

No. 9130

**UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN
AND NORTHERN IRELAND
and
UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS**

**Agreement concerning the settlement of mutual financial and
property claims. Signed at London, on 5 January 1968**

Official texts : English and Russian.

*Registered by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on
4 June 1968.*

**ROYAUME-UNI DE GRANDE-BRETAGNE
ET D'IRLANDE DU NORD
et
UNION DES RÉPUBLIQUES SOCIALISTES
SOVIÉTIQUES**

**Accord relatif au règlement de certaines créances financières
et relatives à des biens invoquées de part et d'autre.
Signé à Londres, le 5 janvier 1968**

Textes officiels anglais et russe.

*Enregistré par le Royaume-Uni de Grande-Bretagne et d'Irlande du Nord le
4 juin 1968.*

No. 9130. AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS CONCERNING THE SETTLEMENT OF MUTUAL FINANCIAL AND PROPERTY CLAIMS. SIGNED AT LONDON, ON 5 JANUARY 1968

The Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics;

In formulation of the agreement concerning the final settlement of mutual property and financial claims arising after 1 January, 1939 reached between the Parties and set out in the Joint Declaration of 12 February, 1967;

Have agreed as follows :

Article 1

The Government of the United Kingdom will neither on its own behalf nor on behalf of its physical and juridical persons pursue with the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics or support claims arising after 1 January, 1939 which were the subject of negotiations between the two sides between 1959 and 1967 :

- (a) in relation to property, rights and banking, commercial and financial interests, including those affected by nationalisation or other measures, in the Latvian, Lithuanian and Estonian Soviet Socialist Republics or in the Western Regions of the Ukrainian, Moldavian and Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republics and the Russian Soviet Federative Socialist Republic, owned by the Government or nationals of the United Kingdom; and in relation also to bonds owned by nationals of the United Kingdom;
- (b) in relation to shipping services provided under the Ships' Expenses and Freights Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics of 22 June, 1942.

Article 2

The Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics will neither on its own behalf nor on behalf of its physical and juridical persons pursue with

¹ Came into force on 5 January 1968, the date of signature, in accordance with article 7.