

## HEALTH AND SANITATION PROGRAM

*Exchange of notes at Bogotá July 26 and 28, 1949, modifying and extending agreement of October 23, 1942*

*Entered into force August 4, 1949; operative from June 30, 1949*

*Program expired June 30, 1960*<sup>1</sup>

63 Stat. 2760; Treaties and Other  
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*The American Ambassador to the Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs*

No. 505

BOGOTÁ, July 26, 1949

### EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the Basic Agreement, as amended, entered into in October 1942<sup>2</sup> between the Republic of Colombia and The Institute of Inter-American Affairs, providing for the existing health and sanitation program in Colombia. I also refer to Your Excellency's note of June 28, 1949, suggesting the consideration by our respective Governments of a further extension of that Agreement.

Considering the mutual benefits which both Governments are deriving from the program, my Government agrees with the Government of Colombia that an extension of the program beyond its present termination date of June 30, 1949, would be desirable. Accordingly, I have been advised by the Department of State in Washington that arrangements may now be made for the Institute to continue its participation in the program for a period of one year, from June 30, 1949, through June 30, 1950. It would be understood that, during this period of extension, the Institute would make a contribution of \$100,000 in the currency of the United States, to the Servicio Cooperativo Interamericano de Salud Pública, for use in carrying out project activities of the program, on condition that your Government would contribute to the Servicio for the same purpose the sum of 1,960,000 pesos. The Institute would also be willing, during the same extension period, to make

<sup>1</sup> The program was extended by agreements of Sept. 15 and Oct. 20, 1950 (2 UST 548; TIAS 2203); Apr. 5 and May 2 and 31, 1955 (6 UST 5897; TIAS 3441); Apr. 25 and May 17, 1956 (7 UST 1835; TIAS 3592); and Dec. 31, 1956, and Mar. 15, 1957 (8 UST 1557; TIAS 3907).

<sup>2</sup> EAS 369, *ante*, p. 950.