

No. 7109

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
ETHIOPIA**

**Agricultural Commodities Agreement under Title I of the
Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act,
as amended (with exchange of notes). Signed at Addis
Ababa, on 11 June 1963**

Official text: English.

Registered by the United States of America on 6 February 1964.

**ÉTATS-UNIS D'AMÉRIQUE
et
ÉTHIOPIE**

**Accord relatif aux produits agricoles, conclu dans le cadre
du titre I de la loi tendant à développer et à favoriser le
commerce agricole, telle qu'elle a été modifiée (avec
échange de notes). Signé à Addis-Abéba, le 11 juin 1963**

Texte officiel anglais.

Enregistré par les États-Unis d'Amérique le 6 février 1964.

No. 7109. AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES AGREEMENT¹
BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA AND THE IMPERIAL ETHIOPIAN
GOVERNMENT UNDER TITLE I OF THE AGRICULTU-
RAL TRADE DEVELOPMENT AND ASSISTANCE ACT,
AS AMENDED. SIGNED AT ADDIS ABABA, ON 11 JUNE
1963

The Government of the United States of America and the Imperial Ethiopian Government ;

Recognizing the desirability of expanding trade in agricultural commodities between their two countries and with other friendly nations in a manner which would not displace usual marketings of the United States of America in these commodities or unduly disrupt world prices of agricultural commodities or normal patterns of commercial trade with friendly countries ;

Considering that the purchase for Ethiopian dollars of agricultural commodities produced in the United States of America will assist in achieving such an expansion of trade ;

Considering that the Ethiopian dollars accruing from such purchase will be utilized in a manner beneficial to both countries ;

Desiring to set forth the understandings which will govern the sales, as specified below, of agricultural commodities to Ethiopia pursuant to Title I of the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act, as amended (hereinafter referred to as the Act), and the measures which the two Governments will take individually and collectively in furthering the expansion of trade in such commodities ;

Have agreed as follows :

Article I

SALES FOR ETHIOPIAN DOLLARS

1. Subject to issuance by the Government of the United States of America and acceptance by the Imperial Ethiopian Government of purchase authorizations, and to the availability of commodities under the Act at the time of exportation, the Government of the United States of America undertakes to finance the sale for Ethiopian dollars, to purchasers authorized by the Imperial Ethiopian Government, of the following :

¹ Came into force on 11 June 1963, upon signature, in accordance with article VI.

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Export market value</i>
Cotton	US\$870,000
Ocean transportation (estimated)	38,000
TOTAL	US\$908,000

2. Applications for purchase authorizations will be made within ninety (90) calendar days of the effective date of this Agreement, except that applications for purchase authorizations for any additional commodities or amounts of commodities provided for in any amendment to this Agreement will be made within ninety (90) days of the effective date of such amendment. Purchase authorizations will include provisions relating to the sale and delivery of commodities, the time and circumstances of deposit of the Ethiopian dollars accruing from such sales, and other relevant matters.

3. Purchase and shipment of the commodities mentioned above will be made within eighteen (18) calendar months of the effective date of this Agreement.

4. The financing, sale and delivery of commodities under this Agreement may be terminated by either Government if that Government considers that because of changed conditions the continuation of such financing, sale or delivery is unnecessary or undesirable.

Article II

USES OF ETHIOPIAN DOLLARS

The Ethiopian dollars accruing to the Government of the United States of America as a consequence of sales made pursuant to this Agreement will be used in the following manner :

A. For United States expenditures under subsections (a), (b), (d), (f), and (h) through (s) of Section 104 of the Act, or under any of such subsections, twenty-five (25) per cent of the Ethiopian dollars accruing pursuant to this Agreement.

B. For loans to be made by the Agency for International Development of Washington (hereinafter referred to as AID) under subsection 104 (e) of the Act and for administrative expenses of AID in Ethiopia incident thereto, twenty (20) per cent of the Ethiopian dollars accruing pursuant to this Agreement. It is understood that :

(1) Such loans will be made to United States business firms and branches, subsidiaries or affiliates of such firms in Ethiopia for business development and trade expansion in Ethiopia, and to United States firms and Ethiopian firms for the establishment of facilities for aiding in the utilization, distribution, or otherwise increasing the consumption of and markets for United States agricultural products.