# AGREEMENT ON SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL CO-OPERATION BETWEEN THE FEDERAL PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF YUGOSLAVIA AND THE KINGDOM OF GREECE. SIGNED AT ATHENS, ON 18 JUNE 1959

The Government of the Federal People's Republic of Yugoslavia and the Royal Hellenic Government, desiring to develop scientific and cultural cooperation between their two countries, and convinced that such co-operation will serve to strengthen their relations as allies, have decided to conclude an Agreement on scientific and cultural co-operation and, for this purpose, have agreed as follows:

#### Article 1

The Contracting Parties shall promote co-operation between their two countries in the fields of science and cultural activity and in the field of publication and information relating thereto.

#### Article 2

The Contracting Parties are in agreement that they shall promote and support, in particular: co-operation between scientific research institutions, professional associations and cultural organizations, and exchanges in artistic and other cultural events.

### Article 3

Each Contracting Party shall, in accordance with its laws and the rules of the institutions concerned, grant facilities for research and study in the institutes, archives, libraries and museums of its country to scientific workers of the other Contracting Party.

## Article 4

Each Contracting Party shall encourage the granting of fellowships and other material assistance for specialization and scientific research work to technicians, scientific workers and artists of the other Contracting Party.

# Article 5

The Contracting Parties shall support co-operation between radio and television stations, and between film institutions, in accordance with the legislation in force in their respective countries.

# Article 6

With a view to the application of this Agreement, a Mixed Commission shall be established, composed of not more than eight members.

The Commission shall consist of two sections, one composed of Yugoslav members and sitting at Belgrade, and the other composed of an equal number of Greek members and sitting at Athens.

The members of each section shall be appointed by their respective Governments and each list shall be communicated to the other Contracting Government through the diplomatic channel.

The Mixed Commission shall establish by common consent, not later than the end of each November, the annual programme for the succeeding year and shall hold plenary

meetings in Yugoslavia and Greece alternately, whenever such meetings are felt to be necessary.

#### Article 7

This Agreement is valid for a term of five years from the date of its entry into force. It shall automatically be renewed for additional periods of five years, unless denounced by one of the Contracting Parties six months before its expiry.

#### Article 8

This Agreement is subject to ratification and shall enter into force on the date of the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which shall take place at Belgrade.

DONE at Athens, on 18 June 1959, in duplicate in the French language.

For the Government

of the Federal People's Republic

of Yugoslavia:

(Signed) Koča POPOVIĆ

For the Royal Hellenic

Government:

(Signed) TOSSIZZA AVEROF

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