AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA RELATING TO THE TEMPORARY USE OF RADIO STATION KZFM

Note: The Agreement entered into force, October 4, 1946.

Reference: This Agreement is also published In I DFA TS No. I, p. 105

and 43 UNTS, p. 263.

THIS CONTRACT by and between the United States Information Service, operator of Radio Station KZFM, an instrumentality of the United States Government, represented herein by George C. Betts, Acting Chief of the United States Information Service, hereinafter referred to as the USIS; and the Government of the Republic of the Philippines, represented herein by Emilio Abello, Chief of the Executive Office of the Republic of the Philippines, hereinafter referred to as the Government;

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the contracting parties to provide for the continuance of radio broadcasting in the Philippines, to afford a medium for the transmission of radio programs; to provide a means for training radio technicians; and to provide for the temporary use by the Government of the facilities of Radio KZFM when operation thereof by the USIS shall have ceased on October 20, 1946, and until such time as an agreement regarding the use of the United States Government-owned broadcasting facilities shall have been entered into and the necessary action taken for the final transfer of title to the now existing technical equipment of Radio Station KZFM, as per attached Inventory and to such other additional radio equipment and facilities as may be declared surplus and transferable, to the Government,

Now, THEREFORE, USIS, for and in consideration of the above premises, has conveyed and transferred and, by these presents, hereby transfers and conveys unto the Government the free use of all radio broadcasting equipment and facilities now existing and utilized by Radio Station KZFM, as per Inventory hereto attached and made an integral part hereof, and such other radio equipment as may be declared surplus and transferable to the Government under the following terms and conditions:

- 1. Two Studios Nos. 1 and 2, at present operated by USIS and located at the 4th Floor of the Ramon Roces Bldg., Calero St., shall be made available for the free use by the Government for a period of sixty (60) days computed from the date of the signing of this Contract;
- 2. USIS agrees to assist the Government in the construction of its own studios by lending to it studio broadcast equipment in so far as its present stock permits. This equipment shall be used by the Government until such time when it shall have obtained the needed materials, but in no case shall such period exceed twelve (12) months;