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[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

TRADE AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF ALGERIA

The Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil and the Government of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria, hereinafter referred to as the Contracting Parties,

Desiring to develop direct trade relations between their countries on the basis of equilibrium and mutual interest,

Have agreed on the following provisions:

Article I. The Contracting Parties undertake to promote the balanced development of commercial transactions between them and shall, in accordance with the laws and regulations in force in their respective countries, adopt all measures necessary for the expansion and diversification of their reciprocal trade at the highest possible level, in keeping with their development objectives.

Article II. The Contracting Parties shall grant each other most-favoured-nation treatment in the matter of customs duties and all other similar charges and taxes as well as the regulations, formalities and procedures relating to products and goods exchanged in the trade between the two countries, without prejudice to their commitments to develop their trade in the context of strengthening co-operation among developing countries.

Article III. Commercial transactions between the Federative Republic of Brazil and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and shall be subject to the laws and regulations regarding imports and exports which are in force in each of the two countries.

Article IV. Goods which originate from one of the Contracting Parties may not be re-exported to a third country unless written authorization is given by the competent authorities of the country from which the goods were originally exported.

Article V. The Contracting Parties shall authorize the duty-free import and export of the following articles, subject to the laws and regulations regarding imports and exports which are in force in each of the two countries:

- (a) Samples of goods and advertising materials for sales promotion and publicity purposes, provided they are not offered for sale;
- (b) Items and goods to be displayed at international fairs and exhibitions which are to be held in the territory of one or the other of the Contracting Parties;
- (c) Products and goods imported under the temporary admission system.

¹ Came into force on 10 November 1983, the date of the last of the notifications by which the Contracting Parties informed each other (on 10 May and 10 November 1983) of the completion of the required constitutional procedures, in accordance with article XI.

Article VI. The importation and exportation of goods from one country to the other shall be carried out on the basis of contracts to be concluded between Brazilian physical and juridical persons authorized to act in external trade matters in Brazil and Algerian physical and juridical persons authorized to act in external trade matters in Algeria.

Article VII. Payments in respect of commercial transactions under this Agreement shall be made in freely convertible currency in accordance with the laws and regulations in force in each of the two countries.

Article VIII. With a view to encouraging the development of trade between the two countries, the Contracting Parties shall, as far as possible, afford each other the facilities necessary for the organization of international fairs and exhibitions in accordance with their respective laws and regulations.

Article IX. The Contracting Parties shall provide each other with any information which may be of use in commercial dealings between the two countries.

Article X. The Contracting Parties shall consult each other whenever necessary in order to improve trade between the two countries and to ensure that this Agreement is satisfactorily implemented.

Article XI. 1. Each Contracting Party shall notify the other upon completion of the constitutional procedures required for the application of this Agreement, which shall enter into force on the date of the last such notification.

2. This Agreement shall be valid for a period of three years and shall be automatically extended for further periods of one year unless one of the Contracting Parties gives the other 90 days' notice of its decision to terminate the Agreement.

DONE at Brasília on 3 June 1981 in three original copies, in the Portuguese, Arabic and French languages, the three texts being equally authentic.

For the Government
of the Federative Republic of Brazil:

[Signed]

RAMIRO SARAIVA GUERREIRO

For the Government
of the People's Democratic Republic
of Algeria:

[Signed]

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