

HEALTH AND SANITATION PROGRAM

Exchange of notes and extension agreement signed at Quito June 21, 1947, supplementing and extending agreement of February 24, 1942, as supplemented and extended

Entered into force June 21, 1947; operative January 1, 1948

Program expired June 30, 1960

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

EMBASSY OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Quito, June 21, 1947

No. 211

EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the Embassy's note no. 503 of December 23, 1944 and the Ministry's reply, note no. 12-DDP-3 of January 15, 1945,¹ the exchange of communications under which our governments agreed to continue until December 31, 1947 the cooperative program of public health and sanitation in Ecuador initiated in 1942.²

Since Your Excellency's Government expressed a desire for an extension of this agreement, and since my government was agreeable to extend it in modified form to June 30, 1948, Dr. Charles H. Miller, Special Representative of the Institute of Inter-American Affairs, undertook to discuss the matter with the appropriate officials of the Ecuadoran Ministry of Social Welfare and Labor. Approval of these direct discussions between Dr. Miller and the Ministry of Social Welfare and Labor was given during my recent conversation with the Under Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Relations.

Enclosed is a copy of the agreement which they reached as signed today by Dr. Miller for the Institute of Inter-American Affairs and by Dr. Adolfo Jurado Gonzalez for the Ministry of Social Welfare and Labor.

I would be glad if Your Excellency would be so good as to confirm to me your approval of the proposals set forth in this agreement.

¹ EAS 473, *ante*, p. 398.

² Exchange of notes at Washington Feb. 24, 1942 (EAS 379), *ante*, p. 368.