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CULTURAL CONVENTION¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL AND THE GOVERNMENT
OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTH-
ERN IRELAND

The Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil and the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland,

Desiring to broaden their cultural relations and encourage a closer relationship between the two countries,

Have agreed as follows:

Article I. For the purpose of this Convention the terms “territory” and “country” shall mean, in relation to the Government of Brazil, the Federative Republic of Brazil and, in relation to the Government of the United Kingdom, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Article II. The Contracting Parties shall encourage in their territories the establishment and activities of institutions for the study, research and diffusion of the language, letters, sciences and arts of the country of the other Party.

Article III. The Contracting Parties shall encourage contacts between their teachers and research workers to enable them to lecture or engage in research in their speciality in the territory of the other Party.

Article IV. The Contracting Parties shall encourage the grant of scholarships to enable graduate students to pursue their studies in the territory of the other Party.

Article V. The Contracting Parties shall consider to what extent and under what conditions degrees and diplomas from universities and institutes of education in the country of the other Party should be recognized as equivalent to the corresponding degrees and diplomas from their own country.

Article VI. The Contracting Parties shall encourage a better knowledge of each other's culture through exhibitions, theatrical productions, musical recitals and cinema festivals.

Article VII. The Contracting Parties shall encourage collaboration in the field of radio and television between the competent authorities in both countries.

Article VIII. Each Contracting Party shall facilitate, subject to the laws and regulations in force in its territory, the entry and exhibition in its territory of documentary, artistic and educational films originating in the country of the other Party.

Article IX. Each Contracting Party shall facilitate, subject to the laws and regulations in force in its territory, the circulation in its territory of newspapers,

¹ Came into force on 7 February 1979, i.e., the thirtieth day after the date of the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which took place at Brasília, in accordance with article XIII (1).

books and magazines and the reception of radio and television programmes originating in the country of the other Party.

Article X. Within the terms of the laws and regulations in force in its territory and subject to prior arrangements between the two Parties, each Contracting Party shall encourage the exchange of scientific, technical and cultural missions for the purposes of study and research.

Article XI. Each Contracting Party shall grant to the other every reasonable facility, subject to the laws and regulations in force in its territory, for the entry, residence and departure of nationals of the other Contracting Party and for the importation of the material and equipment necessary for the carrying out of the provisions of this Convention.

Article XII. The Contracting Parties shall establish a Mixed Commission consisting of six members, three to be appointed by each Party, which shall meet every two years alternately in Brazil and in the United Kingdom and in extraordinary session, when necessary, in order to supervise the application of this Convention.

Article XIII. (1) This Convention shall enter into force on the thirtieth day after the exchange of instruments of ratification, which shall take place in Brasilia, and shall remain in force until six months after either of the Contracting Parties shall have given written notice of termination to the other.

(2) On the entry into force of this Convention, the Cultural Convention concluded by the Contracting Parties on 16 April 1947 shall terminate.

EM FÉ DO QUE, devidamente autorizados pelos seus respectivos Governos, os abaixo assinados firmam o presente Convênio.

FEITO em Londres aos 14 dias do mês de outubro de 1976, em dois exemplares, nas línguas portuguesa e inglesa, sendo ambos os textos igualmente idênticos.

Pelo Governo
da República Federativa
do Brasil:

ROBERTO DE OLIVEIRA CAMPOS

Pelo Governo
do Reino Unido da Grã-Bretanha
e Irlanda do Norte:

EDWARD ROWLANDS

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, duly authorized thereto by their respective Governments, have signed this Convention.

DONE in duplicate at London this 14th day of October 1976, in the Portuguese and English languages, both texts being equally authoritative.

For the Government
of the Federative Republic
of Brazil:

For the Government
of the United Kingdom of Great Britain
and Northern Ireland: