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**FEDERATION OF MALAYA  
and  
AUSTRALIA**

**Exchange of notes constituting an agreement for the reciprocal exchange of planting material between the Federation of Malaya and the Territory of Papua and New Guinea. Kuala Lumpur, 26 November 1962**

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**Échange de notes constituant un accord relatif à l'échange de plants entre la Fédération de Malaisie et le Territoire du Papoua et de la Nouvelle-Guinée. Kuala Lumpur, 26 novembre 1962**

*Texte officiel anglais.*

*Enregistré par la Fédération de Malaisie le 14 février 1963.*

No. 6523. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup> BETWEEN THE FEDERATION OF MALAYA AND AUSTRALIA FOR THE RECIPROCAL EXCHANGE OF PLANTING MATERIAL BETWEEN THE FEDERATION OF MALAYA AND THE TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA. KUALA LUMPUR, 26 NOVEMBER 1962

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FEDERATION OF MALAYA  
KUALA LUMPUR  
Prime Minister

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26 November, 1962

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to previous correspondence and discussions between our two Governments concerning the reciprocal exchange of planting material between the Federation of Malaya and the Territory of Papua and New Guinea, and to set out hereunder my Government's understanding of the agreement reached in the matter :

I. The Government of the Federation of Malaya and the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia agree to the reciprocal exchange of planting material between the Federation of Malaya and the Territory of Papua and New Guinea subject to the following conditions :

1. that the relevant plant importation regulations and quarantine arrangements shall be strictly adhered to and enforced in respect of any consignment of planting material imported into the Federation of Malaya or the Territory of Papua and New Guinea ;
2. that the importation into the Federation of Malaya of planting material of *Hevea* shall be permitted only for scientific purposes and subject to prior permission of the Malayan Ministry of Agriculture ; and that the importation into the Territory of Papua and New Guinea of planting material of *Hevea* from outside the South-East Asian and the Pacific Region, as defined in the Regional Plant Protection Agreement<sup>2</sup> of the Food and Agriculture Organization, shall be permitted only for scientific purposes and subject to prior permission of the Department of Agriculture, Stock and Fisheries of

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<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 26 November 1962 by the exchange of the said notes.

<sup>2</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 247, p. 400 ; Vol. 256, p. 355 ; Vol. 274, p. 347 ; Vol. 276, p. 363 ; Vol. 282, p. 364 ; Vol. 286, p. 378 ; Vol. 346, p. 332 ; Vol. 359, p. 400, and Vol. 434, p. 295.