

## LEND-LEASE<sup>1</sup>

*Agreement signed at Washington March 3, 1942*  
*Entered into force March 3, 1942*

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Whereas the United States of America and the United States of Brazil on the first day of October 1941<sup>2</sup> concluded an Agreement for the providing of defense articles and defense information by either country to the other country; and

Whereas the United States of America and the United States of Brazil are both desirous of modifying the Agreement concluded on the first day of October 1941 to the advantage of both parties; and

Whereas the United States of America and the United States of Brazil declare in conformity with the principles set forth in the Final Act of the Third Meeting of Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the American Republics in Rio de Janeiro, approved January 28, 1942, their determination to co-operate jointly for their mutual protection until the effects of the present aggression against the Continent have disappeared; and

Whereas the President of the United States of America, pursuant to the Act of the Congress of the United States of America of March 11, 1941,<sup>3</sup> and the President of the Republic of the United States of Brazil have determined that the defense of each of the American republics is vital to the defense of all of them;

The undersigned, being duly authorized for that purpose, have agreed as follows:

### ARTICLE I

The Agreement concluded by the United States of America and the United States of Brazil on the first day of October 1941 for the providing of defense articles and defense information by either country to the other country, shall cease to have effect upon the signing of the present Agreement. All deliveries of defense materials or defense information by either country to the other country or any payments made by either country to the other country in

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<sup>1</sup> See footnote 1, p. 905.

<sup>2</sup> *Ante*, p. 905.

<sup>3</sup> 55 Stat. 31.