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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 State of Israel

concerning the Extension of the European Convention on Extradition to Certain Dependent Territories

Tel Aviv, 14 February 1996 and Jerusalem, 9 June 1996

[The Agreement entered into force on 15 January 1997]

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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 STATE OF ISRAEL CONCERNING THE EXTENSION OF THE EUROPEAN CONVENTION ON EXTRADITION TO CERTAIN DEPENDENT TERRITORIES

No. 1

The British Ambassador at Tel Aviv to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the State of Israel

British Embassy Tel Aviv 14 February 1996

Note No. 6

Sir

I have the honour to refer to the European Convention on Extradition, opened for signature by Members of the Council of Europe on 13 December 1957¹ and to propose that, in accordance with the provisions of Article 27(4), the application of the Convention shall extend to the territories listed in the Annex to this Note, being territories for whose international relations the United Kingdom is responsible.

The reservations to Articles 2 and 28 and the notification made by the United Kingdom upon ratification of the Convention shall not be applicable to the Convention as hereby extended.

The remaining reservations made by the United Kingdom shall be applicable in respect of the territories listed in the Annex to this Note.

A reference in the applicable reservations to the United Kingdom shall be read as including a reference to any territory listed in the Annex to this Note.

The reservations and declarations made by the Government of Israel shall also be applicable to the Convention as hereby extended.

A request for extradition of an offender found in any of the territories listed in the Annex to this Note may be made to the Governor or other competent authority of that territory, who may take the decision himself or refer the matter to the Government of the United Kingdom for their decision.

If the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of Israel, this Note and your reply in the same sense shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments, which shall enter into force on the date on which each of our two Governments has notified the other of the completion of their internal procedures necessary to give effect to it.

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

DAVID MANNING

¹Treaty Series No. 97 (1991) Cm 1762.

ANNEX

Bermuda

British Antarctic Territory

British Indian Ocean Territory

British Virgin Islands

Cayman Islands

Falkland Islands

Gibraltar

Montserrat

St Helena and Dependencies

South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands

Turks and Caicos Islands

The Minister of Foreign Affairs of the State of Israel to the British Ambassador at Tel Aviv

Jerusalem

1996

Sir,

I have the honour to refer to your Excellency's Note dated 14 February 1996 which reads as follows:

[As in No. 1]

[Annex as in No. 1]

In reply, I have the honour to confirm that the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of the State of Israel and that Your Excellency's Note and this reply shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force on the date on which each of our two Governments has notified the other of the completion of their internal procedures necessary to give effect to it.

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

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