

No. 7168

**INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY
and
FINLAND**

**Agreement for assistance by the Agency in establishing a
sub-critical assemblies project. Signed at Vienna, on
30 July 1963**

Official text: English.

Registered by the International Atomic Energy Agency on 10 March 1964.

**AGENCE INTERNATIONALE DE L'ÉNERGIE ATOMIQUE
et
FINLANDE**

**Accord concernant l'aide de l'Agence pour des assemblages
sous-critiques. Signé à Vienne, le 30 juillet 1963**

Texte officiel anglais.

Enregistré par l'Agence internationale de l'énergie atomique le 10 mars 1964.

No. 7168. AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY AND THE GOVERNMENT OF FINLAND FOR ASSISTANCE BY THE AGENCY IN ESTABLISHING A SUB-CRITICAL ASSEMBLIES PROJECT. SIGNED AT VIENNA, ON 30 JULY 1963

WHEREAS the Government of Finland (hereinafter called "Finland"), desiring to set up a project for research on, and development and practical application of, atomic energy for peaceful purposes, has requested the assistance of the International Atomic Energy Agency (hereinafter called the "Agency") in securing fuel elements containing enriched uranium necessary for the operation of one or more sub-critical assemblies ;

WHEREAS the Board of Governors of the Agency approved the project on 20 February 1963 ;

WHEREAS the Agency and the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (hereinafter called the "Soviet Union") on 11 May 1959² concluded an agreement under which the Soviet Union undertook to make available to the Agency pursuant to its Statute³ certain quantities of enriched uranium for use by the Agency or its Members ;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the above-mentioned agreement, Finland and the Soviet Union are concluding a contract for the sale of fuel elements for the sub-critical assemblies⁴ (hereinafter called the "Supply Contract") ;

NOW THEREFORE the Agency and Finland agree as follows :

Article I

DEFINITION OF THE PROJECT

Section 1. The project to which this Agreement relates is the establishment of one or more sub-critical assemblies using enriched uranium, and their operation by the Institute of Technology at Otaniemi, Finland.

¹ Came into force on 30 July 1963, upon signature, in accordance with article X.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 339, p. 341.

³ See footnote 2, p. 336 of this volume.

⁴ International Atomic Energy Agency : document INF/CIRC/53 (part II), p. 7.