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CULTURAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA AND THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT OF IRAN

The Government of the People's Republic of Bulgaria and the Imperial Government of Iran,

Being anxious to strengthen the friendly relations and to establish collaboration between their two countries in the field of culture, education, art and sports, on the basis of mutual understanding and respect for the principle of national sovereignty and non-interference in the internal affairs of each other,

Have decided to sign the present Cultural Agreement, and have appointed as their Plenipotentiaries:

For the Government of the People's Republic of Bulgaria, His Excellency Ivan Bashev, Minister for Foreign Affairs

For the Imperial Government of Iran, His Excellency Ardeshir Zahedi, Minister for Foreign Affairs

who, having communicated their full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The two Contracting Parties shall strive to establish and develop relations between scientific and higher educational institutes and collaboration between scientific workers for the exchange of views with respect to different fields of culture as well as for the exchange of scientific material, periodicals and other publications through the official channels.

Article 2

The two Contracting Parties shall encourage and facilitate, within the limits of their possibilities, group or individual visits of scientific workers, professors, artists, teachers and sportsmen. The two Parties shall likewise afford all possible facilities for their research and investigation in the field of their speciality in accordance with the laws in force in their respective countries.

¹ Came into force on 27 August 1968 by the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which took place at Sofia, in accordance with article 8.