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Exchange of Notes amending the Headquarters Agreement

between the Government of the United Kingdom
of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
and CAB International (previously known as the Commonwealth
Agricultural Bureaux)

London, 11 and 18 July 1997

[The Exchange of Notes entered into force on 1 August 1999]

*Presented to Parliament
by the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs
by Command of Her Majesty
March 2000*

**EXCHANGE OF NOTES AMENDING THE HEADQUARTERS AGREEMENT
BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT
BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND CAB INTERNATIONAL
(PREVIOUSLY KNOWN AS THE COMMONWEALTH AGRICULTURAL
BUREAUX)**

No. 1

*The Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs to the Director General of
CAB International*

*Foreign and Commonwealth Office,
London*

11 July 1997

Sir,

I have the honour to refer to the Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and CAB International (previously known as the Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux) regarding the Headquarters of the Organisation, signed at London on 5 August 1982¹ (hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement").

2. I now have the honour to propose the following amendments to the Agreement:

(1) In Article 1(a) delete "Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux" and replace with "CAB International".

(2) In Articles 1(e) 16 and 17 delete "Executive Director" and replace with "Director General".

(3) After Article 4(2) insert the following new paragraph:

"(3) The Organisation shall be accorded a refund of Insurance Premium Tax and Air Passenger Duty paid by the Organisation in the exercise of its official activities."

3. If the foregoing proposals are acceptable to CAB International, I have the honour to propose that this Note, together with your reply in that sense, shall constitute an Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom² and Northern Ireland and CAB International which shall enter into force on the date on which the United Kingdom legislation giving effect to the amendments come into force.

R S GORHAM
(for the Secretary of State)

¹Treaty Series No. 49 (1982) Cmnd 8715.

²The words "of Great Britain" were omitted from the original United Kingdom note in error.

No. 2

*The Director General of CAB International to the Secretary of State for Foreign and
Commonwealth Affairs at London.*

London

18 July 1997

Sir,

I have the honour to refer to your Note of 11 July 1997 which reads as follows:

[As in No. 1]

I have the honour to inform you that the foregoing proposal is acceptable to CAB INTERNATIONAL, who therefore agree that the Note and the present reply shall constitute an Agreement between CAB INTERNATIONAL and your Government which shall enter into force on the date on which the United Kingdom legislation giving effect to the amendments comes into force.

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

J H GILMORE

