

No. 8858

**UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN
AND NORTHERN IRELAND
and
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY**

**Agreement for offsetting the foreign exchange expenditure
on British Forces in the Federal Republic of Germany
(with annex). Signed at Bonn, on 5 May 1967**

Official texts: English and German.

Registered by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on 1 December 1967.

**ROYAUME-UNI DE GRANDE-BRETAGNE
ET D'IRLANDE DU NORD
et
RÉPUBLIQUE FÉDÉRALE D'ALLEMAGNE**

**Accord visant à assurer la péréquation des dépenses en devises
faites au titre des Forces britanniques en République
fédérale d'Allemagne (avec annexe). Signé à Bonn,
le 5 mai 1967**

Textes officiels anglais et allemand.

Enregistré par le Royaume-Uni de Grande-Bretagne et d'Irlande du Nord le 1^{er} décembre 1967.

No. 8858. AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY FOR OFFSETTING THE FOREIGN EXCHANGE EXPENDITURE ON BRITISH FORCES IN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY. SIGNED AT BONN, ON 5 MAY 1967

The Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The maintenance of British Forces in the Federal Republic of Germany in the interests of the Atlantic Alliance results in foreign exchange expenditure in the Federal Republic of Germany which continues to impose a burden on the balance of payments of the United Kingdom. It is the intention of the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany to offset these foreign exchange costs as provided in this Agreement in the British financial year 1967/68, that is from 1st April, 1967, to 31st March, 1968, and thereby to relieve the balance of payments of the United Kingdom.

Article 2

The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall in the British financial year 1967/68 make payments to the United Kingdom in respect of existing orders, and of new orders which that Government shall endeavour to secure, for research, development, testing, procurement and services in the military field amounting to DM 200 million.

Article 3

The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall also endeavour, as far as possible, to bring about accountable payments, as provided in the Annex to this Agreement, for purchases in the United Kingdom by the bodies listed in that Annex amounting to DM 250 million in the British financial year 1967/68.

¹ Came into force on 5 May 1967 by signature with retroactive effect from 1 April 1967, in accordance with article 6.