

HEALTH AND SANITATION PROGRAM

Exchange of notes at La Paz July 1 and 14, 1948, modifying and extending agreement of July 15 and 16, 1942

Entered into force June 30, 1948

Program expired June 30, 1960

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The American Ambassador to the Minister of Foreign Affairs and Worship

LA PAZ, BOLIVIA
July 1, 1948

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EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the Basic Agreement between the government of Bolivia and The Institute of Inter-American Affairs, arising out of correspondence exchanged between the representative of the Institute and the Minister of Labor, Public Health and Social Welfare of Bolivia, dated July 15 and July 16, 1942,¹ respectively, as later modified and extended, which provided for the initiation and execution of the existing cooperative health and sanitation program in Bolivia. I also refer to Your Excellency's note no. P. y D. 60 of January 19, 1948, suggesting the consideration by our respective governments of a further extension of that Agreement.

As Your Excellency knows, the Basic Agreement, as amended, provides that the cooperative health and sanitation program will terminate on June 30, 1948. However, considering the mutual benefits which both governments are deriving from the program, my Government agrees with the Government of Bolivia that an extension of such program would be desirable. 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 cooperative program for a period of one year, from June 30, 1948, through June 30, 1949. It would be understood that, during such period of extension the Institute would make a contribution of \$100,000 U.S. Cy. to the Servicio Cooperativo Inter-Americano de Salud Pública, for use in carrying out project activities of the program, on condition that your Government would con-

¹ EAS 300, *ante*, p. 759.