



Treaty Series No. 62 (1976)

# Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland  
and the Government of the Republic of Zambia  
**Amending and Extending the Overseas  
Service (Zambia) Agreement 1971**

(The Overseas Service (Zambia) (Continuance)  
Agreement 1971/76)

Lusaka, 31 March 1976

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BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM  
OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND  
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA  
AMENDING AND EXTENDING THE OVERSEAS SERVICE  
(ZAMBIA) AGREEMENT 1971**

No. 1

*The United Kingdom Acting High Commissioner at Lusaka to the  
Secretary to the Cabinet of the Government of Zambia*

*British High Commission,*

*Lusaka.*

*31 March 1976.*

Dear Mr. Kazunga,

I have the honour to refer to discussions that have taken place between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of Zambia concerning the continuance of the Overseas Service (Zambia) Agreement 1971<sup>(1)</sup> (hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement"), and to propose that the Agreement be amended as follows:—

- (1) In sub-paragraph 5 (a) of paragraph 1, delete the words "an inducement allowance" and substitute therefor the words "a salary supplement".
- (2) In sub-paragraph 5 (d) of paragraph 1, delete the words "inducement allowance" and substitute therefor the words "salary supplement".
- (3) In sub-paragraphs 7 and 8 of paragraph 1 delete the words "allowances, grant and gratuity" and substitute therefor the words "salary supplement, allowances, grant and gratuity".
- (4) Delete sub-paragraph 11 of paragraph 1 and substitute therefor:—

"11. In order to obviate over-payment by the Government of the United Kingdom, the Government of Zambia will immediately inform the Government of the United Kingdom of any event which might affect obligations of the Government of the United Kingdom under this Agreement to make payment to a designated officer; and if the Government of Zambia fail to comply with this paragraph and that failure results in the Government of the United Kingdom making an over-payment to an officer, the Government of Zambia will, unless the failure arose in circumstances beyond the control of the Government of Zambia, reimburse the Government of the United Kingdom the whole of that over-payment. The Government of the United

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(1) Treaty Series No. 121 (1972), Cmnd. 5147.

Kingdom will however return to the Government of Zambia any moneys recovered from the officer in respect of such over-payment less the costs of recovery”.

- (5) In sub-paragraph 14 of paragraph 1 delete the words and figures “31 March 1976” and substitute therefor the words and figures “31 March 1981”.

2. If this Note correctly sets out the terms that have been agreed, I have the honour to propose that this Note and your reply shall constitute an Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of Zambia which shall enter into force on 31 March 1976 and which shall be cited together with the Agreement as the Overseas Service (Zambia) (Continuance) Agreement 1971/76.

Yours sincerely,  
J. McQUIGGAN  
*Acting High Commissioner*

No. 2

*The Secretary to the Cabinet of the Government of Zambia to the  
United Kingdom Acting High Commissioner at Lusaka*

*Lusaka,  
31 March 1976.*

Dear Mr. McQuiggan,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 31st March, 1976 on the subject of the continuance of the Overseas Service (Zambia) Agreement 1971 which letter reads as follows:—

[As in No. 1]

In reply, I have the honour to inform you that the proposed amendments to the Agreements are acceptable to the Government of Zambia who therefore regard your letter and this reply as constituting an Agreement between our two Governments in this matter.

Yours sincerely,  
S. J. KAZUNGA  
*Secretary to the Cabinet*