

CULTURAL AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

THE REPUBLIC OF ITALY

AND

THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE SUDAN

The Government of the Republic of Italy and the Government of the Democratic Republic of the Sudan, desiring to strengthen the friendly relations between their two Countries and to develop their relations in the cultural, artistic, scientific and technical fields, have agreed on the following :

: ARTICLE 1 :

Each Contracting Party shall study the possibilities of establishing chairs of modern language, lectureships, courses of the language, literature and history of the other party in the Universities and Institutes of Higher learning existing in its territory.

Each Contracting Party shall endeavour to facilitate the teaching of the language, literature and history of the other Contracting Party in the schools in its territory.

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ARTICLE 2

Each Contracting Party shall be allowed to create and maintain cultural Institutions in the territory of the other Party, according to the laws in force there and in agreement with the said Party.

ARTICLE 3

The Contracting Parties shall study the possibility to grant scholarships to enable their respective citizens to begin or to continue their studies and researches and to specialize in the country of the other Party.

ARTICLE 4

The Contracting Parties shall encourage the development of their mutual relations in the cultural, artistic, scientific and technical fields. The Contracting Parties shall mutually :

- a) grant every possible facility for the exchanges of books, publications, radio-television programmes and reproductions of art masterpieces;
- b) encourage the exchange of scientific and educational films of national production;
- c) facilitate the organization of artistic exhibitions;
- d) facilitate the co-operation among the respective Universities and Institutes of Higher learning, scientific laboratories, art schools, Museums and Libraries;
- e) promote sports competitions among citizens of their respective countries.

ARTICLE 5

The Contracting Parties shall facilitate the visits and exchanges of scientific missions, University professors and other teaching personnel, researchers, lecturers, artists and technicians, and shall also study the possibility of organizing youth exchanges.

ARTICLE 6

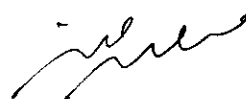
The Contracting Parties shall engage themselves, according to the respective laws of both countries, to encourage cooperation in the field of archaeological missions, preservation and restoration of historical monuments, works of art and manuscripts.

ARTICLE 7

The Contracting Parties shall convene, when necessary, meetings of representatives of the two countries in order to find the appropriate measures for the implementation of the present Agreement.

ARTICLE 8

The present Agreement shall remain in force indefinitely but either of the Contracting Parties may, at any time, give to the other Contracting Party, through the diplomatic channel, written notice of termination. In such event the Agreement shall cease to be effective on the one hundred and eightieth day after the date of such notice.



ARTICLE 9

The present Agreement shall be ratified and the instruments of ratification shall be exchanged at Rome as soon as possible.

The present Agreement shall enter into force on the sixtieth day after the date of exchange of the instruments of ratification.

Done in Rome on 23rd of December 1974 in two original copies in the English language.

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE  
REPUBLIC OF ITALY

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FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE  
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