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ADDITIONAL SUPPLY AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY AND THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN AND OF ARGENTINA FOR THE TRANSFER OF ENRICHED URANIUM FOR A RESEARCH REACTOR IN IRAN

Whereas the International Atomic Energy Agency (hereinafter called the "Agency") and the Government of Iran on 10 May 1967 signed an agreement² (hereinafter called the "Project Agreement") for assistance by the Agency to Iran in establishing a training and research project for peaceful purposes relating to a five megawatt pool-type research reactor at the Tehran Nuclear Centre of the University of Tehran (hereinafter called the "reactor") in Iran;

Whereas the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran (hereinafter called "Iran"), in connection with the Project Agreement, has requested the assistance of the Agency in securing from the Government of Argentina (hereinafter called "Argentina") an additional supply of enriched uranium for the reactor;

Whereas the Board of Governors of the Agency (hereinafter called the "Board") approved the additional assistance for the project on 26 September 1988;

Whereas Iran on 15 May 1974 concluded with the Agency an agreement for the application of safeguards in connection with the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons³ (hereinafter called the "Treaty Safeguards Agreement") which entered into force on that date;

Whereas Argentina has demonstrated its commitment to ensuring that the international co-operation for the development and use of nuclear energy for peaceful purposes are carried out under arrangements which will prevent the proliferation of nuclear weapons;

Whereas Iran had made arrangements with a manufacturer from Argentina (hereinafter called the "manufacturer") for the fabrication of enriched uranium into fuel elements for the reactor;

Now therefore the Agency, Argentina and Iran (hereinafter called the "Parties") hereby agree as follows:

Article I. SUPPLY OF ENRICHED URANIUM

1. The Agency shall request Argentina to permit the transfer and export to Iran of 115.80 kilograms of uranium enriched up to 20% in the isotope uranium-235 (hereinafter called the "supplied material") contained in 65 standard fuel elements, 12 control fuel elements and 3 instrumented fuel assemblies.

2. Argentina, subject to the issuance of any required licences or permits, shall transfer to Iran the supplied material.

3. The particular terms and conditions for the transfer of the supplied material, including all charges for or connected with such material, a schedule of deliveries and shipping instructions, are matter of a contract concluded between Iran and the manufacturer.

¹ Came into force on 9 December 1988 by signature, in accordance with article IX (1).

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 614, p. 93.

³ *Ibid.*, vol. 954, p. 91. (The agreement was signed on 19 June 1973, and entered into force on 15 May 1974.)