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AGREEMENT

between

The Government of the United States of America

and

The Government of the Kingdom of Swaziland

(hereinafter called "the Parties")

**Regarding the Surrender of Persons to the
International Criminal Court**

Reaffirming the importance of bringing to justice those who commit genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes,

Recalling that the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court done at Rome on July 17, 1998 by the United Nations Diplomatic Conference of Plenipotentiaries on the Establishment of an International Criminal Court is intended to complement and not supplant national criminal jurisdiction,

Considering that the Government of the United States of America has expressed its intention to investigate and to prosecute where appropriate acts within the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court alleged to have been committed by its officials, employees, military personnel or other nationals,

Bearing in mind Article 98 of the Rome Statute,

The Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. For purposes of this Agreement, "persons" are current or former Government officials, employees (including contractors), or military personnel or nationals of the United States of America.
2. Persons of the United States of America present in the territory of the Kingdom of Swaziland shall not, absent the express consent of the Government of the United States of America,