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**INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY
and
EUROPEAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMUNITY
(EURATOM)**

**Co-operation Agreement (with official Russian, Spanish,
Danish, Dutch, German and Italian translations).
Signed at Vienna on 1 December 1975**

Authentic texts: English and French.

*Filed and recorded at the request of the International Atomic Energy
Agency on 7 September 1976.*

**AGENCE INTERNATIONALE DE L'ÉNERGIE
ATOMIQUE
et
COMMUNAUTÉ EUROPÉENNE DE L'ÉNERGIE
ATOMIQUE (CEEA)**

**Accord de coopération (avec traductions officielles russe,
espagnole, danoise, néerlandaise, allemande et ita-
lienne). Signé à Vienne le 1^{er} décembre 1975**

Textes authentiques : anglais et français.

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de l'énergie atomique le 7 septembre 1976.*

CO-OPERATION AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMUNITY AND THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

Article I. CO-OPERATION AND CONSULTATION

The International Atomic Energy Agency (hereinafter referred to as “the Agency”) and the European Atomic Energy Community (hereinafter referred to as “the Community”), with a view to promoting the attainment of the objectives laid down by the Statute of the Agency² and the Treaty establishing the Community,³ agree to act in close co-operation. The Contracting Parties shall consult each other regularly on matters of mutual interest with a view to harmonizing their efforts, as far as possible, having due regard to their respective characters and objectives.

Article II. REPRESENTATION

1. The Community shall be invited to be represented at the regular annual sessions of the General Conference of the Agency and its representatives may participate, without the right to vote, in the deliberations of that body and, where appropriate, of its committees with respect to items on their agenda in which the Community has an interest.

2. The Agency and the Community shall also make any necessary arrangements for ensuring reciprocal representation at appropriate meetings convened under their respective auspices.

Article III. EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS

The Agency and the Community shall undertake a full exchange of information and documents, subject to such restrictions and arrangements as may be considered necessary by either Contracting Party to preserve the confidential nature of certain information and documents.

Article IV. ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL CO-OPERATION

If the co-operation proposed by one of the Contracting Parties to the other in accordance with this Agreement entails expenditure beyond the ordinary running expenses, consultations shall be held between the Agency and the Community to determine the most equitable way of meeting this expenditure.

Article V. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AGREEMENT

The Director General of the Agency and the Commission of the European Communities may make the arrangements necessary for ensuring satisfactory implementation of this Agreement.

¹ Came into force on 1 January 1976, i.e., the first day of the month following the date (1 December 1975) on which the Contracting Parties had notified each other that the necessary internal procedures had been completed, in accordance with article VIII.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 276, p. 3, and vol. 471, p. 334.

³ *Ibid.*, vol. 298, p. 167.

Article VI. NOTIFICATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS AND
FILING AND RECORDING

1. In accordance with its Agreement with the United Nations,¹ the Agency shall inform the United Nations forthwith of the terms of this Agreement.

2. On the coming into force of this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of Article VIII, the Agency shall communicate it to the Secretary-General of the United Nations for filing and recording.

Article VII. TERMINATION OF THE AGREEMENT

Either Contracting Party may terminate this Agreement, subject to six months' notice.

Article VIII. ENTRY INTO FORCE

This Agreement shall enter into force on the first day of the month following the date on which the Contracting Parties shall have notified each other that the internal procedures necessary to this end have been completed.

Article IX. LANGUAGES

This Agreement has been drawn up in duplicate, in English and French, both texts being equally authentic.

In view of the respective needs of the Contracting Parties, the Agency shall prepare official translations of this Agreement into Russian and Spanish, and the Community shall prepare official translations into Danish, Dutch, German and Italian.

DONE at Vienna on the 1st day of December 1975.

For the European Atomic Energy Community:
GUIDO BRUNNER

For the International Atomic Energy Agency:
SIGVARD EKLUND

¹ See "Agreement concerning the relationship between the United Nations and the International Atomic Energy Agency, approved by the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency on 23 October 1957 and by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 14 November 1957" in United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 281, p. 369.