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# United Nations and Cyprus

Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations and the Government of the Republic of Cyprus concerning contributions to the United Nations stand-by arrangements system (with annex). New York, 29 March 2010

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# Organisation des Nations Unies et Chypre

Mémorandum d'accord entre l'Organisation des Nations Unies et le Gouvernement de la République de Chypre concernant les contributions au système des forces et moyens en attente des Nations Unies (avec annexe). New York, 29 mars 2010

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# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

## **BETWEEN**

# THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS

# CONCERNING CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED NATIONS STAND-BY ARRANGEMENTS SYSTEM

## THE SIGNATORIES TO THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM

MR. ALAIN LE ROY UNDER-SECRETARY-GENERAL FOR PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS, REPRESENTING THE UNITED NATIONS

AND

H.E. MR. MARKOS KYPRIANOU MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS, REPRESENTING THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS

RECOGNIZING THE NEED TO EXPEDITE THE PROVISION OF CERTAIN RESOURCES TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN ORDER TO EFFECTIVELY IMPLEMENT IN A TIMELY MANNER, THE MANDATE OF THE UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS AUTHORIZED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL,

FURTHER RECOGNIZING THAT THE ADVANTAGES OF PLEDGING RESOURCES FOR PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS CONTRIBUTES TO ENHANCING FLEXIBILITY AND LOW COSTS,

**HAVE REACHED** THE FOLLOWING UNDERSTANDING:

#### I. PURPOSE

THE PURPOSE OF THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING IS TO IDENTIFY THE RESOURCES WHICH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS HAS INDICATED THAT IT WILL PROVIDE TO THE UNITED NATIONS FOR USE IN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS UNDER THE SPECIFIED CONDITIONS.

#### II. DESCRIPTION OF RESOURCES

- 1. THE DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RESOURCES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS IS SET OUT IN THE ANNEX TO THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING.
- 2. IN THE PREPARATION OF THE ANNEX, THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS HAVE FOLLOWED THE GUIDELINES FOR THE PROVISION OF RESOURCES FOR UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS.

#### III. CONDITION OF PROVISION

THE FINAL DECISION WHETHER TO ACTUALLY DEPLOY THE RESOURCES BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS REMAINS A NATIONAL DECISION.

### IV. ENTRY INTO FORCE

THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING SHALL ENTER INTO FORCE ON THE DATE ON OF ITS SIGNATURE.

#### V. MODIFICATION

THE PRESENT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING INCLUDING THE ANNEX MAY BE MODIFIED AT ANY TIME BY THE PARTIES THROUGH EXCHANGE OF LETTERS.

### VI. TERMINATION

THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING MAY BE TERMINATED AT ANY TIME BY EITHER PARTY, SUBJECT TO A PERIOD OF NOTIFICATION OF NOT LESS THAN THREE MONTHS TO THE OTHER PARTY.

SIGNED IN NEW YORK ON 29 Rosh 2010

FOR THE UNITED NATIONS

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS

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