

EL SALVADOR



Treaty Series No. 14 (1972)

# Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland  
and the Government of the Republic of El Salvador  
concerning the reciprocal granting  
of Licences to Amateur  
Radio Operators

London, 18 October/12 November 1971

[The Agreement entered into force on 12 November 1971]

*Presented to Parliament  
by the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs  
by Command of Her Majesty  
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BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM  
OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE  
GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF EL SALVADOR  
CONCERNING THE RECIPROCAL GRANTING OF LICENCES  
TO AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS**

No. 1

*The Ambassador of El Salvador to the Secretary of State for  
Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs*

*Embajada de el Salvador,  
Londres.*

Your Excellency,

18th October, 1971.

I have the honour to refer to recent correspondence between the Government of El Salvador and the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland relating to the possibility of concluding an agreement between the two Governments with a view to the reciprocal granting of authorisations or licences to permit licensed amateur radio operators of either country to operate stations in the other country, in accordance with the Radio Regulations under the International Telecommunications Convention.<sup>(1)</sup>

2. I have the honour to propose to Your Excellency the following:

- (a) An individual who is licensed by his Government as an amateur radio operator and who operates an amateur radio station licensed by such Government shall be permitted by the other Government, on a reciprocal basis and subject to the conditions stated below, to operate such station in the territory of such other Government.
- (b) The individual who is licensed by his Government as an amateur radio operator shall, before being permitted to operate a station as provided for in sub-paragraph 2 (a) of this Note, obtain from the appropriate administrative agency of the other Government an authorisation or licence for that purpose.
- (c) The appropriate administrative agency of each Government may issue an authorisation or a licence, as prescribed in sub-paragraph 2 (b) of this Note, under such conditions and terms as it may prescribe, including the condition that a certain standard of proficiency as an amateur radio operator has been reached by the individual concerned and the right of cancellation by the issuing Government at any time.

3. If the foregoing proposals are acceptable to the Government of the United Kingdom I have the honour to suggest that this Note and Your Excellency's reply to that effect shall be regarded as constituting an Agreement between the two Governments in this matter which shall enter into force on the date of Your Excellency's reply and shall be subject to termination by either Government giving six months' written notice to the other.

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

**ALFONSO QUIÑÓNEZ MEZA**  
*Ambassador of El Salvador*

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(1) Treaty Series No. 41 (1967), Cmnd. 3383.

No. 2

*The Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs  
to the Ambassador of El Salvador*

*Foreign and Commonwealth Office,  
London, S.W.1.*

Your Excellency,

12 November 1971.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Note dated 18 October 1971, which reads as follows:

[As in No. 1]

In reply I have the honour to state that the foregoing proposals are acceptable to the Government of the United Kingdom who agree that Your Excellency's Note and this reply shall constitute an Agreement between the two Governments which shall enter into force on this day's date and shall remain in force until terminated by either party upon six months' written notice to the other.

I have the honour to be  
with the highest consideration,  
Your Excellency's obedient Servant,

*For the Secretary of State*  
C. D. LUSH