

## AID TO GREECE

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May 26 and June 15 and 18, 1947  
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### AGREEMENT ON AID TO GREECE

The Government of the Kingdom of Greece having requested the Government of the United States of America for financial, material and technical assistance to avert economic crisis, promote national recovery, and restore internal tranquillity; and

The Congress of the United States, in the Act approved May 22, 1947,<sup>1</sup> having authorized the President of the United States to furnish such assistance to Greece, on terms consonant with the sovereign independence and security of the two countries; and

The Government of Greece, in a note to the Government of the United States of June 15, 1947 having proposed certain measures within Greece which it deems essential to the effective use of United States assistance and of Greece's own resources in promoting reconstruction and recovery in Greece as soon as possible; and

The Government of the United States and the Government of Greece believing that the furnishing of such assistance will help to achieve the basic objectives of the Charter of the United Nations<sup>2</sup> and will further strengthen the ties of friendship between the American and Greek peoples:

The undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective Governments for that purpose, have agreed as follows:

#### ARTICLE 1

The Government of the United States will furnish the Government of Greece such assistance as the President of the United States may authorize to be provided in accordance with the Act of Congress approved May 22, 1947, and any Acts amendatory or supplementary thereto.

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<sup>1</sup> 61 Stat. 103.

<sup>2</sup> 59 Stat. 1031; TS 993.