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**FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
and
BOTSWANA**

Agreement concerning financial co-operation—*Public health facilities and improvement of roads in rural areas.* Signed at Gaborone on 12 October 1982

Authentic texts: German and English.

Registered by the Federal Republic of Germany on 29 December 1983.

**RÉPUBLIQUE FÉDÉRALE D'ALLEMAGNE
et
BOTSWANA**

Accord de coopération financière — *Équipements de santé publique et amélioration des routes dans les zones rurales.* Signé à Gaborone le 12 octobre 1982

Textes authentiques : allemand et anglais.

Enregistré par la République fédérale d'Allemagne le 29 décembre 1983.

AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF BOTSWANA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY CONCERNING FINANCIAL CO-OPERATION

The Government of the Republic of Botswana and the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany,

In the spirit of the friendly relations existing between the Republic of Botswana 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 this Agreement,

Intending to contribute to social and economic development in the Republic of Botswana,

With reference to the Summary Record of 25 March 1982,

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1. (1) The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall enable the Government of the Republic of Botswana to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (Development Loan Corporation), Frankfurt/Main, financial contributions up to a total of DM 20.8 million (twenty million eight hundred thousand Deutsche Mark) for the projects

(a) "Public health facilities in rural areas"

(b) "Improvement of roads in rural areas"

if, after examination, the projects have been found eligible for promotion; up to DM 8 million (eight million Deutsche Mark) shall be used for the project "Public health facilities in rural areas" and up to DM 12.8 million (twelve million eight hundred thousand Deutsche Mark) for the project "Improvement of roads in rural areas".

(2) This Agreement shall also apply if, at a later date, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany enables the Government of the Republic of Botswana to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau further financial contributions for the preparation of the projects

(a) "Public health facilities in rural areas"

(b) "Improvement of roads in rural areas"

or for attendant measures required for their implementation and support.

(3) The projects referred to in paragraph 1 above may be replaced by other projects if the Government of the Republic of Botswana and the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany so agree.

Article 2. The utilization of the amounts referred to in article 1 of this Agreement as well as the terms and conditions on which they are made available shall be governed by the provisions of the agreements to be concluded between the recipient

¹ Came into force on 12 October 1982 by signature, in accordance with article 8.

of the financial contributions 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 Republic of Botswana shall exempt the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau from all taxes and other public charges levied in Botswana in connection with the conclusion and implementation of the agreements referred to in article 2 of the present Agreement.

Article 4. The Government of the Republic of Botswana 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 financial contributions, abstain from taking any measures that might exclude or impair the participation of transport enterprises having their place of business in the German area of application of this Agreement, and grant any necessary permits for the participation of such enterprises.

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

Article 6. With regard to supplies and services resulting from the granting of the financial contributions, 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 Republic of Botswana within three months of the date of entry into force of this Agreement.

Article 8. This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of signature thereof.

DONE at Gaborone on 12th October 1982, in duplicate in the English and German languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government
of the Republic of Botswana:

[Signed — Signé]¹

For the Government
of the Federal Republic of Germany:

[Signed — Signé]²

¹ Signed by P. S. Mmusi — Signé par P. S. Mmusi.

² Signed by Hans Hoffmann — Signé par Hans Hoffmann.