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AGREEMENT¹ FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SENEGAL

The Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Senegal

Desiring to strengthen and deepen the friendly relations that exist between the two countries, considering their common interest in maintaining and in encouraging the scientific and technical development of their two countries,

Acknowledging the advantages which result for their countries from closer cooperation in these fields, Have agreed to the following:

ARTICLE 1

Both governments undertake, in a spirit of fraternal solidarity, to cooperate and assist one another with a view to promoting the scientific and technical development of their countries. They will collaborate as partners with equal rights.

ARTICLE 2

In order to carry out the objectives related to the foregoing provisions, the cooperation between the two governments may relate to all mutually agreed scientific and technical fields and to the following forms in particular:

- A. Exchange of experts, specialists and advisors;
- B. Exchange of scholars and trainees;C. Organization of courses and seminars on problems of common interest;
- D. Cooperation in the field of study and design of scientific and technical development programs;
- E. Cooperation between organizations of both countries specializing in the fields of science and technology;
- F. Participation in scientific and technical research projects of both countries.

ARTICLE 3

In each specific case, the terms of scientific and technical cooperation will be determined by common consent of both governments of the bodies they will appoint, and may become the subject of individual agreements.

ARTICLE 4

The Mission of the Agency for International Development of the Government of the United States in Senegal and the Secretariat of State for Science and Technology of the Government of the Republic of Senegal shall be responsible

¹ Came into force on 17 August 1982, the date on which the Parties notified each other of the completion of the constitutional formalities, in accordance with article 10.

carrying out this agreement. Each shall be responsible, within its purview, for coordinating the activities incumbent on its government, and shall promote the implementation of the projects undertaken under this agreement.

The two governments will form a mutually agreed planning and review committee, which shall meet at the request of the two parties.

ARTICLE 5

The experts and all other persons who will be sent under the present agreement will enjoy, from the government of the other country, all the necessary facilities for the carrying out of their missions, within the framework of the laws and regulations in force.

ARTICLE 6

Transportation expenses, per diem costs, domestic travel expenses and other local expenses of specialists, researchers or advisors sent on a mission, will be covered according to the particular arrangements concluded within the framework of the present agreement. All activities under the agreement will be subject to the availability of funds.

ADTICLE 7

Scientific and technical equipment, material or products will be carried to the main port or airport of the beneficiary country by the other party. The country receiving the equipment, material or products will ensure duty free import into that country, in conformity with the laws and regulations in force.

Each government will facilitate, consistent with its laws and regulations, the entry into and exit from its territory of scientific and technical personnel engaged in cooperative activities, as well as their families and property.

ARTICLE 8

The parties to this agreement will take all necessary actions to promote the exchange of information and scientific documents between their specialized institutions.

ARTICLE 9

Information derived from activities under this agreement may be made available, unless otherwise agreed in an individual agreement hereunder, to the world scientific community through customary channels and in accordance with the normal procedures of the participants.

Scientists, technical experts, and entities of third countries or international organizations may be invited, upon mutual consent of both sides, to participate in projects and programs being carried out under this agreement.

ARTICLE 10

The present agreement will enter into effect upon notification of each government to the other that the constitutional formalities in force in each country have been accomplished.

The agreement will be valid for a period of five years, unless terminated earlier by either government upon six months written notice to the other. This agreement may be modified or extended by mutual agreement of the governments.

The termination of this agreement will not affect the validity or duration of any implementing agreements made under it.

Done at Dakar in the English and French languages, both versions being equally authentic, on this 30th day of September, 1980.

For the Government of the Republic of Senegal:

For the Government of the United States of America:

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