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Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the United Kingdom of
Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the
Egyptian Government extending the relevant provisions
of the Suez Canal Base Agreement of October 19, 1954
to the "Contractor" and to British Civilian Technicians
located at Abou Sueir Airfield and Fanara Flying
Boat Station

Cairo, June 24, 1956

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Cairo, June 24, 1956

No. 1

The Egyptian Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs to Her Majesty's Ambassador in Cairo

Ministère des Affaires Etrangères,

Le Caire, June 24, 1956.

Excellency,

I have the honour, with reference to the Agreement signed in Cairo between the Government of the Republic of Egypt and the Government of the United Kingdom on the 19th of October, 1954,⁽¹⁾ to inform you that the Government of Egypt will extend to the British civilian technicians to be located at Abou Sueir airfield and Fanara flying boat station the same treatment as is accorded under the Agreement to British technicians employed elsewhere in the Suez Canal Base Area.

2. I have further to inform you that the commercial firm employing the technicians at Abou Sueir and Fanara will be treated in all respects as a "contractor" within the meaning of paragraph 6 of Part A of Annex II to the Agreement. This will not, however, extend in any way the facilities to be afforded to the Government of the United Kingdom under the provisions of paragraph 9 of Part A of Annex II to the Agreement, since those facilities are limited by that paragraph to the installations referred to in paragraph 2 (a) of Part A of Annex II to the Agreement, which paragraph does not refer to Abou Sueir and Fanara.

I avail, &c.

A. K. SAID.

No. 2

Her Majesty's Ambassador at Cairo to the Egyptian Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs

British Embassy, Cairo,

June 24, 1956.

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Excellency's Note of to-day's date which reads as follows:—

[As in No. 1.]

I note with satisfaction the above-mentioned decisions of the Government of the Republic of Egypt.

I avail, &c.

HUMPHREY TREVELYAN.

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