

HEALTH AND SANITATION PROGRAM

*Exchange of notes at Rio de Janeiro July 22 and August 31, 1949, extending agreement of March 14, 1942, as amended and extended
Entered into force October 4, 1949; operative from June 30, 1949
Expired December 31, 1949
Program terminated October 3, 1960*¹

63 Stat. 2777; Treaties and Other
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The American Ambassador to the Minister of Foreign Affairs

No. 134

RIO DE JANEIRO, July 22, 1949

EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the Basic Agreement, as amended, entered into in March 1942² on behalf of the Republic of the United States of Brazil and The Institute of Inter-American Affairs, providing for the present cooperative health and sanitation program in Brazil. I also refer to the note of Your Excellency's Ministry of July 2, 1949, DAI/80/512.(22), 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 Brazil 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 six months from June 30, 1949 through December 31, 1949. It would be understood that the Institute will continue to pay salaries and other expenses of its health and sanitation field staff in Brazil during the period of such extension and that no additional financial contribution would be required to be made by the parties to such extension agreement to or on behalf of the Serviço Especial de Saude Pública. It would be further understood that the unexpended and unobligated balance of all financial contributions heretofore made available by the parties pursuant to the mentioned Basic Agreement, as amended, for the cooperative health and sanitation program, and remain-

¹ Pursuant to notice of termination given by Brazil Aug. 4, 1960.

² EAS 372, *ante*, p. 919.