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and
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on 29 May 1965**

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et
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No. 8761. INVESTMENT GUARANTY AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND BRITISH GUIANA. SIGNED AT GEORGETOWN, ON 29 MAY 1965

The Government of the United States of America (the "Guaranteeing Government") and the Government of British Guiana (the "Host Government");

Seeking to encourage private investments in projects which will contribute to the development of British Guiana's economic resources and productive capacities through investment guaranties issued by the Guaranteeing Government,

Have agreed as follows:

1. When nationals of the Guaranteeing Government propose to invest with the assistance of guaranties issued pursuant to this Agreement in a project or activity within the territorial jurisdiction of the Host Government, the two Governments shall, upon the request of either, consult respecting the nature of the project or activity and its contribution to economic and social development in British Guiana.

2. The procedures set forth in this Agreement shall apply only with respect to guaranteed investments in projects or activities approved by the Host Government.

3. If the Guaranteeing Government makes payment to any investor under a guaranty issued pursuant to the present Agreement, the Host Government shall, subject to the provisions of the following paragraph, recognize the transfer to the Guaranteeing Government of any currency, credits, assets, or investment on account of which payment under such guaranty is made as well as the succession of the Guaranteeing Government to any right, title, claim, privilege, or cause of action existing, or which may arise, in connection therewith.

4. To the extent that the laws of the Host Government partially or wholly invalidate the acquisition of any interests in any property within its national territory by the Guaranteeing Government, the Host Government

¹ Came into force on 18 August 1965, the date of receipt by the Government of the United States of America of the notification provided in paragraph 8, in accordance with that paragraph.