

No. 7668

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
PANAMA**

**Exchange of notes constituting an agreement relating to the
Peace Corps program. Panama, 30 October 1963**

Official texts: English and Spanish.

Registered by the United States of America on 6 April 1965.

**ÉTATS-UNIS D'AMÉRIQUE
et
PANAMA**

**Échange de notes constituant un accord relatif au pro-
gramme du Peace Corps. Panama, 30 octobre 1963**

Textes officiels anglais et espagnol.

Enregistré par les États-Unis d'Amérique le 6 avril 1965.

No. 7668. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND PANAMA RELATING TO THE PEACE CORPS PROGRAM. PANAMA, 30 OCTOBER 1963

I

*The American Chargé d'Affaires ad interim to the Panamanian Minister
of Foreign Affairs*

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 353

Panama, R.P., October 30, 1963

Excellency :

I have the honor to refer to recent conversations between representatives of our two Governments and to propose the following understandings with respect to nationals of the United States of America who volunteer to serve in the Peace Corps and who, at the request of your Government, would live and work for periods of time in Panama.

1. The Government of the United States will furnish such Peace Corps Volunteers as may be requested by the Government of the Republic of Panama and approved by the Government of the United States to perform mutually agreed tasks in Panama. The Volunteers will work under the immediate supervision of governmental or private organizations in Panama designated by our two Governments. The Government of the United States will provide training to enable the Volunteers to perform more effectively their agreed tasks.

2. The Government of the Republic of Panama will accord equitable treatment to the Volunteers and their property ; afford them full aid and protection, including treatment no less favorable than that accorded to nationals of the United States residing in Panama ; and fully inform, consult, and cooperate with representatives of the Government of the United States with respect to all matters concerning them. The Government of the Republic of Panama will exempt the Volunteers from all taxes on payments which they receive to defray their living costs and on income from sources outside Panama, and from all customs duties or other charges on their personal property introduced into Panama for their own use at or about the time of their arrival.

3. The Government of the United States will provide the Volunteers with such limited amounts of equipment and supplies as our two Governments may agree should be provided by it to enable the Volunteers to perform their tasks effectively. The Govern-

¹ Came into force on 6 July 1964, the date of the note whereby the Government of Panama informed the Government of the United States of America that the Agreement had been ratified, in accordance with the terms of the said notes.