

Treaty Series No. 35 (1971)

Exchange of Notes

concerning an
Interest-free Development Loan by the
Government of the United Kingdom
of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
to the Government of the Hashemite
Kingdom of Jordan

Amman, 25 February/3 March 1971

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EXCHANGE OF NOTES

CONCERNING AN INTEREST-FREE DEVELOPMENT LOAN BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN

No. 1

Her Majesty's Ambassador at Amman to the Minister of Finance of Jordan

British Embassy, Amman. 25 February, 1971.

Your Excellency,

- I have the honour to refer to the recent discussions concerning development aid from the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and to inform Your Excellency that the Government of the United Kingdom are prepared to conclude an Agreement with the Government of Jordan in the following terms:—
 - 1. The Government of the United Kingdom shall make available to the Government of Jordan by way of an interest-free development loan the sum of £577,000 (five hundred and seventy seven thousand pounds) sterling towards the execution of the following projects:—
 - (a) Irbid Electricity (Stage I) (final).
 - (b) Aqaba Airport Project (continuation).
 - (c) Amman Electricity (first instalment).
 - 2. The amount made available under this loan shall be repaid by the Government of Jordan to the Government of the United Kingdom in pounds sterling in London, such repayments to be made by instalments paid on the dates and in the amounts specified below:

Instalments

Date Due	Amount
	£
1 April 1978 and on 1 April in each of the	1
succeeding 17 years	16,250
1 October 1978 and on 1 October in each	
of the succeeding 16 years	16,250
1 October 1995	8,250

3. Notwithstanding the provision of sub-paragraph 2 above the Government of Jordan shall be free at any earlier time to repay the Government of the United Kingdom in pounds sterling in London the whole or any part of the loan that is still outstanding.

4. Until the monies loaned under the Agreement shall have been expended, the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan shall furnish to the Government of the United Kingdom, through this Embassy, not later than the 30th of June in every year an annual certified statement in duplicate of the expenditure incurred from this loan on each of the projects listed in sub-paragraph 1 above, the first of such statements to be furnished not later than the 30th of June 1972.

If the foregoing proposals are acceptable to the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, I have the honour to suggest that the present Note and Your Excellency's reply in that sense shall be regarded as constituting an agreement between the two Governments in this matter.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest consideration.

J. F. S. PHILLIPS.

No. 2

The Minister of Finance of Jordan to Her Majesty's Ambassador at Amman

ي وحتى يتم انفاق المبالغ المعرضه بموجب الاتفاقية فان حكومة المملكسسة الاردنية المهاشمية تزود حكومة المملكة المتحده ، بواسطة هذه المسفارة وقي موعد لا يتجاول . ٣ حزيران من كل سنة ، بكشف سنوى مصسسدق على نسختين بالمبالغ التي صوفت من هذا القرض على كل من المشاريسسع المبيئة في الفقره (١) اعلاه ، على أن يزود أول كشف من هذا النسوع في موعد لا يتجاوز . ٣ حزيران عام ١٩٧٢ .

ب اذا كانت المترحات الوارده اعلاه مقبولة لدى حكومة المملكة الاردنيسة الهاشمية علي الشرف ان اقترت بان تكون هذه المذكرة وجواب معاليكسم عليها يذلك المعنى بمثابة اتفاقية بين الحكومتين بهذا الخصوص ،

يسرني اعدالدكم بان المقترحات الوارده اعلاه مقبوله لدى حكوسسة المملكة الاردنية وارجو ان تكون مذكرتكم وجوابي هذا فليه ابمثابة اتفاقيسة بين الحكومتين مهذا الخصوص.

واتبلوا احترامي »

وزير العاليــــــة

وزارة الماليسة مساه الرتم سعر بر مهم الرام التاريخ عبر ۱۳/۱/۲

معادة المغيرالبريطاني رحسسان

ر اشير الى كتابكم المورخ في ٢٥/ ٢/ ٢١ الذى ينتعطى مايلي هـ. ياصاحب المعالىء

- - أ) كبربا اربد (المرحلة الاولى) (النهاية)
 - ب) مشروع مطار العتبة (تكلة ')
 - جرم كهرباء عمان (القسط الاول)

الا تســـــــاط العبلغ / جنيه استرليني تاريخ الاستحقـــــاق

١ نيسان سنة ١٩٧٨ وفي ١ نيسان من كل سنة

من السئين ال ١٦ التي تليها .

۱ تشرین اول سنة ۱۹۷۸ وفي ۱ تشرین اول من

كل سنة من السنين ال ١٦ التي تليهـــــا

١ تشرين اول سنة ١٩٩٥ تشرين اول سنة ١٩٩٥

وعلى الرغم مما نصت عليه الغقرة (٣) اعلاه ، قان للحكرمة الاردنيسسسسة
 الحرية في ان ترد الى حكومة المملكة المتحده في اى وقت ايكر وبالجنيهسسات
 الاسترلينيه في لندن كل اواى جزء من القرض الذي لا يزال مستحقا .

[Translation of No. 2]

Ministry of Finance, Amman.

Ref. No. J/6/27/1/1666 Date: 3 March, 1971.

His Excellency
The British Ambassador,
Amman

Your Excellency,

I refer to your Note dated 25th February 1971, which reads as follows: --

[As in No. 1]

It gives me pleasure to inform you that the proposals mentioned above are acceptable to the Government of the Kingdom of Jordan and I request that your Note and my present reply to it shall be regarded as constituting an agreement between the two Governments in this matter.

Accept my respect.

AHMAD al-LOZI Minister of Finance

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