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**UNITED NATIONS
(UNITED NATIONS FUND
FOR DRUG ABUSE CONTROL)
and
BRAZIL**

**Memorandum of Understanding. Signed at Vienna on
16 February 1987**

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**ORGANISATION DES NATIONS UNIES
(FONDS DES NATIONS UNIES POUR LA LUTTE
CONTRE L'ABUS DES DROGUES)
et
BRÉSIL**

Mémorandum d'accord. Signé à Vienne le 16 février 1987

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF BRAZIL AND THE UNITED NATIONS FUND FOR DRUG ABUSE CONTROL (UNFDAC)

1. The Government of Brazil, conscious of the risk of expansion in drug trafficking and abuse in the country, has decided to intensify actions to address the various aspects of the problem.

2. Among the steps envisaged or already taken are actions aimed at eradicating illicit production, reducing the flow of illicit drugs in transit, providing services and facilities for detoxification and social reintegration of drug dependents, and educating and informing its population in an effort to prevent the spread of drug abuse and trafficking.

3. Towards these objectives, the Government of Brazil has prepared a preliminary masterplan, identifying the points on which further action is required and outlining the steps to be taken in the various sectors.

4. Having in mind the global implications of drug abuse and trafficking and in order to permit an acceleration and strengthening of the envisaged actions, the Government of Brazil has requested the support and financial assistance of UNFDAC as well as committed itself to invest resources of its own.

5. UNFDAC has agreed to support the Government of Brazil's masterplan, the activities of which have been estimated to require US\$ 18 million. Within the framework of the preliminary masterplan, UNFDAC is prepared to proceed in cooperation with the Government of Brazil in the elaboration of specific sectoral projects of varying duration, within an initial budget framework of US\$ 12 million.

6. Each specific project will be subject to the approval of both the Government of Brazil and UNFDAC.

[Signed]

TÉCIO LINS E SILVA
President of the Federal Council on Narcotics on behalf of the Government of Brazil

Date: 16 February 1987

[Signed]

GIUSEPPE DI GENNARO
Executive Director, United Nations Fund for Drug Abuse Control

Date: 16 February 1987

¹ Came into force on 16 February 1987 by signature.