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FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY and HAITI

Agreement concerning financial co-operation. Signed at Port-au-Prince on 8 May 1984

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[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

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

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

In the spirit of the friendly relations existing between the Federal Republic of Germany and the Republic of Haiti,

Desiring to strengthen and enhance these friendly relations through financial cooperation as partners,

Aware that the maintenance of these relations constitutes the basis of this Agreement,

Intending to contribute to social and economic development in Haiti, Have agreed as follows:

- Article 1. (1) The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall enable the Government of the Republic of Haiti to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (Development Loan Corporation), Frankfurt am Main, for the project "Vieux St. Martin/Port-au-Prince slum rehabilitation", a financial contribution of up to DM 7,800,000 (seven million, eight hundred thousand deutsche mark).
- (2) This Agreement shall also apply if, at a later date, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany enables the Republic of Haiti to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau, Frankfurt am Main, further financial contributions for preparing the projects "Vieux St. Martin/Port-au-Prince slum rehabilitation" or for collateral measures required for the implementation and following of the said project.
- Article 2. Utilization of the amount referred to in article 1 of this Agreement, as well as the terms and conditions on which it is granted shall be governed by the contract to be concluded between the recipient and the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau; this contract shall be subject to the laws and regulations applicable in the Federal Republic of Germany.
- Article 3. The Government of the Republic of Haiti shall exempt the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau from all taxes and other fiscal charges levied in the Republic of Haiti in connection with the conclusion and implementation of the contract referred to in article 2 of this Agreement.
- Article 4. The Government of the Republic shall allow passengers and suppliers free choice of transport enterprises for such transport by sea and air of persons and goods as results from the granting of the financial contribution, refrain from taking any measures that might exclude or impede the participation of transport

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

enterprises having their principal 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. The procurement procedure to be applied for the purpose of implementing article 1 of this Agreement shall be determined in the financing contract to be concluded between the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau and the recipient.
- Article 6. 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 preference being given to 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 declaration to the contrary to the Government of the Republic of Haiti within the three months following the date of entry into force of this Agreement.
- Article 8. This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of its signature.

 Done at Port-au-Prince, on 8 May 1984, in two originals, in the German and French languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany:

[Signed]

FRITJOF VON NORDENSKJÖLD
Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany

For the Government of the Republic of Haiti:

[Signed]

JEAN-ROBERT ESTIMÉ
Minister for Foreign Affairs

[Signed]

Théodore Achille
Minister of State for Social Affairs

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CLAUDE WEIL Minister of Planning