



Treaty Series No. 65 (1951)

Agreement

between the United Nations and the Food and
Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations
and the United Kingdom as Administering Power
of the territories of Cyrenaica and Tripolitania
regarding Technical Assistance for
Cyrenaica and Tripolitania

Lake Success, 15th December, 1950

*Presented by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to Parliament
by Command of His Majesty
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SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT NO. 1 TO THE BASIC AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED NATIONS, THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANISATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THE INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANISATION, THE INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANISATION, THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANISATION AND THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANISATION, AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND FOR THE PROVISION OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE.

Lake Success, 15th December, 1950

The United Nations and the Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations (hereinafter referred to as the "the Organisations") and the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, being the Administering Power of the territories of Cyrenaica and Tripolitania (hereinafter referred to as "the Administering Power") acting pursuant to the Basic Agreement for Technical Assistance signed on 15th December, 1950⁽¹⁾, between the Organisations represented on the Technical Assistance Board and the Administering Power,

Have agreed as follows:—

ARTICLE I

1. The Organisations shall provide, as soon hereafter as practicable, and subject to the provisions of the Basic Agreement, the services of experts, to advise the Administering Power as follows:—

- (a) one expert, a general economist, who shall also act as the senior member of the group of experts, for a period of approximately from six to nine months, to make an appraisal of the economic position and the economic potentialities of the territories and to make recommendations regarding the economic and social development of the territories;
- (b) one public finance expert, for a period of one year, to collaborate with the general economist in his appraisal, and to offer expert advice in the field of public finance;
- (c) one public finance expert, for a period of approximately three months, to collect, clarify and present, for study and further use, in conjunction with the Administering Power, such information as is at present available on public finance in the territories;
- (d) one statistician, for a period of approximately three months, to assist in planning and initiating a system for the registration and compilation of essential vital statistics;
- (e) one electric power expert, for a period of approximately three months, to assess the immediate and future electric power requirements of the territories;
- (f) one agronomist, for a period of approximately six months, to make a study of the agricultural resources of the territories and to make

(1) "Treaty Series No. 64 (1951)," Cmd. 8332.

proposals and recommendations for improved methods of crop cultivation, of better diversification of crops and for the adoption of any other measures which may lead to an increased agricultural production;

- (g) one expert on irrigated soils, for a period of approximately three months, to make an investigation of present irrigation practices and an appraisal of the possibilities of extension of irrigation on additional land, having regard to the present sources of supply, including their quality and suitability for such land.
- (h) one agricultural expert, in the field of viticulture, for a period of approximately three months, to make an appraisal of present and potential viticultural production in the territories, to make recommendations for improvements in methods and for possible diversification;
- (i) one expert, in the field of primary wool production, for a period of approximately three months, to report on present methods of shearing, grading and cleaning in preparation for export and to make recommendations for improvements in methods used;
- (j) one expert, in the field of social welfare, for a period of approximately six months, to make a survey of existing official and private social welfare services and to formulate short and long term programmes for the development of social welfare services in relation to the proposals of the economic experts and to the present status of social development in the territories;

2. In the performance of their duties, the experts shall work in close consultation and full co-operation with the competent agencies and officials of the Administering Power, with any associated authorities charged with development projects in the country and with the United Nations Mission in Libya. They will keep the Organisations informed of development plans, proposals and demands, as well as of the progress of any projects undertaken and technical assistance activities pursued in the territories.

ARTICLE II

1. The Administering Power shall, under the provisions of paragraph 3 of Article III of the Basic Agreement, undertake the following:—

(a) To provide subsistence for the experts in accordance with the following scale:—

(i) *For experts with dependents (accompanying or unaccompanying)*

Subsistence allowance, to cover board, lodging and incidental expenses at the rate of the equivalent of U.S. \$8.50 per day during the first year of service and thereafter at the rate of the equivalent of U.S. \$150 per month.

(ii) *For experts without dependents*

Subsistence allowance, to cover board, lodging and incidental expenses at the rate of the equivalent of U.S. \$5.50 per day during the first year of service and thereafter at the rate of the equivalent of U.S. \$100 per month.

For purposes of calculating these allowances in terms of the local currency used, the rate of 171.2756 (one hundred and seventy-one and two thousand seven hundred and fifty-six ten thousandths) military administration lire to U.S. \$1 (one U.S. dollar) shall

be employed for use in Tripolitania. Further exchange of military administration lira into Egyptian pounds, for use in Cyrenaica, shall be facilitated by the Administering Power.

(b) To defray the cost of medical care and hospitalization for the experts, and any immediate dependents who may accompany them.

2. The Administering Power shall, in accordance with paragraph 4 of Article III of the Basic Agreement, establish a local currency fund for the defraying of local currency expenses under the requirements of this Supplementary Agreement, to be deposited with the United Nations Mission in Libya. The amount of 2,000,000 (two million) military administration lira shall be deposited initially, being the estimated total requirements for six months.

ARTICLE III

1. This Supplementary Agreement shall come into force upon signature.

2. This Supplementary Agreement may be modified by agreement between the Organisations and the Administering Power in accordance with Article V of the Basic Agreement.

3. This Supplementary Agreement may be terminated by either party upon written notice to the other, and shall terminate sixty days after receipt of such notice. Termination of this Supplementary Agreement shall not be deemed to affect the Basic Agreement. This Agreement shall in any case be terminated upon the achievement of independence by Libya, which is to take place not later than the 1st of January, 1952.

In witness whereof the undersigned, duly appointed representatives of the Organisations and the Administering Power respectively have, on behalf of the Parties, signed this Supplementary Agreement No. 1 at Lake Success this fifteenth day of December, 1950, in English in two copies.

For The United Nations

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For The Food and Agriculture Organisation
of the United Nations

WILLIAM McCRAW.

For The Government of the United Kingdom
of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

K. G. YOUNGER.