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**SWEDEN
and
UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR REFUGEES**

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1956**

Official text: English.

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No. 6182. AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN SWEDEN AND THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES REGARDING THE ADMITTANCE INTO SWEDEN OF CERTAIN REFUGEES FROM CHINA. SIGNED AT GENEVA, ON 8 OCTOBER 1956

Whereas the General Assembly of the United Nations has authorised the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (hereinafter referred to as "the High Commissioner") to appeal for funds to be devoted principally to the promotion of permanent solutions, and also to permit emergency assistance to the most needy cases, for refugees within his mandate, these funds to be known as the United Nations Refugee Fund (hereinafter referred to as "UNREF"),

And whereas the Royal Swedish Government (hereinafter referred to as "the Government") has drawn up jointly with the resettlement, treatment, rehabilitation and integration in Sweden of tubercular and aged refugees from China,

And whereas the UNREF Executive Committee has authorised the High Commissioner to implement the project to be known as Project DC/10/CHI/SWE.

Now therefore in consideration of the premises and of the mutual covenants and undertakings stated herein, The High Commissioner and the Government have agreed as follows :

1. The Government shall be responsible for the implementation of the following project :

(a) The Government shall select and shall admit into Sweden 8 tubercular and chronic sick refugees and their relatives within the mandate of the High Commissioner at present residing in China.

(b) The Government shall receive the refugees referred to in paragraph 1 (a) of this agreement for permanent settlement in Sweden and shall provide them with hospital treatment, aftercare and care and maintenance until such time as they can become self-supporting. For refugees whose age and health justify it, the Government shall provide rehabilitation and vocational training and shall subsequently endeavour to place them in gainful occupations suitable to their state of health.

¹ Came into force on 8 October 1956, upon signature, in accordance with paragraph 11.