

No. 23215

**FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
and
MAURITIUS**

**Agreement concerning financial co-operation (with annex).
Signed at Port Louis on 8 February 1984**

Authentic texts: German and English.

Registered by the Federal Republic of Germany on 28 December 1984.

**RÉPUBLIQUE FÉDÉRALE D'ALLEMAGNE
et
MAURICE**

**Accord de coopération financière (avec annexe). Signé à
Port-Louis le 8 février 1984**

Textes authentiques : allemand et anglais.

Enregistré par la République fédérale d'Allemagne le 28 décembre 1984.

AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF MAURITIUS AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GER- MANY CONCERNING FINANCIAL CO-OPERATION

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

In the spirit of the friendly relations existing between Mauritius 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 these relations constitutes the basis of this Agreement,

Intending to contribute to social and economic development in Mauritius,

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1. The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall enable the Government of Mauritius to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (Development Loan Corporation), Frankfurt/Main, a loan of up to DM 2,000,000 (two million Deutsche Mark) to meet foreign exchange costs resulting from the purchase of goods and services to cover current civilian requirements, and to meet foreign exchange and local currency costs of transport, insurance and assembly arising in connection with the importation of goods financed under this Agreement. The supplies and services must be such as are covered by the list annexed to this Agreement and for which supply or service contracts have been concluded after the signing of the loan agreement to be concluded pursuant to article 2 of the present Agreement.

Article 2. (1) 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 agreements to be concluded between the recipient of the loan and the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau, which shall be subject to the laws and regulations applicable in the Federal Republic of Germany.

(2) The Government of Mauritius, insofar as it is not itself the borrower, shall guarantee to the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau all payments in Deutsche Mark to be made in fulfilment of the borrower's liabilities under the agreements to be concluded pursuant to paragraph 1 above.

Article 3. The Government of Mauritius shall exempt the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau from all taxes and other public charges levied in Mauritius in connection with the conclusion and implementation of the agreements referred to in article 2 of the present Agreement.

Article 4. The Government of Mauritius 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 loan, abstain from taking any measures that might exclude or impair the participation of transport enterprises having their

¹ Came into force on 8 February 1984 by signature, in accordance with article 7.

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

Article 6. 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 Mauritius within three months of the date of entry into force of this Agreement.

Article 7. This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of signature thereof.

DONE at Port Louis on 8th February 1984 in duplicate in the English and German languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government
of Mauritius:

[Signed — Signé]¹

Minister of Economic and Planning
and Development

For the Government
of the Federal Republic of Germany:

[Signed — Signé]²

ANNEX TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF MAURITIUS
AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY CON-
CERNING FINANCIAL CO-OPERATION

1. List of goods and services eligible for financing from the loan under article 1 of the Agreement of 8th February 1984:

- (a) Industrial raw and auxiliary materials as well as semi-manufactures,
- (b) Industrial equipment as well as agricultural machinery and implements;
also machinery and implements for water supply plants,
- (c) Spare parts and accessories of all kinds,
- (d) Other industrial products of importance for the development of Mauritius.

2. Imports not included in the above list may only be financed with the prior approval of the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany.

3. The importation of luxury and consumer goods for personal needs as well as any goods and facilities serving military purposes may not be financed from the loan.

¹ Signed by Sir Satcam Boolell — Signé par Satcam Boolell.

² Signed by Rouette — Signé par Rouette.