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and
ITALY**

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No. 9283. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE ITALIAN REPUBLIC CONCERNING THE EXEMPTION FROM CUSTOMS DUTIES OF MATERIAL IMPORTED BY CULTURAL INSTITUTES IN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND ITALY. LONDON, 1 SEPTEMBER 1965

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The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to the Italian Chargé d'Affaires

FOREIGN OFFICE, S.W.1

1 September, 1965

Sir,

I have the honour to refer to the recent discussions between representatives of the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Italian Republic concerning the exemption from customs duties of material imported by cultural institutes in the United Kingdom and Italy.

I now have the honour to inform you that the Government of the United Kingdom are prepared to conclude an Agreement with the Government of the Italian Republic in the following terms :

- (1) The import into the United Kingdom by or on behalf of any Italian cultural institute in the United Kingdom established in accordance with Article II of the Anglo-Italian Cultural Convention of the 28th of November, 1951,² of any material referred to in Article X of that Convention shall, where appropriate, be accorded relief from customs duties in accordance with the law and practice existing from time to time in the United Kingdom.
- (2) The import into Italy of any material referred to in Article X of that Convention shall be accorded relief from customs duties and import tax, provided that it is destined for a British cultural institute in Italy maintained or established in accordance with Article II of that Convention.
- (3) The provisions in sub-paragraph 2 above shall be regarded as having taken effect from the date of entry into force of the Anglo-Italian Cultural Convention of the 28th of November, 1951.

¹ Came into force on 23 April 1968, the date on which the Government of the Italian Republic notified the Government of the United Kingdom that it had given effect to the appropriate measures, in accordance with the provisions of the said notes.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 172, p. 27.