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**FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
and
BOTSWANA**

**Agreement concerning financial co-operation—*National
Development Bank*. Signed at Gaborone on 5 July 1983**

Authentic texts: German and English.

Registered by the Federal Republic of Germany on 20 June 1984.

**RÉPUBLIQUE FÉDÉRALE D'ALLEMAGNE
et
BOTSWANA**

**Accord de coopération financière — *Banque nationale de
développement*. Signé à Gaborones le 5 juillet 1983**

Textes authentiques : allemand et anglais.

Enregistré par la République fédérale d'Allemagne le 20 juin 1984.

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 6 April 1978,

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, a financial contribution of up to DM 2,000,000 (two million Deutsche Mark) for the project "National Development Bank".

(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 project "National Development Bank" or for attendant measures required for its implementation and support.

Article 2. The utilization of the amount referred to in Article 1 of this Agreement as well as the terms and conditions on which it is made available shall be governed by the provisions of the agreement to be concluded between the recipient of the financial contribution 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 the Republic of Botswana in connection with the conclusion and implementation of the agreement referred to in Article 2 of the present Agreement.

Article 4. With regard to supplies and services resulting from the granting of the financial contribution, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany attaches particular importance to preferential use being made of the economic potential of Land Berlin.

¹ Came into force on 5 July 1983 by signature, in accordance with article 6.

Article 5. 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 6. This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of signature thereof.

DONE at Gaborone on 5th July 1983 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.