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No. 9253. AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRIA REGARDING THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON ROAD TRAFFIC. SIGNED AT VIENNA, ON 24 SEPTEMBER 1968

Whereas, in pursuance of resolutions 1082 B(XXXIX),² 1129 (XLI)³ and 1203 (XLII)⁴ of the Economic and Social Council, the United Nations Conference on Road Traffic will be held, upon the invitation of the Federal Government of Austria, in Vienna from 7 October to 8 November 1968,

The Government and the United Nations hereby agree as follows :

I. PREMISES, EQUIPMENT, UTILITIES AND STATIONERY SUPPLIES

1. The Government shall make available at its expense appropriate premises in the Neue Hofburg for the holding of the Conference. These premises shall include : two large conference rooms for plenary meetings and meetings of the Main Committee (Festsaal and Neuer Saal) with adequate seating for the public and press; one smaller conference room (the Ratssaal) for meetings of the Drafting Committee, the Credentials Committee and sub-committees and working groups; two small committee rooms for private meetings of delegations; suitable working areas and all necessary equipment for the press and other information media, for documents reproduction and for documents distribution; suitable office accommodation for officers and staff of the Conference; a public lobby with information and protocol desks; a delegates' lounge; and a large room for use by the interpreters as a combined office and lounge.

2. The premises shall remain at the disposition of the United Nations throughout the Conference and for such additional time in advance of the opening and after the closing as the United Nations Secretariat in consultation with

¹ Came into force on 24 September 1968 by signature, in accordance with article VIII (3).

² United Nations, *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Thirty-ninth Session, Supplement No. 1*, p. 42.

³ United Nations, *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Forty-first Session, Supplement No. 1*, p. 36.

⁴ United Nations, *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Forty-second Session, Supplement No. 1*, p. 22.

the Government shall deem necessary for the preparation and settlement of all matters connected with the Conference.

3. The Government shall at its expense furnish, equip and maintain in good repair all the aforementioned rooms and offices in a manner adequate to the effective conduct of the Conference. The Festsaal, Neuer Saal and Ratssaal shall be equipped for simultaneous interpretation in five languages and shall also have facilities for sound recording. The Government shall also provide suitable facilities for the press and other information media.

4. The Government shall at its expense furnish and maintain such equipment as mimeograph and other duplicating machines, typewriters with keyboards in the languages needed, tape recorders and such other equipment as necessary for the effective conduct of the Conference.

5. The Government shall provide, at the site of the Conference, bank, post office, and telephone and cable facilities, and a restaurant and a bar.

6. The Government shall pay for all necessary utility services, including telephone communications of the Secretariat of the Conference within Vienna and communications by telephone and telex between the Secretariat of the Conference and the United Nations Office at Geneva.

7. The United Nations shall provide at its expense all stationery supplies required for the adequate functioning of the Conference.

II. TRANSPORTATION AND ACCOMMODATION

1. The Government shall provide at its expense four chauffeur-driven cars and four station wagons for use by the officers and staff of the Conference. The Government shall also make available at its expense such additional transportation as may be necessary to transport United Nations staff from the airport servicing Vienna to their hotels and from their hotels to the airport, and shall ensure adequate transportation between the Hofburg and the hotels for staff members working during the evening.

2. The Government shall make available facilities to assist delegations, secretariat, press and other participants in the Conference in making hotel reservations.

III. POLICE PROTECTION

The Government shall furnish at its expense such police protection as may be required to ensure the efficient functioning of the Conference without interference of any kind. While such police services shall be under the direct super-