities and institutes of education in the country of the other Party should be recognised as equivalent to the corresponding degrees and diplomas from their own country.

Article 5. The Contracting Parties shall encourage direct co-operation between the educational, scientific and cultural institutions and organisations in the two countries.

¹ Came into force on 31 August 1974, i.e., the fifteenth day after the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which took place at Copenhagen on 16 August 1974, in accordance with article 17.

Article 6. The Contracting Parties shall encourage visits of persons engaging in literature, music, art (including artistic craftsmanship), theatre, film and cultural promotion in the widest sense with a view to studies and collection of material as well as participation in conferences, festivals and international competitions.

Article 7. The Contracting Parties shall encourage exchanges of artists and ensembles, concerts and theatrical performances of works by artists of the other country, and exchanges of exhibitions of art and artistic craftsmanship and exhibitions of an educational character.

Article 8. The Contracting Parties shall promote direct co-operation between the radio and television services and the press organs of the two countries.

Article 9. The Contracting Parties shall promote direct co-operation between the film institutions of the two countries and facilitate exchanges of films of an artistic, documentary or scientific nature, recordings of music and exchanges of other audio-visual media which may serve the purpose of this Convention.

Article 10. The Contracting Parties shall promote exchanges between the libraries of the two countries of books and publications of a scientific, educational, technical and literary nature.

Article 11. The Contracting Parties shall encourage the translation and publication of scientific, literary or artistic works and the presentation of music from the other country.

Article 12. The Contracting Parties shall promote exchanges of persons responsible for popular education and cultural promotion.

Article 13. The Contracting Parties shall encourage co-operation between young people and youth organisations of the two countries.

Article 14. For the purpose of the application of this Convention a permanent Mixed Commission shall be set up, of which three members shall be British and sit in London and three members shall be Danish and sit in Copenhagen. The complete Mixed Commission shall meet at periodic intervals, normally of not less than three years, alternately in Denmark and the United Kingdom.

Article 15. Nothing in this Convention shall affect the obligations of any person to comply with the laws and regulations in force in the territory of either Contracting Party concerning the entry, residence and departure of foreigners.

Article 16. Each Contracting Party shall give every facility within the limits of its legislation and regulations for the importation into its territory of equipment necessary for the purpose of this Convention.

Article 17. This Convention shall be ratified. The Convention shall enter into force on the fifteenth day after the exchange of instruments of ratification.

Article 18. This Convention shall remain in force for a period of four years. Thereafter, unless either Contracting Party has given written notice of termination not less than six months before the expiry of that period, it shall remain in force until the expiry of six months from the date on which either Contracting Party shall have given written notice of termination to the other.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, being duly authorised thereto by their respective Governments, have signed this Convention.

DONE in duplicate at London this 2nd day of May 1974, in the English and Danish languages, both texts being equally authoritative.

For the Government
of the United Kingdom of Great Britain
and Northern Ireland:

JAMES CALLAGHAN

For the Government
of the Kingdom of Denmark:

OVE GULDBERG

TIL BEKRÆFTELSE HERAF undertegnede, som af deres respektive regeringer er behørigt bemyndigede dertil, undertegnet denne overenskomst.

UDFÆRDIGET i London den 2. maj 1974, i to eksemplarer på engelsk og dansk, således at begge tekster har samme gyldighed.

For Det forenede
Kongerige Storbritannien
og Nordirlands regering:

For Kongeriget
Danmarks regering: