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**DENMARK**  
and  
**LESOTHO**

**Exchange of notes constituting an agreement concerning  
Danish grant assistance for the completion of Qacha's  
Nek Hospital. Copenhagen, 29 September and 14 October  
1982**

*Authentic text: English.*

*Registered by Denmark on 28 March 1983.*

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et  
**LESOTHO**

**Échange de notes constituant un accord relatif à un don  
danois ayant pour objet d'aider à achever l'hôpital de  
Qacha's Nek. Copenhague, 29 septembre et 14 octobre  
1982**

*Texte authentique : anglais.*

*Enregistré par le Danemark le 28 mars 1983.*

EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup>  
 BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF DENMARK AND THE  
 GOVERNMENT OF LESOTHO CONCERNING DANISH  
 GRANT ASSISTANCE FOR THE COMPLETION OF QACHA'S  
 NEK HOSPITAL

I

29 September 1982

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 D.8. 104.Les.9

Sirs,

Referring to the Exchange of notes in November 1981 concerning Danish grant assistance for the extended Qacha's Nek Project<sup>2</sup> and with reference to official request of 26 July 1982 from the Lesotho Central Planning and Development Office concerning Danish grant assistance for the completion of Qacha's Nek Hospital, I have the honour to inform you that the Government of Denmark is prepared to make available a grant of up to 660,000 D.kr. for this project.

*Obligations of the two parties*

A. The Government of Denmark agrees:

1. To cover the following expenses not exceeding a total of D.kr. 660,000:	
a. Water supply	D.kr. 25,000
b. Maintenance workshop and tools	D.kr. 40,000
c. New X-ray machine	D.kr. 200,000
d. Solar water heaters for staff houses	D.kr. 45,000
e. SSB radio for communication with Queen Elizabeth Hospital and Lesotho Flying Doctor Service	D.kr. 20,000
f. Maintenance of project vehicles	D.kr. 70,000
	D.kr. 400,000
Contingencies 10%	D.kr. 40,000
g. Cost overruns	D.kr. 220,000
	<u>D.kr. 660,000</u>
	TOTAL D.kr. 660,000

2. To transfer funds for the project expenses to the Ministry of Finance.

B. The Government of Lesotho agrees:

1. To ensure that the funds are deposited with Lesotho Bank on the DANIDA Qacha's Nek Hospital Project account and that the funds will be used for the purpose intended.
2. To permit importation of equipment which may not be available locally.

<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 14 October 1982 by the exchange of the said notes.

<sup>2</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1265, p. 3.

3. To exempt items imported for the use of the project from import duties, fiscal levies, sales tax, etc. or to pay such charges itself.
4. To finance current expenses which are not covered by DANIDA for the completion of the Qacha's Nek District Hospital.
5. To submit to DANIDA a detailed statement of accounts duly certified by the Auditor-General of the Government of Lesotho at the termination of the project.

This Agreement may be amended by exchange of notes.

If the foregoing is acceptable to the Government of Lesotho, I have the honour to suggest that this note and your reply be regarded as constituting an agreement between our two Governments.

Please accept, Sirs, the assurance of my highest consideration.

[Signed]

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Deputy Head of Division

Embassy of the Kingdom of Lesotho  
Gentofte

## II

### EMBASSY OF THE KINGDOM OF LESOTHO GENTOFTE, DENMARK

Ref.: LE-C/DEV/1-101

The Embassy of the Kingdom of Lesotho presents its compliments to the Royal Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs and has the honour to refer to the Ministry's letter Ref. 104.Les.9 dated 29th September, 1982, which reads as follows:

[See note I]

The Embassy has the honour to advise that the proposals in the Ministry's letter have been accepted by the Government of Lesotho which has also agreed that the Ministry's letter and the Embassy's present reply be accepted as constituting an agreement between the two Governments.

The Embassy of the Kingdom of Lesotho avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Royal Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs the assurances of its highest consideration.

Copenhagen, 14th October, 1982