

No. 8716. CULTURAL AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS AND THE SOCIALIST FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF YUGOSLAVIA. SIGNED AT BELGRADE, ON 11 AUGUST 1966

The Government of the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Government of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, being desirous of promoting co-operation between the two countries in the fields of education, science and culture, and convinced that such co-operation will contribute to a better understanding between the peoples of the two countries, have decided to conclude a cultural agreement and have agreed as follows :

Article I

In order to promote co-operation between the two countries in the fields of science and education, the Contracting Parties undertake in particular, and on a basis of reciprocity :

- a. to further the exchange of and contacts between university professors, other scholars and students, as well as co-operation between the universities and other scientific institutions;
- b. to promote in similar fashion co-operation between specialists and institutions active in the field of secondary education, including technical and artistic education;
- c. to provide scholarships in order to enable nationals of the other country to study at their scientific and educational institutions or to visit the respective countries for study purposes;
- d. to consider the conditions under which it would be possible to recognize the equivalence of diplomas issued by universities and other institutions of higher education of the other country and to study the possibility of making separate arrangements to this effect.

Article II

In order to promote in their respective countries a better knowledge of the culture of the other country, the Contracting Parties shall encourage exchange visits and other contacts between persons prominent in the field of culture, such as authors, composers, choreographers, artists, art critics, and specialists in mass media, popular education, youth training and sports.

¹ Came into force on 29 May 1967, the date of the exchange of the instruments of ratification at The Hague, in accordance with article VII.