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and  
SUDAN**

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at Khartoum on 22 December 1980**

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## AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup> BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HELLENIC REPUBLIC AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE SUDAN ON CULTURAL AND SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION

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The Government of the Hellenic Republic and the Government of the Democratic Republic of the Sudan guided by the desire to develop and strengthen the friendly relations existing between the two countries and wishing to promote their co-operation in the fields of culture, science, education, mass media and sports,

Have resolved to conclude the present cultural Agreement and have agreed as follows:

### I. *Education*

*Article 1.* With the intent of strengthening the bonds between their countries, in the fields of science and education the two Parties shall:

- 1) Encourage and expand the cooperation of institutions of higher education and state scientific institutions;
- 2) Seek to expand the cooperation and exchanges of scientists and teaching staff of higher education, as well as assist them in their research;
- 3) Invite, when possible, representatives of the other Party to attend scientific or cultural congresses, Conferences and other meetings held by one of the Parties;
- 4) Grant scholarships and exchange students and postgraduate students from Institutions of higher education;
- 5) Facilitate the exchange of experiences in all levels of education as well as various scientific and technological fields;
- 6) The two Parties agree that the enrolment of students in any preparatory courses, such as language courses for students wishing to study in the country of the other Party, at their own expenses, shall be subject to a previous control from their Government to ensure that those students possess the right academic qualifications for higher education.

### II. *Culture and science*

*Article 2.* The two Parties shall develop, for the purpose of getting to know better each other, their cooperation in various fields of culture of mutual interest and in particular shall encourage:

- a) cooperation of cultural and artistic institutions
- b) cooperation and exchanges between associations of writers and artists of the two countries
- c) the conduct of research by giving access under the regulations of each country to public and university libraries.

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<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 18 June 1987, i.e., the thirtieth day from the date of the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which took place at Athens on 20 May 1987, in accordance with article 7.

- d) participation of folkloric groups in international manifestations of the other country.
- e) exchanges of "days of cinema" through the respective competent authorities of the two countries
- f) exchanges of art exhibitions
- g) exchanges of books and other printed material of archaeological interest, on specific topics and during concrete time limits
- h) cooperation in the field of archeology.

### III. *Radio — television — cinema*

*Article 3.* The two Parties shall encourage the cooperation of their respective mass media organizations, and in particular of their news agencies as well as radio and television institutions.

### IV. *Sports*

*Article 4.* The two Parties shall encourage:

- 1) Cooperation in Sport and shall promote the organization of Sporting events among their appropriate associations;
- 2) Such events shall be arranged by agreement between the appropriate Sporting authorities and organizations in both countries.

### V. *Various*

*Article 5.* The two Parties shall encourage:

- 1) Exchanges of information on the infectious diseases and parasitoses that might occur;
- 2) Cooperation by a mutual information exchange among the scientific Institutes of each country dealing with the applied and research field in order to secure and promote the public health.

### VI. *General*

*Article 6.* 1) For the purpose of the application of this Agreement a Joint Greek-Sudanese Committee shall be set up which will meet in plenary sessions once every two years, alternatively in Greece and in Sudan to elaborate the details of the programmes of cooperation as well as their financial terms.

2. The implementation of the provisions of the programmes elaborated by the Joint Committee shall take place through the diplomatic channels of the two Parties.

3) All exchanges foreseen in this Agreement and in particular those of artists and artistic groups will be on a reciprocal basis.

*Article 7.* This Agreement shall go into force on the thirtieth day from the date of the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which will take place in Athens.

*Article 8.* This Agreement shall remain into force indefinitely. It may be denounced by either Party, by means of a notice of denunciation addressed to the other Party. In that case, this Agreement shall remain into force until the expiry of

three months from the date of the receipt of the notice of its denunciation by either Party.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the authorised Representatives of the two Parties have signed this Agreement and provided it with appropriate seals.

DONE in Khartoum on the 22nd day of December 1980 in two copies, both in the English language, each text being equally valid.

On behalf of the Government  
of the Hellenic Republic:

*[Signed]*

DEMETRE YIANNOPOULOS  
Ambassador of the Hellenic Republic  
in the Sudan

On behalf of the Government  
of the Democratic Republic  
of the Sudan:

*[Signed]*

HASHIM OSMAN  
Under Secretary  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
of the Democratic Republic  
of the Sudan

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