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and
MOROCCO**

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**Accord entre les Administrations postales des États-Unis
d'Amérique et du Royaume du Maroc concernant
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No. 6492. AGREEMENT¹ FOR THE EXCHANGE OF INTERNATIONAL MONEY ORDERS BETWEEN THE POSTAL ADMINISTRATIONS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO. SIGNED AT RABAT, ON 31 OCTOBER 1961, AND AT WASHINGTON, ON 30 NOVEMBER 1961

The Post Office Department of the United States of America and the Postal Administration of the Kingdom of Morocco being desirous of establishing a system of exchange of Money Orders, the undersigned being duly authorized for that purpose, have agreed upon the following articles :

Article I

The amounts of money orders in both directions shall be expressed in terms of United States of America and Moroccan currency. It is agreed that the amounts of money orders drawn on the United States of America for payment in the Kingdom of Morocco shall be converted by the Postal Administration of the United States of America at the time of issue into their proper equivalents in the currency of Morocco at the conversion rate fixed by the Postmaster General of the United States of America on the basis of the current rate of exchange prevailing in the United States of America; and, in like manner, the amounts of money orders issued in the Kingdom of Morocco for payment in the United States of America shall be converted by the Postal Administration of the Kingdom of Morocco at the time of issue into United States of America currency at the conversion rate fixed by the Postal Administration of the Kingdom of Morocco on the basis of the current rate of exchange prevailing in the Kingdom of Morocco.

Article II

The maximum amount for which a money order may be drawn in either country on the other shall be One Hundred Dollars, United States of America currency. No money order shall contain a fractional part of a cent.

Article III

The amounts of money orders shall be deposited by the purchasers and paid to the payees in the legal currency of the respective countries.

¹ Came into force on 2 April 1962, the date agreed upon by the Contracting Parties, in accordance with the provisions of article XVI.

Article IV

The Post Office Department of the United States of America and the Postal Administration of the Kingdom of Morocco shall each have power to fix, from time to time, the schedule of fees or rates of commission to be charged on all money orders they may respectively issue. The fees and commissions shall belong to the issuing Postal Administration.

Article V

No money order shall be issued unless the applicant furnishes in full the surname and at least the initials of one given name, both of the purchaser and the payee, or the name of the firm or company designated as purchaser or payee, together with the address of the purchaser and that of the payee.

Article VI

The operation of the postal money order system between the two Postal Administrations shall be performed exclusively by the agency of office of exchange. On the part of the Kingdom of Morocco, the office of Exchange shall be Rabat and on the part of the United States of America, New York, New York.

Article VII

The particulars of all money orders issued in the United States of America payable in the Kingdom of Morocco shall be entered at the Exchange Office, New York, New York, in a list similar to the Form marked "A"¹ in the appendix, in which shall be shown the amount of each order in United States of America currency and the Moroccan equivalent and the list bearing an impression of the New York date stamp, together with the related original orders containing the full details, shall be forwarded by Air Mail weekly to the exchange office in the Kingdom of Morocco where it shall be impressed with a date stamp and where the requisite arrangements for effecting payment of the orders shall be carried out.

In like manner the particulars of money orders issued in the Kingdom of Morocco for payment in the United States of America shall be entered in a list similar to the Form marked "B"¹ in the appendix in which shall be shown the amount of each order in Moroccan currency and the equivalent in United States of America money and the list, after receiving an impression of the date stamp of the exchange office at Rabat shall be forwarded weekly by Air Mail to the exchange office at New York where it shall receive an impression of the date stamp, and where the necessary arrangements for effecting payment of the orders shall be carried out.

¹ Not printed by the Department of State of the United States of America.