

NAVAL MISSION

Agreement signed at Washington November 6, 1922

Entered into force November 6, 1922

Extended by agreement of May 21, June 30, and July 6, 1926¹

Supplemented by agreement of May 26, 1927²

Expired November 6, 1930

Treaty Series 627-A³

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE UNITED STATES OF BRAZIL

In conformity with the request made on 29 July of this year by the Brazilian Ambassador at Washington to the Secretary of State of the United States of America, the President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority conferred by the Act of Congress of June 5, 1920,⁴ entitled "An Act to authorize officers of the Naval service to accept offices with compensation and emoluments from Governments of the Republics of South America", has authorized the detail of officers constituting a Naval Mission to Brazil, upon the following agreed conditions:

ARTICLE I

Purpose and Duration

1. The purpose of the Mission is to cooperate with the Minister of Marine and with the officers of the Navy in whatever may be necessary to secure a good organization of the Navy ashore and afloat; in improving the methods of work in the shops, in the shore establishments and on board ship; in training and instructing the personnel and in drawing up and executing plans for the improvement of the Navy, for fleet exercises and for naval operations.

2. This Mission shall continue for a period of four years from the date of the signature of this agreement by the accredited representatives of the Governments of the United States of America and the United States of Brazil, unless sooner terminated or extended as hereinafter provided. The term of contract for the chief petty officers will be two years with privilege of renewals for periods of one year thereafter.

3. If the Government of Brazil desires that the services of the Mission shall be extended in whole or in part beyond the period stipulated, a proposal

¹ 1926 For. Rel. (I) 574.

² *Post*, p. 831.

³ Not previously printed.

⁴ 41 Stat. 1056.