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**United States of America  
and  
Hungary**

**Treaty between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Hungary on Extradition. Budapest, 1 December 1994**

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**États-Unis d'Amérique  
et  
Hongrie**

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**TREATY  
BETWEEN  
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA  
AND  
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF HUNGARY  
ON EXTRADITION**

The Government of the United States of America and the  
Government of the Republic of Hungary,

Recalling the Convention for the Mutual Delivery of  
Criminals, Fugitives from Justice, in Certain Cases, signed at  
Washington July 3, 1856;

Noting that both the Government of the United States of  
America and the Government of the Republic of Hungary currently  
apply the terms of that Treaty;

Desiring to provide for more effective cooperation between  
the two States in the suppression of crime, and for that  
purpose, to conclude a new treaty for the extradition of  
offenders;

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1

Obligation to Extradite

The Contracting Parties agree to extradite to each other, pursuant to the provisions of this Treaty, persons whom the authorities in the Requesting State have charged with or found guilty of an extraditable offense.

Article 2

Extraditable Offenses

1. An offense shall be an extraditable offense if it is punishable under the laws in both Contracting Parties by deprivation of liberty for a period of more than one year, or by a more severe penalty.
2. An offense shall also be an extraditable offense if it consists of an attempt to commit, or participation in the commission of, an offense described in paragraph 1 of this Article. Any type of association to commit offenses described in paragraph 1 of this Article, as provided by the laws of Hungary, and conspiracy to commit an offense described in paragraph 1 of this Article, as provided by the laws of the United States, shall also be extraditable offenses.

3. For the purposes of this Article, an offense shall be an extraditable offense:

- a. whether or not the laws in the Contracting Parties place the offense within the same category of offenses or describe the offense by the same terminology;
- b. whether or not the offense is one for which United States federal law requires the showing of such matters as interstate transportation or use of the mails or of other facilities affecting interstate or foreign commerce, such matters being merely for the purpose of establishing jurisdiction in a United States federal court.

4. If the offense has been committed outside the territory of the Requesting State, extradition shall be granted if the laws of the Requested State provide for the punishment of an offense committed outside of its territory in similar circumstances. If the laws of the Requested State do not so provide, the executive authority of the Requested State may, in its discretion, grant extradition.

5. If extradition has been granted for an extraditable offense, it shall also be granted for any other offense specified in the request even if the latter offense is