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Échange de notes constituant un accord complémentaire relatif à la coopération technique en matière de recherche sur le blé avec l'Empresa Brasileira de Pesquisa Agropecuária. Brasília, 6 septembre 1978

Textes authentiques : anglais et portugais. Enregistré par le Brésil le 19 janvier 1979. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING A SUBSIDIARY AGREE-MENT' BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA CONCERNING TECHNICAL CO-OPERATION IN THE FIELD OF WHEAT RESEARCH WITH THE EMPRESA BRASILEIRA DE PESQUISA AGROPECUÁRIA

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Nº B-18

Excellency,

With reference to the note verbal DCT/DCS/11, of March 12, 1974, of the Ministry of External Relations as well as the Technical Cooperation Agreement between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil, of April 2, 1975² I have the honour to propose in the name of the Government of Canada, and pursuant to article II of the above-mentioned agreement, the following Subsidiary Agreement concerning technical cooperation in the field of wheat research with the Empresa Brasileira de Pesquisa Agropecuária, as follows:

- I. 1. The Government of Canada designates the Canadian International Development Agency (hereinafter referred to as "CIDA") as the agency responsible for the fulfilment of its obligations under this Agreement.
- 2. The Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil designates the Empresa Brasileira de Pesquisa Agropecuária (hereinafter referred to as "EMBRAPA") as the agency responsible for the fulfilment of its obligations under this Agreement.
- II. The objective of this project is to improve the capacity for wheat research and cereals research in general at the Centro Nacional de Pesquisa do Trigo CNPT of EMBRAPA, at Passo Fundo, R.S. and to develop greater cooperation between cereal research scientists of Brazil and Canada.
- 1. The objectives will be achieved through the execution of the following principal activities:
- a) The use of Canadian research scientists as short-term consultants to EMBRAPA;
- b) Short-term training of Brazilian scientists in Canada;
- c) Furnishing of selected items of Canadian equipment essential to the project.
- 2. This project shall have a duration of approximately three years. Upon agreement of both parties, this period may be extended.
- III. The Government of Canada and the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil, or their designated agencies, agree to complement this agreement by the addition of a detailed Plan of Operations, before or at the time of the implementation of the project.

A copy of the Plan of Operations shall be submitted to the Secretaria de Cooperação Econômica e Técnica Internacional — SUBIN (of the Secretaria de Planejamento da Presidência da República) and the Divisão de Cooperação Técnica—DCOPT, of the Ministry of External Relations. The Plan of Operations shall constitute an annex to this Agreement and shall:

¹ Came into force on 6 September 1978, the date of the note in reply, in accordance with the provisions of the said

notes.
² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1020, p. 45.

- a) Provide a detailed description of the project;
- b) Outline the methods and means to be used to carry out the project;
- c) Designate the persons responsible for carrying out the project on behalf of the Government of Canada and the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil;
- d) State the obligations, duties and responsibilities of the Government of Canada and the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil together with their financial contribution;
- e) Include an implementation and approximate disbursement schedule for the duration of the project;
- f) Specify the periods of time over which the joint evaluations mentioned in article IX shall be performed and the means by which they shall be made.
- IV. 1. As its contribution to this project, the Government of Canada agrees to provide the following:
- a) Personnel:

Research scientists on a short-term consultant basis in the following areas:

- Genetics and Cytology;
- Entomology;
- Plant Physiology:
- Agricultural Engineering;
- Other areas to be specified.
- b) Training:

Short-term training in Canada of one to two months duration for Brazilian scientists of EMBRAPA/CNPT.

- c) Equipment:
 - Six controlled environment growth chambers;
 - Six humidity incubators;
 - Miscellaneous items of equipment for rust research.
- 2. It is understood that the total Canadian contribution will not exceed \$Can 352,000 (three hundred and fifty-two thousand Canadian dollars).
- V. 1. As its contribution to this project, the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil agrees to provide the following:
- a) Counterpart personnel, office space, secretarial services, and translation services where necessary for Canadian experts;
- b) Ground and air transportation and per diems for official travel in Brazil by Canadian experts in connection with the performance of their duties while on assignment with this project;
- c) Hotel or similar temporary accommodations for short-term experts and for long-term experts and their families upon arrival in Brazil and prior to their departure, if necessary;
- d) Furnished accommodations for full-time experts and their dependents, or payment of a
 housing allowance to be specified in the Plan of Operations and subject to revision, if
 necessary;
- e) Any other support not specified under the Canadian contribution of article IV and necessary for the successful execution of the project.
- 2. The Brazilian contribution is estimated at \$[Can] 2,700,000 (two million and seven-hundred thousand Canadian dollars).
- VI. The persons designated in the Plan of Operations shall direct work on the project. They shall report to Program Management.

- VII. The Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil and the Government of Canada shall ensure that this Agreement is carried out with due diligence and efficiency and each shall furnish to the other all such information as shall reasonably be requested.
- VIII. Any communication or documents given, made or sent by either the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil or the Government of Canada pursuant to this Agreement or annex hereto shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given, made or sent to the party to which it is addressed at the time of its delivery by hand, mail, telegram, cable or radiogram at its respective address, namely:

For the Federative Republic of Brazil:

EMBRAPA
Centro Nacional de Pesquisa do Trigo
a/c do Ministério das Relações Exteriores
(Divisão de Cooperação Técnica)
Esplanada dos Ministérios
70 000 Brasília, D.F.
Brazil

For Canada:

The President
Canadian International Development Agency
c/o Canadian Embassy
Avenida das Nações, Lote 16
70 000 Brasília, D.F.
Brazil

- IX. Periodic evaluations shall be carried out in accordance with a procedure agreed upon between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil and embodied in a mechanism for continuous evaluation to be specified in the Plan of Operations.
- X. The necessary budgetary, financial and administrative measures heretofore taken by the Government of Canada and the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil shall be continued and supplemented for the purpose of bringing the project to its full completion.
- XI. This agreement cancels any previous agreement concerning this project, whether verbal or written, made between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil. If necessary, it may be amended in the manner prescribed in the General Technical Cooperation Agreement of April 2, 1975.

In the event that the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil agrees with the proposals included in article I to article XI, I propose that this note and the reply of Your Excellency, expressing the agreement of your Government, constitute a Subsidiary Agreement between our two governments, to enter into force on the date of Your Excellency's reply.

I would like to avail myself of the occasion to renew to Your Excellency the assurance of my highest consideration.

Brasília, September 6, 1978

James Howard Stone Ambassador

His Excellency Antonio Francisco Azeredo da Silveira Minister of External Relations Brasília, D.F.

[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

6 September 1978

DCOPT/DCS/DAI/25/644(B46)(B10)

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your note B-18, of 6 September 1978, which, in Portuguese, reads as follows:

[See note I]

2. In reply, I wish to inform you that the Government of Brazil agrees to the terms of the foregoing note which, together with this note, shall constitute a subsidiary agreement between our two Governments, to enter into force on today's date. Accept, Sir, etc.

ANTONIO F. AZEREDO DA SILVEIRA

His Excellency James Howard Stone Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Canada