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and
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et
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des domaines connexes. Bangui, 10 février 1963**

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*The American Ambassador to the Presi-
dent of the Central African Republic*

*L'Ambassadeur des États-Unis d'Améri-
que au Président de la République
centrafricaine*

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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Excellency :

I have the honor to refer to recent conversations between representatives of our two Governments and to advise you that the Government of the United States of America will be prepared to furnish to the Government of the Central African Republic economic, technical and related assistance in accordance with the understandings set forth below :

1. The Government of the United States of America will furnish such economic, technical and related assistance hereunder as may be requested by representatives of the appropriate agency or agencies of the Government of the Central African Republic, or by representatives of a provincial government or the appropriate agency or agencies thereof, and approved by representatives of the agency designated by the Government of the United States of America to administer its responsibilities hereunder, or as may be requested and approved by other representatives designated by the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Central African Republic. The furnishing of such assistance shall be subject to applicable United States laws and regulations. It shall be made available in accordance with arrangements agreed upon between the above-mentioned representatives.

2. The Government of the Central African Republic will make the full contribution permitted by its manpower, resources, facilities and general economic condition in further-

¹ Came into force on 10 February 1963 by the exchange of the said notes.

¹ Entré en vigueur le 10 février 1963 par l'échange desdites notes.

ance of the purposes for which assistance is made available hereunder ; will take appropriate steps to assure the effective use of such assistance ; will cooperate with the Government of the United States of America to assure that procurement will be at reasonable prices and on reasonable terms ; will, without restriction, permit continuous observation and review by United States representatives of programs and operations hereunder, and records pertaining thereto ; will provide the Government of the United States of America with full and complete information concerning such programs and operations and other relevant information which the Government of the United States of America may need to determine the nature and scope of operations and to evaluate the effectiveness of the assistance furnished or contemplated ; and will give to the people of the Central African Republic full publicity concerning programs and operations hereunder. With respect to cooperative technical assistance programs hereunder, the Government of the Central African Republic will also bear a fair share of the costs thereof ; will, to the maximum extent possible, seek full coordination and integration of technical cooperation programs being carried on in the Central African Republic ; and will cooperate with other nations participating in such programs in the mutual exchange of technical knowledge and skills.

3. In any case where commodities or services are furnished on a grant basis under arrangements which will result in the accrual of proceeds to the Government of the Central African Republic, or to a provincial government thereof, from the import or sale of such commodities or services, the Government of the Central African Republic, except as may otherwise be mutually agreed upon by the representatives referred to in paragraph 1 hereof, will establish in its own name a Special Account in the National Development Bank (*Banque Nationale de Développement*) ; will deposit promptly in such Special Account the amount of local currency equivalent to such proceeds ; and, upon notification from time to time by the Government of the United States of America of its local currency requirements, will make available to the Government of the United States of America, in the manner requested by that Government, out of any balances in the Special Account, such sums as are stated in such notifications to be necessary for such requirements. The Government of the Central African Republic may draw upon any remaining balances in the Special Account for such purposes beneficial to the Central African Republic as may be agreed upon from time to time by the representatives referred to in paragraph 1 hereof. Any unencumbered balances of funds which remain in the Special Account upon termination of assistance hereunder to the Government of the Central African Republic shall be disposed of for such purposes as may be agreed upon by the representatives referred to in paragraph 1 hereof.

4. The responsibilities of the Government of the United States of America hereunder will be discharged by the Embassy of the United States of America. The Government of the Central African Republic will consider any personnel sent to the Central African Republic to discharge such responsibilities as part of the Embassy for the purpose of enjoying the privileges and immunities accorded Embassy personnel of comparable rank. The Government of the Central African Republic will give full cooperation to the Embassy and its personnel engaged in carrying out the provisions hereof, including the furnishing of facilities necessary therefor.

5. In order to assure the maximum benefits to the people of the Central African Republic from the assistance to be furnished hereunder :