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**FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY  
and  
SOMALIA**

**Agreement concerning financial co-operation — *Water Supplies I Project*. Signed at Mogadiscio on 28 June 1979**

*Authentic texts: German and English.*

*Registered by the Federal Republic of Germany on 14 April 1980.*

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**RÉPUBLIQUE FÉDÉRALE D'ALLEMAGNE  
et  
SOMALIE**

**Accord de coopération financière — *Projet d'approvisionnement en eau I*. Signé à Mogadishu le 28 juin 1979**

*Textes authentiques : allemand et anglais.*

*Enregistré par la République fédérale d'Allemagne le 14 avril 1980.*

## AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup> BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SOMALI DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY CONCERNING FINANCIAL CO-OPERATION

The Government of the Somali Democratic Republic and the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany,

In the spirit of the friendly relations existing between the Somali Democratic Republic and the Federal Republic of Germany,

Desiring to strengthen and intensify those friendly relations through financial co-operation in a spirit of partnership,

Aware that the maintenance of those relations constitutes the basis of the present Agreement,

Intending to contribute to economic and social development in the Somali Democratic Republic,

Have agreed as follows:

*Article 1.* The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall enable the Government of the Somali Democratic Republic to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (Development Loan Corporation), Frankfurt/Main, a financing contribution of up to DM 8,700,000 (eight million seven hundred thousand deutsche mark) for the project "Water Supplies I" (development of drinking water supplies for the towns of Jowhar, Afgooye, Balcad and Marka).

*Article 2.* The utilization of the financing contribution as well as the terms and conditions on which it is granted shall be governed by the provisions of the financing agreement to be concluded between the Government of the Somali Democratic Republic and the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau, which shall be subject to the laws and regulations applicable in the Federal Republic of Germany.

*Article 3.* The Government of the Somali Democratic Republic shall exempt the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau from all taxes and other public charges levied in the Somali Democratic Republic in connection with the conclusion and implementation of the financing agreement referred to in article 2 of the present Agreement.

*Article 4.* The Government of the Somali Democratic Republic shall allow passengers and suppliers free choice of transport enterprises for such transportation by sea or air of persons and goods as results from the granting of the financing contribution, abstain from taking any measures that might exclude or impair the participation on equal terms of transport enterprises having their place of business in the German area of application of the present Agreement, and grant any necessary permits for the participation of such enterprises.

*Article 5.* Supplies and services for projects financed from the financing contribution shall, unless otherwise provided for in individual cases, be subject to international public tender.

<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 28 June 1979 by signature, in accordance with article 8.

*Article 6.* With regard to supplies and services resulting from the granting of the financing contribution, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany attaches particular importance to preferential use being made of the economic potential of Land Berlin.

*Article 7.* With the exception of those provisions of article 4 which refer to air transport, this Agreement shall also apply to Land Berlin, provided that the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany does not make a contrary declaration to the Government of the Somali Democratic Republic within three months of the date of entry into force of this Agreement.

*Article 8.* The present Agreement shall enter into force on the date of signature thereof.

DONE at Mogadishu on 28 June 1979 in duplicate in the English and German languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government  
of the Somali Democratic Republic:

[Signed — Signé]<sup>1</sup>

For the Government  
of the Federal Republic  
of Germany:

[Signed — Signé]<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Signed by Ahmed Habib Ahmed — Signé par Ahmed Habib Ahmed.

<sup>2</sup> Signed by Metternich — Signé par Metternich.