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#### LONG-TERM WHEAT AGREEMENT' BETWEEN THE GOVERN-MENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE DEMO-CRATIC AND POPULAR REPULIC OF ALGERIA

The Government of Canada and the Government of the Democratic and Popular Republic of Algeria, desirous of fostering closer trade and economic relations between the two countries, have agreed as follows regarding a long-term wheat agreement.

- Article I. Algeria shall buy through the Office algérien interprofessionnel des céréales and Canada shall supply through the Canadian Wheat Board, between a minimum of 500,000 metric tons and a maximum of 675,000 metric tons of Canadian durham wheat, five per cent more or less for shipment from Canadian ports during the tenure of the Agreement in the following quantities:
- Between a minimum of 125,000 metric tons and a maximum of 150,000 metric tons in the period August 1, 1976, to July 31, 1977;
- Between a minimum of 200,000 metric tons and a maximum of 225,000 metric tons in the period August 1, 1977, to July 31, 1978;
- Between a minimum of 175,000 metric tons and a maximum of 300,000 metric tons in the period August 1, 1978, to July 31, 1979.

These quantities may be plus or minus five per cent at the option of the Office algérien interprofessionnel des céréales.

- Article II. Under this Agreement, the Office algérien interprofessionnel des céréales and the Canadian Wheat Board shall conclude a master contract which will serve as a basis for sales contracts in respect of each transaction. The type and grades of wheat, delivery terms, prices and other commercial conditions shall be negotiated and agreed according to the said sales contracts between the two Parties.
- Article III. Quantities of Canadian durham wheat which may be purchased and supplied in excess of the maximum amounts provided for in article I shall be subject to separate negotiations between the two Parties on the basis of the buyer's requirements and the seller's supply position.
- Article IV. This Agreement will enter into force on the day of signature and will remain in effect until July 31, 1979.

<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 27 May 1976 by signature, in accordance with article IV.

Done in Algiers, on the 27th day of May nineteen hundred and seventy-six, in two copies in the English and French languages, both versions being equally authentic.

IL EST ÉTABLI en double exemplaire en langue française et en langue anglaise, les deux textes faisant également foi. Fait à Alger, le 27 mai 1976.

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For the Government of Democratic and Popular Republic of Algeria Pour le Gouvernement de la République algérienne démocratique et populaire