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**SWEDEN
and
MALAYSIA**

**Agreement on economic, technical and scientific co-operation.
Signed at Stockholm on 9 April 1985**

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Registered by Sweden on 25 April 1986.

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**Accord de coopération économique, technique et scientifique.
Signé à Stockholm le 9 avril 1985**

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AGREEMENT¹ ON ECONOMIC, TECHNICAL AND SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF SWEDEN AND THE GOVERNMENT OF MALAYSIA

The Government of Sweden and the Government of Malaysia (hereinafter referred to as the Contracting Parties),

Desirous of expanding and intensifying mutual relations in the field of economic, technical and scientific cooperation on a lasting and long-term basis,

Convinced of the necessity of lasting and effective cooperation in the interest of both countries,

Confirming their interest in the strengthening of mutual cooperation,

Have agreed as follows:

Article I. The Contracting Parties shall endeavour to utilize the possibilities offered by the economic development of both countries for the purpose of intensifying their mutual economic, technical and scientific relations.

Article II. The Contracting Parties consider that economic, technical and scientific cooperation of mutual interest can be realized in various sectors. The forms of such cooperation will be agreed upon by the Joint Commission to be established in accordance with Article III.

Article III. (1) A Joint Commission for economic, technical and scientific cooperation shall be established in order to facilitate the implementation of this Agreement.

(2) The Joint Commission shall meet at the request of either Contracting Party for the purpose of:

- a) Reviewing economic, technical and scientific relations between Sweden and Malaysia.
- b) Considering ways and means of promoting economic, technical and scientific cooperation between the two countries.
- c) Discussing any other matter pertaining to the implementation of this Agreement.

(3) The composition and procedures of the Joint Commission shall be agreed upon by the Contracting Parties. The Joint Commission may establish working-groups to deal with specific subjects brought before it.

Article IV. This Agreement shall enter into force thirty days after the Contracting Parties have notified each other that the constitutional requirements for the entry into force of this Agreement have been complied with.

Article V. This Agreement shall remain in force for a period of five years and, upon the expiry thereof, shall automatically remain in force for further periods of one year each unless either Contracting Party notifies the other in writing through diplomatic channels of its intention to terminate the Agreement, at least 6 months prior to the expiry of any one period.

¹ Came into force on 8 September 1985, i.e., 30 days after the Contracting Parties had notified each other (on 7 June and 9 August 1985) of the completion of their constitutional requirements, in accordance with article IV.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective Government, have signed this Agreement.

DONE at Stockholm this 9th day of April, 1985, in duplicate in the English language.

For the Government of Sweden:

OLOF PALME

For the Government of Malaysia:

MAHATIR BIN MOHAMAD
