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Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
and the Government of the Kingdom of Greece
extending to the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man
the Agreement signed at Athens on 25 February/
2 March 1970 on the Reciprocal Recognition
of Driving Licences

Athens, 17/27 August 1971

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by the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs
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1970 ON THE RECIPROCAL RECOGNITION OF DRIVING
LICENCES**

No. 1

*Her Majesty's Ambassador at Athens to the Prime Minister and
Minister for Foreign Affairs of Greece*

*British Embassy,
Athens.*

21/8

Your Excellency,

17 August, 1971.

I have the honour to refer to the Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Kingdom of Greece on the reciprocal recognition of driving licences, constituted by Notes exchanged at Athens on the 25th of February/2nd of March 1970⁽¹⁾, and to propose that the provisions of the Agreement shall be extended to the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man so as to apply as if those Islands were part of the territory of the United Kingdom, and competent authorities in those Islands were competent authorities of the Government of the United Kingdom. Specimens of the driving licences issued by the competent authorities of the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man are attached as Annexes A and B⁽²⁾ to this Note respectively.

If the above proposal is acceptable to the Government of the Kingdom of Greece, I have the honour to suggest that this Note, together with its Annexes and your reply to that effect, shall constitute an Agreement between the two Governments in this matter which shall enter into force on the date of your reply and shall remain in force so long as the Agreement referred to is in force.

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

R. W. J. HOOPER

(1) Treaty Series No. 44 (1970), Cmnd. 4386.

(2) Not reproduced.

No. 2

*The Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Greece to
Her Majesty's Ambassador at Athens*

*Ministère Royal des Affaires Etrangères,
Athens.*

Your Excellency,

27 August, 1971.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Your Excellency's Note No. 21/8 of the 17 August, 1971 which reads as follows:

[As in No. 1]

In reply I have the honour to inform you that the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of the Kingdom of Greece who therefore agree that Your Excellency's Note together with its Annexes and this reply shall constitute an Agreement between the two Governments, which shall enter into force on the 27 of August, 1971.

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

G. PAPADOPOULOS

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