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a result of the construction of the Aswan High
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Échange de notes constituant un accord relatif à la
protection de certains temples contre les inondations
résultant de la construction du haut barrage d'Assouan.
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No. 8006. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION RELATING TO THE PRESERVATION OF TEMPLES FROM INUNDATION AS A RESULT OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE ASWAN HIGH DAM. PARIS, 7 AND 16 OCTOBER 1964

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*The United States Permanent Representative, UNESCO,
to the Director-General, UNESCO*

October 7, 1964

Dear Mr. Director-General,

I have the honor to inform you that the Government of the United States hereby grants to the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) the equivalent of twelve million United States dollars in currency of the United Arab Republic, to be deposited in the International Trust Fund of the Campaign to Save the Monuments of Nubia and to be used by UNESCO to help pay for the direct cost of dismantling the temples of Abu Simbel and removing them to a higher site. The funds are made available for the purpose of preserving the temples from inundation as a result of the construction of the Aswan High Dam.

The Government of the United States desires that the grant be upon the following conditions :

1. The funds shall not be used —

- a. To remove or preserve any temple other than the two temples of Abu Simbel ;
- b. To remove the temples of Abu Simbel unless there are sufficient funds available to insure that their removal and preservation can be completed ;
- c. To finance UNESCO's administrative, promotional, or publicity costs, including, but not limited to, personnel salaries, staff travel and subsistence,

¹ Came into force on 16 October 1964 by the exchange of the said notes.