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Agreement on fisheries. Signed at Jakarta on 8 August 1974

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Accord relatif à la pêche. Signé à Jakarta le 8 août 1974

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AGREEMENT ON FISHERIES BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES AND THE GOVERN-MENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

The Government of the Republic of the Philippines and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia,

Considering the continuity of their territorial seas and the importance of fish in the diet of both their peoples,

Noting that cooperation between the Philippines and Indonesia in the development of their fishing industries would be beneficial to both countries,

Consonant with the Basic Agreement on Economic and Technical Cooperation between the Government of the Republic of the Philippines and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia signed on the 8th day of August, 1974,² and subject to each country's laws, rules, and regulations, hereby agree to the following:

- Article I. 1. Both Governments shall promote mutual cooperation in the development of the fishing industries of both countries pursuant to their respective investment and other laws:
- 2. Both Governments shall promote mutual consultation and exchange of technical assistance and research findings on all phases of fisheries, including utilization of by-products;
- 3. Both Governments shall continue discussions through the agencies designated in the Basic Agreement to explore other means of promoting further cooperation in the field of fishing industry in both countries.
- Article II. Both Governments agree to grant to nationals or legal entities of the other country treatment in trade, investments and other economic activities relative to fishing industries no less favourable than that accorded to any other country, with due regard to their respective bilateral and multilateral commitments. This Agreement shall not preclude the consideration by either Government of preferential arrangements on trade and other economic activities relative to fishing industries between and or among ASEAN countries.
- Article III. This Agreement shall come into force provisionally on the date of signing. It shall definitively come into force after an exchange of notes to that effect between the two Governments and shall remain in force for a period of one year following the exchange of notes.

Upon expiry of this period, the Agreement will automatically remain in force for further periods of one year each. After the initial period of one year, either Government may:

- a. propose in writing to the other Government the revision of the present Agreement to be mutually discussed and agreed upon;
- b. terminate the present Agreement by giving three months prior written notice to the other Government.

¹ Applied provisionally from 8 August 1974, the date of signature, and came into force definitively on 4 June 1975 after an exchange of notes to that effect, in accordance with article III.

² See p. 283 of this volume.

Any revision or termination of this Agreement shall be without prejudice to any rights or obligations which have accrued or which have been incurred prior to the effective date of such revision or termination.

Article IV. This Agreement supersedes the Agreement on Fisheries concluded between the Government of the Republic of the Philippines and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia on May 30, 1969.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned being duly authorized thereto by their respective Governments, have signed this Agreement on Fisheries.

Done in Jakarta, Indonesia, on this eighth day of August one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four, in two originals in the English language, both texts being authentic.

For the Government of the Republic of the Philippines:

[Signed]

TROADIO T. QUIAZON Jr.
Secretary of Trade and Chairman
of the Philippine Delegation

[Signed]

Modesto Farolan

Ambassador of the Philippines to Indonesia and Co-Chairman of the Philippine Delegation

For the Government of the Republic of Indonesia:

[Signed]

RADIUS PRAWIRO
Minister of Trade and Chairman
of the Indonesian Delegation

[Signed]

SUHADI MANGKUSUWONDO

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