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UNITED NATIONS and AUSTRIA

Memorandum of Understanding concerning contributions to the United Nations Standby Arrangements System (with annexes and chart). Signed at New York on 8 November 1996

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ORGANISATION DES NATIONS UNIES et AUTRICHE

Mémorandum d'entente relatif aux contributions au Système de forces et moyens en attente des Nations Unies (avec annexes et diagramme). Signé à New York le 8 novembre 1996

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRIA CONCERNING CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED NATIONS STANDBY ARRANGEMENTS SYSTEM

THE SIGNATORIES TO THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM

H.E. MR. ERNST SUCHARIPA AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF AUSTRIA. REPRESENTING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRIA

AND

MR. KOFI A. ANNAN UNDER-SECRETARY-GENERAL FOR PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS, REPRESENTING THE UNITED NATIONS

<u>RECOGNIZING</u> THE NEED TO EXPEDITE THE PROVISION OF CERTAIN RESOURCES TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN ORDER TO EFFECTIVELY IMPLEMENT IN A TIMELY MANNER, THE MANDATE OF THE UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS AUTHORIZED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL,

FURTHER RECOGNIZING THAT THE ADVANTAGES OF EARMARKING RESOURCES FOR PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS CONTRIBUTES TO ENHANCING FLEXIBILITY AND LOW COSTS,

HAVE REACHED THE FOLLOWING UNDERSTANDING:

I. PURPOSE

THE PURPOSE OF THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING IS TO IDENTIFY THE RESOURCES WHICH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRIA HAS INDICATED THAT IT WILL PROVIDE TO THE UNITED NATIONS FOR USE OF PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS UNDER THE SPECIFIED CONDITIONS.

II. DESCRIPTION OF RESOURCES

1. THE DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RESOURCES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRIA IS SET OUT IN THE ANNEXES TO THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING.

2. IN THE PREPARATION OF THE ANNEXES, THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRIA AND THE UNITED NATIONS, HAVE FOLLOWED THE GUIDELINES FOR THE PROVISION OF RESOURCES FOR UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS.

¹ Came into force on 8 November 1996 by signature.

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III. CONDITION OF PROVISION

THE FINAL DECISION WHETHER TO ACTUALLY DEPLOY THE RESOURCES BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRIA REMAINS AN AUSTRIAN NATIONAL DECISION.

IV. MODIFICATION

THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING INCLUDING ALL OR ANY OF THE ANNEXES, MAY BE MODIFIED AT ANY TIME BY THE SIGNATORIES THROUGH EXCHANGE OF LETTERS.

V. TERMINATION

THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING MAY BE TERMINATED AT ANY TIME BY EITHER SIGNATORY, SUBJECT TO A PERIOD OF NOTIFICATION OF NOT LESS THAN THREE MONTHS TO THE OTHER SIGNATORY.

SIGNED IN NEW YORK ON 8 NOVEMBER 1996

For the Federal Government of Austria:

H. E. Mr. ERNST SUCHARIPA Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary

Permanent Representative of Austria to the United Nations

For the United Nations:

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ANNEX A^1

SUMMARY OF CONTRIBUTIONS

 $^{^{1}}$ The annexes are not published herein in accordance with article 12 (2) of the General Assembly regulations to give effect to Article 102 of the United Nations, as amended.

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PERSONNEL CONTRIBUTIONS

(Individuals)

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ESTIMATED SEALIFT CARGO SUMMARY

(For planning purposes)

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AUSTRIAN CONTRIBUTIONS ORG CHART

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