

## INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE

*Protocol signed at Rome April 21, 1926*

*Senate advice and consent to adherence May 1, 1934*

*Adherence declared by the President of the United States August 25, 1934*

*Declaration of United States adherence deposited at Rome January 15, 1936*<sup>1</sup>

*Entered into force January 1, 1927; for the United States August 25, 1934*

*Proclaimed by the President of the United States January 24, 1936*

*Terminated February 27, 1948,*<sup>2</sup> *in accordance with terms of article III of protocol of March 30, 1946,*<sup>3</sup> *providing for dissolution of the Institute and transfer of its functions and assets to the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations*

49 Stat. 3350; Treaty Series 903

[TRANSLATION]

### PROTOCOL RELATIVE TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF JUNE 7, 1905

The undersigned, duly authorized by their respective Governments, have agreed as follows:

Paragraphs 3 and 4 of article 10 of the International Convention of June 7, 1905,<sup>4</sup> for the creation of the International Institute of Agriculture, are replaced by the following text:

“The amount of the contribution is fixed each year as follows: The number of the units of subscription is multiplied by the number of countries in each group; the total thus calculated gives the number of units by which the

<sup>1</sup> In depositing the instrument of adherence by the United States, the American Ambassador at Rome, in a note of Jan. 15, 1936, to the Italian Undersecretary of State for Foreign Affairs, stated that the adherence of the United States to the protocol “extends to and embraces Hawaii, the Philippines, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, which at its request, made in 1924, were admitted to form part of the International Institute of Agriculture, in conformity with the last paragraph of Article 10 of the Convention of June 7, 1905.”

<sup>2</sup> For explanation of termination date, see footnote 1, p. 4, of TIAS 1719. For text of Final Act of the Permanent Committee of the Institute, dated Feb. 27, 1948, see *Department of State Bulletin*, June 27, 1948, p. 828.

<sup>3</sup> TIAS 1719, *post*, vol. 4.

<sup>4</sup> TS 489, *ante*, vol. 1, p. 439.

total expenditure authorized by the General Assembly shall be divided, reckoned in the currency of Italy, where the Institute has its headquarters, and after deducting the receipts other than the contributions of the states; the quotient gives the amount of the unit of subscription.

“In no case shall the contribution corresponding to each unit of subscription exceed the sum of 4,000 gold francs as a maximum.

“Contributions paid after the close of the financial year shall be deducted from the expenditure of the following year.”

The present protocol shall take effect on January 1, 1927.

ROME, *April 21, 1926.*

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Austria:		RENÉ BESNARD	[SEAL]
LOTHAR EGGER	[SEAL]	LOUIS DOP	[SEAL]
Subject to ratification.		Madagascar:	
Belgium:		RENÉ BESNARD	[SEAL]
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Belgian Congo:		Morocco (French zone):	
P. DE VUYST	[SEAL]	RENÉ BESNARD	[SEAL]
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Egypt:		Canada:	
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Japan:		Portugal:	
M. MATSUDA	[SEAL]	HENRIQUE TRINDADE COELHO	[SEAL]
Latvia:		Rumania:	
PIERRE LEYA	[SEAL]	With the specification that Rumania adheres to the contribution of states of the second category.	
Lithuania:		N. M. VLADESCO	[SEAL]
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Netherlands:			
A. VAN DER GOES	[SEAL]		

I hereby declare that my signature is given for India on the understanding that the Government of India accept the new method of fixing the contribution of the states acceding to the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome and agree to the amendments to paragraphs 3 and 4 of article 10 of the convention of June 7, 1905, subject to the reservation that if in any year their liability as a member of group II under the new system exceeds 11,000 rupees per annum in terms of Indian currency, they reserve to themselves the liberty of withdrawing to a lower group.

RONALD GRAHAM