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**UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS
and
PERU**

**Basic Agreement on scientific and technical co-operation.
Signed at Lima on 11 November 1976**

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[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

BASIC AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF PERU ON SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL CO-OPERATION

The Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the Government of the Republic of Peru,

Desiring to strengthen co-operation between the two countries in the field of science and technology,

Considering that such co-operation will help to strengthen the friendly relations existing between the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the Republic of Peru,

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1. The Contracting Parties undertake to promote the development of technical and scientific co-operation between the two countries on the basis of equal rights, respect for sovereignty, non-interference in the internal affairs of each State and mutual interest.

Article 2. The co-operation which is the aim of this Agreement shall take in particular the following forms:

- (a) Exchange of scientists and experts;
- (b) Exchange of scientific and technical information;
- (c) Organization of symposia and conferences on scientific and technical problems of interest to the two Parties;
- (d) Awarding of scholarships for post-graduate study and further training;
- (e) Joint elaboration of technological processes in industry, agriculture and other areas of mutual interest.

Article 3. The specific agreements or contracts on the basis of which collaboration shall be developed between the competent parties and organizations of the two countries shall be concluded in accordance with the legislation in effect in the two countries.

Such agreements or contracts may, in particular, specify the time-limits, financial terms and procedures for implementing specific projects which may be agreed upon.

Article 4. Each Contracting Party shall, in order to ensure favourable conditions for the performance by experts of the other Party of the duties assigned to them, grant them the privileges and immunities which are accorded by law to experts from countries extending technical co-operation to it.

¹ Came into force on 19 April 1978, the date of the exchange of notes by which the Parties had informed each other of the completion of their required domestic legislation, in accordance with article 8.

Article 5. Deliveries of machinery, equipment and other apparatus carried out for purposes of scientific and technical co-operation shall be given all customs privileges which will permit their free entry into the receiving country.

Article 6. The Contracting Parties agree to establish a Mixed Commission to study questions relating to the implementation of this Agreement and, in particular, to prepare programmes designed to achieve the purposes of the Agreement, to evaluate the results periodically and to draft recommendations to their Governments aimed at the successful implementation of the purposes of this Agreement. Each Government shall appoint an equal number of members of the Commission. Experts designated by the two Parties may participate in the work of the Commission.

The Commission shall meet periodically on the dates agreed by the Parties through their respective diplomatic channels; the meetings shall be held alternately in their respective capitals.

Article 7. This Agreement shall remain in force for five years, after which it shall be renewed automatically for successive five-year periods until either Contracting Party gives the other notice, three months before the expiry of the respective period, of its intention to denounce it.

Denunciation of this Agreement shall not affect the implementation of specific agreements or contracts which may be under way; they shall continue to be implemented until the established expiration date.

Article 8. This Agreement shall enter into force on the date on which the two Parties inform each other by an exchange of notes that the requirements of their domestic legislation for its entry into force have been complied with.

DONE at Lima on 11 November 1976, in duplicate, in the Russian and Spanish languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government
of the Union of Soviet
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[Signed]

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For the Government
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[Signed]

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