

PEACE



Treaty Series No. 51 (1986) ✓

## Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland  
and the Director General of the  
Multinational Force and Observers

concerning the further Extension of the  
Commitment of the British Component of  
the Multinational Force in the Sinai

Rome, 10 April 1986 and London, 21 April 1986

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*Presented to Parliament  
by the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs  
by Command of Her Majesty  
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OBSERVERS CONCERNING THE FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE  
COMMITMENT OF THE BRITISH COMPONENT OF THE  
MULTINATIONAL FORCE IN THE SINAI**

No. 1

*The Director General of the Multinational Force and Observers to the  
Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs*

*Rome*

*10 April 1986*

Sir,

I have the honor to refer to the exchange of notes constituting an Agreement (hereinafter referred to as 'the Participation Agreement') between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Multinational Force and Observers (MFO), of 17 March and 21 April 1982<sup>(1)</sup>, providing for the contribution of a headquarters company to the MFO. This Agreement set forth the terms and conditions of participation in the MFO, for a term of two years, extendable by mutual agreement. The United Kingdom's participation was so extended for an additional period of two years pursuant to an exchange of notes of 12 and 19 April 1984<sup>(2)</sup>.

I have the further honor of proposing that the United Kingdom's participation in the MFO be continued for an additional period of one year commencing 21 April 1986, under the terms and conditions set forth in the Participation Agreement. This participation shall continue under the same terms and conditions for a further period of one year commencing on 21 April 1987, unless your Government informs the MFO at least 90 days prior to the expiry of the initial one year term of the United Kingdom's intention to terminate its participation. This participation may be further extended by agreement.

I wish to confirm in addition that the interpretative understandings related to the Participation Agreement, expressed in a separate exchange of notes of 17 and 21 April 1982<sup>(2)</sup>, shall remain in effect during the additional period of participation.

If the foregoing is agreeable to the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, I propose that this Note, together with your reply to that effect, shall constitute an Agreement on this subject which shall enter into force on the date of your reply.

I take this occasion to record our continuing appreciation for the important contribution that the United Kingdom contingent is making to the support of the peace.

Please accept the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

PETER D. CONSTABLE.

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<sup>(1)</sup> Treaty Series No. 37 (1982), Cmnd. 8646.

<sup>(2)</sup> Treaty Series No. 53 (1984), Cmnd. 9299.

No. 2

*Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs to the  
Director General of the Multinational Force and Observers*

*Foreign and Commonwealth Office  
London*

*21 April 1986*

Sir,

I have the honour to refer to your Note of 10 April 1986 which reads as follows:

[As in No. 1]

In reply, I have the honour to inform you that your proposals are acceptable to the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland who therefore agree that your Note, together with this reply, shall constitute an agreement between us which shall enter into force on today's date.

I have the honour also to confirm that the interpretative understandings expressed in the separate Exchange of Notes of 17 March and 21 April, 1982<sup>(1)</sup>, shall remain in effect for this additional period.

I have the honour to convey to you, sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

T. L. A. DAUNT  
(For the Secretary of State)