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RIQUE ET HAÏTI RELATIF
À L'ÉTABLISSEMENT EN
HAÏTI D'UN PROGRAMME
DU PEACE CORPS

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*The American Ambassador to the Haitian Secretary of State
for Foreign Affairs*

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Port-au-Prince, August 12, 1982

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Excellency:

I have the honor to refer to recent conversations between representatives of our two Governments and to propose the following understandings with respect to the men and women of the United States of America who volunteer to serve in the Peace Corps and who, at the request of your Government, would live and work for periods of time in the Republic of Haiti. In these conversations your Government has indicated that it would welcome Peace Corps Volunteers.

I have the honor to propose the following understandings with respect to the Peace Corps:

1. The Government of the United States will furnish such Peace Corps Volunteers as may be requested by the Government of the Republic of Haiti to perform mutually agreed tasks in the Republic of Haiti. The volunteers will work under the

¹ Came into force on 13 August 1982, the date of the note in reply, in accordance with the provisions of the said notes.

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supervision of organizations designated by the Government of the Republic of Haiti. The Government of the United States will provide training to enable the volunteers to perform these agreed tasks effectively.

2. The Government of the Republic of Haiti will accord equitable treatment to Peace Corps Volunteers both as to their persons and their property; afford them full aid and protection including the same treatment as that accorded generally to nationals of the United States residing in the Republic of Haiti, and fully inform and cooperate with the representatives of the Government of the United States of America with respect to all matters concerning the volunteers.

3. To enable the Government of the United States to discharge its responsibilities under this Agreement, the Government of the Republic of Haiti agrees to receive a Peace Corps Representative and employees, and other persons performing functions under this Agreement.

4. The Government of the Republic of Haiti will exempt from taxes, customs duties and other charges in respect to vehicles, plant, equipment and supplies introduced into or acquired in the Republic of Haiti by the Government of the United States, or its duly authorized representatives, in connection with Peace Corps programs.

5. The Government of the Republic of Haiti will exempt Peace Corps volunteers, the Peace Corps Representative, and employees, and such other persons as approved by the Government of the Republic of Haiti performing functions under this Agreement from immigration fees, from all taxes on income derived from their Peace Corps work or from sources outside the Republic of Haiti, and from all other taxes, charges and fees, except those included in the price of equipment, supplies and services.

6. The Government of the Republic of Haiti will also exempt volunteers and such other persons as approved by the Government