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and
JORDAN**

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AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN CONCERNING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany and the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan,

in the spirit of the friendly relations existing between the Federal Republic of Germany and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan,

desiring to strengthen and intensify those friendly relations by fruitful co-operation in the field of development assistance,

aware that the maintenance of those relations constitutes the basis of the present Agreement,

intending to contribute to economic and social development in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan,

have agreed as follows:

Article 1. (1) *a*) The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall enable the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to raise with the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (Development Loan Corporation), Frankfurt/Main, a loan up to a total of thirty million German Marks for the construction of Amman International Airport.

Accordingly, the contribution of the Federal Republic of Germany to the financing of the project, the cost of which shall, as agreed between the Contracting Parties, be limited to DM 95 million (ninety-five million German Marks), amounts to a total of DM 60 million (sixty million German Marks) inclusive of the amount of DM 30 million (thirty million German Marks) provided under the Intergovernmental Agreement of 24 January 1972. Of this amount a loan of DM 4 million (four million German Marks) has already been made available to cover the services of engineers engaged in the planning and preparation of the Airport Project.

b) The Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan shall guarantee the residual financing from its own funds to ensure total cost coverage.

(2) The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall, moreover, enable the Industrial Development Bank, Amman to raise with the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau, Frankfurt/Main, a loan of up to DM 5 million (five million German Marks) for the financing of small private enterprises.

Article 2. (1) The utilization of these loans as well as the terms and conditions on which they are granted shall be governed by the provisions of the agreements to be concluded between the borrowers and the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau which shall be subject to the legal provisions applicable in the Federal Republic of Germany.

(2) The Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to the extent that it is not itself the borrower shall guarantee to the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau all payments in German Marks to be made in fulfilment of the borrower's liabilities under the agreements to be concluded pursuant to paragraph 1 above.

Article 3. The Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan shall exempt the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau from all taxes and other public charges levied in Jordan at

¹ Came into force on 15 October 1974 by signature, in accordance with article 8.

the time of the conclusion, or during the implementation, of the agreements referred to in Article 2.

Article 4. The Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan shall allow passengers and suppliers free choice of transport enterprises for such transportation by sea or air of persons and goods as results from the granting of the loans, abstain from taking any measures that might exclude or impair the participation of transport enterprises having their place of business in the German area of application of the present Agreement, and grant the relevant permits as required for the participation of these transport enterprises.

Article 5. Unless otherwise provided in individual cases, supplies and services for projects financed from the loans in accordance with Article 1 (1) shall be subject to international public tender.

Article 6. With regard to the supplies resulting from the granting of the loans, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany attaches particular importance to preference being given to products of industries of *Land Berlin*.

Article 7. With the exception of those provisions of Article 4 which refer to air transport, this Agreement shall also apply to *Land Berlin* provided that the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany does not make a contrary declaration to the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan within three months after the entry into force of the present Agreement.

Article 8. The present Agreement shall enter into force on the date of signature thereof.

DONE at Amman on October 15, 1974, in duplicate in the German and English languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government
of the Federal Republic
of Germany:

[Signed — Signé]¹

For the Government
of the Hashemite Kingdom
of Jordan:

[Signed — Signé]²

¹ Signed by Schmidt-Dornedden — Signé par Schmidt-Dornedden.

² Signed by Salim — Signé par Salim.