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**FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
and
ZIMBABWE**

**Agreement concerning financial co-operation. Signed at
Harare on 6 April 1984**

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**RÉPUBLIQUE FÉDÉRALE D'ALLEMAGNE
et
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**Accord de coopération financière. Signé à Harare le 6 avril
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AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZIMBABWE AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY CONCERNING FINANCIAL CO-OPERATION

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

In the spirit of the friendly relations existing between the Republic of Zimbabwe 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 Zimbabwe,

With reference to the intergovernmental negotiations held in Bonn from 12 to 14 September 1983 and the Minutes of 14 September 1983 as well as to the Exchange of letters of 8, 12 and 28 December 1983,

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1. (1) The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall enable the Government of the Republic of Zimbabwe to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (Development Loan Corporation), Frankfurt/Main, loans up to a total of DM 62,200,000 (sixty-two million two hundred thousand Deutsche Mark) and a non-repayable financial contribution of up to DM 2,000,000 (two million Deutsche Mark).

(2) The loans shall be utilized as provided in sub-paragraphs (a) to (c) below if, after examination, the individual projects have been found eligible for promotion; the financial contribution shall be utilized in accordance with sub-paragraph (d) below:

- (a) Up to DM 17,200,000 (seventeen million two hundred thousand Deutsche Mark) for the project "New feeder roads for rural areas";
- (b) Up to DM 35,000,000 (thirty-five million Deutsche Mark) for the project "Air communication equipment for civil aviation";
- (c) Up to DM 10,000,000 (ten million Deutsche Mark) for the project "Irrigation programme II";
- (d) Up to DM 2,000,000 (two million Deutsche Mark) for the project "Fund for studies and experts III".

(3) 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 Zimbabwe to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau further loans or financial contributions for the preparation of the projects referred to in paragraph 2 (a) to (c) above or financial contributions for attendant measures required for their implementation and support.

¹ Came into force on 6 April 1984 by signature, in accordance with article 7.

(4) The projects referred to in paragraph 2 (a) to (c) above may be replaced by other projects if the Government of the Republic of Zimbabwe and the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany so agree.

(5) Financial contributions for preparatory and attendant measures pursuant to paragraphs 2 and 3 above shall be converted into loans in the event that they are not used for such measures.

Article 2. The utilization of the amounts referred to in article 1 of this Agreement, the terms and conditions on which they are made available as well as the procedure to be followed in awarding the contracts shall be governed by the provisions of the agreements to be concluded between the recipients of the loans and 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 Zimbabwe shall exempt the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau from all taxes and other public charges levied in the Republic of Zimbabwe in connection with the conclusion and implementation of the agreements referred to in article 2 of the present Agreement.

Article 4. The Government of the Republic of Zimbabwe 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 loans and the financial contribution, abstain from taking any measures that might exclude or impair the participation of transport enterprises having their 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 loans and 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.

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 the Republic of Zimbabwe 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 Harare on 6th April 1984 in duplicate in the English and German languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Government
of the Republic of Zimbabwe:

[Signed — Signé]¹

For the Government
of the Federal Republic of Germany:

[Signed — Signé]²

¹ Signed by Dr. Bernhard Chidzero — Signé par Bernhard Chidzero.

² Signed by Prot von Kunow — Signé par Prot von Kunow.