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No. 7695. AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF CEYLON FOR FINANCING CERTAIN EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMS. SIGNED AT COLOMBO, ON 29 AUGUST 1964

The Government of the United States of America and the Government of Ceylon :

Desiring to promote further mutual understanding between the peoples of the United States of America and Ceylon by a wider exchange of knowledge and professional talents through educational contacts :

Have agreed as follows :

Article 1

There shall be established a foundation to be known as the United States Educational Foundation in Ceylon (hereinafter designated " the Foundation "), which shall be recognized by the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Ceylon as an organization created and established to facilitate the administration of an educational program to be financed by funds made available to the Foundation by the Government of the United States of America from funds held or available for expenditure by the United States for such purpose.

Except as provided in Article 3 hereof, the Foundation shall be exempt from the domestic and local laws of the United States of America and of Ceylon as they relate to the use and expenditure of currencies and credits for currencies for the purposes set forth in the present Agreement. The funds as well as the office equipment and supplies acquired for the furtherance of the Agreement shall be regarded in Ceylon as property of a foreign government. The funds made available under the present Agreement, within the conditions and limitations hereinafter set forth, shall be used by the Foundation or such other instrumentality as may be agreed upon by the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Ceylon for the purposes of :

- (1) financing studies, research, instruction, and other educational activities (i) of or for citizens and nationals of the United States of America in Ceylon, and (ii) of or for citizens and nationals of Ceylon in United States of America

¹ Came into force on 29 August 1964, upon signature, in accordance with article 13.

schools and institutions of learning located in or outside the United States of America;

- (2) financing visits and interchanges between the United States of America and Ceylon of students, trainees, teachers, instructors, and professors; and
- (3) financing such other related educational and cultural programs and activities as are provided for in budgets approved in accordance with Article 3 hereof.

Article 2

In furtherance of the aforementioned purposes, the Foundation may, subject to the provisions of the present Agreement, exercise all powers necessary to the carrying out of the purposes of the present Agreement, including the following :

- (1) Plan, adopt and carry out programs in accordance with the purposes of the present Agreement.
- (2) Recommend to the Board of Foreign Scholarships of the United States of America, students, trainees, professors, research scholars, teachers, instructors, resident in Ceylon, and institutions of Ceylon, to participate in the program.
- (3) Recommend to the aforesaid Board of Foreign Scholarships such qualifications for the selection of participants in the program as it may deem necessary for achieving the purpose and objectives of the present Agreement.
- (4) Acquire, hold, and dispose of property (other than real estate) in the name of the Foundation as the Foundation may consider necessary or desirable, provided, however, that the leasing of adequate housing and facilities for the activities of the Foundation will be assured.
- (5) Authorize the Treasurer of the Foundation or such other person as the Foundation may designate to receive funds to be deposited in bank accounts in the name of the Treasurer of the Foundation or such other person as may be designated. The appointment of the Treasurer or such designee shall be approved by the Secretary of State and the Treasurer or such designee shall deposit funds received in a depository or depositories designated by the Secretary of State.
- (6) Authorize the disbursement of funds and the making of grants and advances of funds for the authorized purposes of the present Agreement, including payment for transportation, tuition, maintenance and other expenses incident thereto.
- (7) Provide for periodic audits of the accounts of the Treasurer of the Foundation as directed by auditors selected by the Secretary of State.