

No. 9027

**CZECHOSLOVAKIA
and
POLAND**

**Treaty of friendship, co-operation and mutual assistance.
Signed at Warsaw, on 1 March 1967**

Official texts: Polish and Czech.

Registered by Czechoslovakia and Poland on 15 March 1968.

**TCHÉCOSLOVAQUIE
et
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**Traité d'amitié, de coopération et d'assistance mutuelle.
Signé à Varsovie, le 1^{er} mars 1967**

Textes officiels polonais et tchèque.

Enregistré par la Tchécoslovaquie et la Pologne le 15 mars 1968.

[TRANSLATION — TRADUCTION]

No. 9027. TREATY¹ OF FRIENDSHIP, CO-OPERATION AND MUTUAL ASSISTANCE BETWEEN THE POLISH PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC AND THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC. SIGNED AT WARSAW, ON 1 MARCH 1967

The Polish People's Republic and the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic,

Guided by the constant desire to develop and strengthen the traditional relations of friendship, co-operation and mutual assistance between the two States,

Convinced that the further development of those relations is in accord with the vital interests of the peoples of both States and serves to strengthen the socialist community as a whole,

Expressing the desire to pursue consistently a policy of peaceful coexistence among States with different social systems and to continue their efforts to strengthen peace,

Recalling that both States were the victims of aggression on the part of Nazi Germany,

Noting that, while the German Democratic Republic has implemented the principles of the Potsdam Agreement,² is pursuing a consistent policy of peace and is effectively helping to safeguard European security, the West German forces of militarism and revanchism are a threat to peace,

Desiring to safeguard peace and security in Europe on the basis of the obligations arising from the Warsaw Treaty of Friendship, Co-operation and Mutual Assistance of 14 May 1955,³

Guided by the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations,

Reaffirming their loyalty to the purposes and principles stated in the Treaty of Friendship and Mutual Aid of 10 March 1947⁴ between the Republic of Poland and the Czechoslovak Republic and noting that the said Treaty has played an important role in the development of friendly relations between the two States,

Taking into consideration the achievements of Polish-Czechoslovak co-operation during the past twenty years and the changes which have taken place in the world,

Have decided to conclude this Treaty and have for that purpose agreed as follows:

¹ Came into force on 12 May 1967 by the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which took place at Prague, in accordance with article 11.

² *British and Foreign State Papers*, Vol. 145, p. 852.

³ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 219, p. 3.

⁴ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 25, p. 231. That Treaty terminated on 10 March 1967 under the provision of its article 5.