

法規名稱：(終)AGREEMENT ON AGRICULTURAL TECHNICAL COOPERATION BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF SAINT LUCIA

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The Government of the Republic of China and the Government of Saint Lucia, being desirous of further strengthening the friendly relations existing between the two countries, and promoting technical cooperation, have agreed through their respective representatives upon the following articles:

ARTICLE 1

The objectives of the technical cooperation are:

- (1) To set up a model farm where such work would be carried out respecting: Introduction of new vegetable and fruit crops and new varieties of these, demonstration of the potentiality of vegetable and fruit production on small-size farms, as well as the study of diversification for cropping systems.
- (2) To extend technical assistances to the fishing industry and to aquaculture in Saint Lucia with the aim of enriching the diet of her population.
- (3) To study the possible areas for technical assistance in horticultural production.
- (4) To extend technical assistance to the Livestock Sector in the areas of pig and poultry development and production.
- (5) To study the feasibility of the production of rice and other suitable food crops.

ARTICLE 2

The implementation of the project includes:

(1) Research:

- (a) To determine how the climate and soil conditions of the project farms may be used advantageously to give best results under year-round production systems employed.
- (b) To use selected varieties and to continue further variety selection.
- (c) To develop a system of record-keeping and farm production

analysis for the project farms and for general application on small farms.

- (d) To use available as well as new small farm implements (both hand and power) in order to determine the most suitable for local use.

(2) Training:

- (a) The Chinese and Saint Lucia technicians shall train farmers and other farmer groups involved in the project in new techniques to be employed on the project farms.
- (b) Cooperation in the production of educational materials.

(3) Reporting and evaluation:

- (a) Reporting and evaluation shall be made seasonally. No information shall be released unless previously cleared by the host Government.
- (b) Complete records on input and output shall be kept to ascertain the economic viability of the farm operations.

ARTICLE 3

- (1) The Government of the Republic of China agrees to send to Saint Lucia an Agricultural technical Mission (hereinafter referred to as "the Mission") which shall be composed of three to five agricultural expert technicians to carry out the objectives described in Article 1.
- (2) In case the aforementioned technicians cannot continue to perform their duties, the Government of the Republic of China shall recall them and appoint other technicians in substitution for them.
- (3) The Government of the Republic of China shall defray the travelling cost of the members of the Mission to and from Saint Lucia and shall pay their salaries during the period of their service in Saint Lucia.
- (4) The government of Saint Lucia shall exempt the aforementioned salaries from all resident and local taxes, including income taxes, and personal and household effects of the members of the Mission on their arrival from all import, customs

and other duties and taxes, and shall accord the members of the Mission and their dependants, facilities for their entry into, and departure from and stay in Saint Lucia during the period of their service.

ARTICLE 4

- (1) The Government of the Republic of China shall provide the Mission with the necessary agricultural implements and seeds available in the Republic of China and ship them to Saint Lucia.
- (2) Upon the arrival of the said agricultural implements and seeds at the port of Saint Lucia, the Government of Saint Lucia shall exempt them from customs duties and other taxes, shall pay ware-housing, wharfage and other related expenses, and shall be responsible for transporting them to the site of the project.
- (3) The above-mentioned agricultural implements shall be donated to the Government of Saint Lucia upon the termination of Service of the Mission.

ARTICLE 5

The Government of the Republic of China agrees to grant scholarships and or attachments at designated institutions within the Republic of China for the training of agricultural personnel of the Saint Lucia Ministry of Agriculture, lands, Fisheries and Cooperatives in various aspects of Agriculture, Horticulture and Fisheries to be mutually agreed upon by the parties.

ARTICLE 6

The Government of Saint Lucia shall provide the Mission with adequate farm site to carry out the work described in Article 3, manual labours, the necessary agricultural implements and seeds not produced in the Republic of China, fertilizers, pesticides, furnished housing for the members of the Mission, transportation for all official purposes, as well as office accommodation

and services.

ARTICLE 7

The agricultural products raised by the Mission, except reasonably required for the personal consumption of the Mission or for the use of seeds and specimens, shall be turned over to the Government of Saint Lucia for disposal.

ARTICLE 8

The Government of Saint Lucia Shall appoint a liaison officer to render the Mission all necessary assistances.

ARTICLE 9

This Agreement shall enter into force upon the date of its signature.

The period of service of the Mission in Saint Lucia shall be two (2) years to be reckoned from the date of its arrival in Saint Lucia.

The Period of service may be extended by written concurrence between the two Governments before its expiration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Representatives of the two contracting Parties have affixed their signatures thereto.

DONE at Castries, on the 7th day of May, 1984.

(Signed)

John George Melvin Compton
Prime Minister and
Minister of Foreign affairs

(Signed)

Lin Chin-sheng
Minister without Portfolio
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