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**FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
and
SOMALIA**

**Agreement concerning financial co-operation. Signed at
Mogadiscio on 10 December 1985**

Authentic texts: German, Somali and English.

Registered by the Federal Republic of Germany on 24 July 1987.

**RÉPUBLIQUE FÉDÉRALE D'ALLEMAGNE
et
SOMALIE**

**Accord de coopération financière. Signé à Mogadishu
le 10 décembre 1985**

Textes authentiques : allemand, somali et anglais.

Enregistré par la République fédérale d'Allemagne le 24 juillet 1987.

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

The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany and the Government of the Somali Democratic Republic,

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

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 support the structural adaptation programme of the Somali Government and thus contribute to social and economic development in the Somali Democratic Republic,

Have, with reference to the results of the talks held in Somalia by the mission for project identification during the period 26 January to 4 February 1985, agreed as follows:

Article 1. (1) The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall enable the Government of the Somali Democratic Republic to obtain from the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (Development Loan Corporation), Frankfurt/Main, a financial contribution of up to DM 30,000,000 (thirty million Deutsche Mark) for the project "Sectoral programme for the promotion of agriculture" if, after examination, the project has been found eligible for promotion.

This project is a contribution by the Federal Republic of Germany in support of the World Bank special IDA fund for Africa.

(2) The project referred to in paragraph 1 above may be replaced by other projects if the Government of the Somali Democratic Republic and the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany so agree.

Article 2. The utilization of the amount referred to in Article 1 of this Agreement and the terms and conditions on which it is made available, as well as the procedure for awarding contracts, shall be governed by the provisions of the agreements to be concluded between the recipient of the financial contribution and the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau.

Article 3. The Government of the Somali Democratic Republic shall exempt the Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau from all taxes and other public charges levied in the Somali Democratic Republic 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 Somali Democratic Republic shall allow passengers and suppliers free choice of transport enterprises for such transportation

¹ Came into force on 10 December 1985 by signature, in accordance with article 7.

by sea or air of persons and goods as results from the granting of the financial contribution, abstain from taking any measures that might exclude or impair the participation on equal terms 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 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 Somali Democratic Republic 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 Mogadiscio on 10 December 1985 in duplicate in the German, Somali and English languages, all three texts being authentic. In case of divergent interpretations of the German and Somali texts, the English text shall prevail.

For the Government
of the Federal Republic of Germany:

[Signed — Signé]¹

For the Government
of the Somali Democratic Republic:

[Signed — Signé]²

¹ Signed by S. Rudolph — Signé par S. Rudolph.

² Signed by Mohamed Ali Hamud — Signé par Mohamed Ali Hamud.