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AND NORTHERN IRELAND
and
CHILE**

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No. 5963. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHILE REGARDING THE RECIPROCAL ABOLITION OF VISAS. SANTIAGO, 9 MAY 1961

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Her Majesty's Ambassador at Santiago to the Acting Chilean Minister for Foreign Affairs

Santiago, May 9, 1961

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Your Excellency,

I have the honour to inform Your Excellency that, with a view to facilitating travel between Chile and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom are prepared to conclude with the Government of Chile an Agreement in the following terms :

(1) Chilean nationals holding valid Chilean passports shall be free to travel from any place whatever to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, The Channel Islands and the Isle of Man, without the necessity of obtaining a visa in advance.

(2) British subjects holding valid passports bearing on the cover the inscription "British Passport" at the top, and at the bottom the inscription "United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland" or "Jersey" or "Guernsey and its Dependencies", and inside the description of the holder's national status as "British subject" or "British subject, citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies", or "British subject, citizen of the United Kingdom Islands and Colonies" shall be free to travel from any place whatever to Chile without the necessity of obtaining a visa in advance, and to leave Chile without obtaining an exit visa. Any such visit to Chile shall be limited to three months, unless extended by the Chilean authorities at the termination of this period for a further period of three months.

(3) It is understood that the waiver of the visa requirement shall not exempt Chilean nationals and British subjects coming respectively to the United Kingdom or The Channel Islands or the Isle of Man and to Chile from the necessity of complying with the United Kingdom and Chilean laws and regulations concerning the entry, residence (temporary or permanent) and employment or occupation of foreigners, and that travellers who are unable to satisfy the immigration authorities that they comply with these laws and regulations are liable to be refused leave to enter or to land.

¹ Came into force on 1 June 1961, in accordance with the provisions of the said notes.