EXCHANGE OF PUBLICATIONS

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The Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs and Worship to the American Chargé d'Affaires ad interim

[TRANSLATION]

REPUBLIC OF BOLIVIA
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
AND WORSHIP

No. T.C. 72

LA PAZ, January 26, 1942

Mr. Chargé d'Affaires:

I have the honor to state to you that, in conformity with the Legation's note no. 199 and the Foreign Office note no. 867 of December 29 last, my Government is prepared to negotiate with the Government of the United States of America an agreement on the exchange of publications and scientific and literary works which are published under the official auspices of the two Governments.

The said agreement will be based on the following provisions:

- 1. The official interchange office for the remittance of the publications of the Republic of Bolivia is the Department of Intellectual Cooperation of the Foreign Office. The official interchange office on the part of the United States of America is the Smithsonian Institute.
- 2. The publications involved in the interchange shall be forwarded, on the part of Bolivia, to the Library of Congress of the United States of America; on the part of the United States of America, to the Library of the Bolivian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, while the National Library of La Paz is in the process of organization.
- 3. The Government of the Republic of Bolivia shall remit regularly one copy of the complete series of the official publications of its different departments, ministries, universities, general directorships, banks, and other institutions. A list of the said publications with an accurate description thereof will be included in the interchange agreement (List No. 1). This list shall be amplified without previous notice as the Government may see fit to create new offices.