



Treaty Series No. 68 (1976)

Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
and the Government of Jamaica

amending and extending the British Expatriates Supplementation (Jamaica) Agreement 1971

(British Expatriates Supplementation (Jamaica) (Continuance)
Agreement 1971/76)

Kingston, 25/26 February, 1976

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by the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs
by Command of Her Majesty
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**EXCHANGE OF NOTES
BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM
OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND
AND THE GOVERNMENT OF JAMAICA
AMENDING AND EXTENDING THE BRITISH EXPATRIATES
SUPPLEMENTATION (JAMAICA) AGREEMENT 1971**

No. 1

*The United Kingdom High Commissioner at Kingston to the
Minister of External Affairs of the Government of Jamaica*

Kingston,

25 February, 1976

Sir,

I have the honour to refer to discussions that have taken place between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of Jamaica concerning the continuance of the British Expatriates Supplementation (Jamaica) Agreement 1971⁽¹⁾ (hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement") and certain matters related to passage costs and medical expenses and to propose that the Agreement be amended as follows:

1. In sub-paragraph 2 of paragraph 1 delete the words "allowances, grant and gratuity" and substitute therefor the words "salary supplement, allowance, grant, gratuity and medical expenses".
2. In sub-paragraph 3 of paragraph 1 delete the words and figures "31 March 1976" and substitute therefor the words and figures "31 March 1977".
3. To paragraph 2 of the Second Annex add a further sub-paragraph to read "(d) medical expenses necessarily incurred on treatment not available under the local health service at such rates as may be specified from time to time by the Government of the United Kingdom".
4. After paragraph 3 of the Second Annex insert the following paragraph [3A] "The Government of the United Kingdom will reimburse the employing authority the amount paid by the employing authority in providing for designated officers and their dependent families passages on such occasions (not being occasions referred to in paragraph 3 of this annex) as the Government of Jamaica may with the prior concurrence of the Government of the United Kingdom prescribe. Passages for the designated officers and their dependent families should be where available by United Kingdom carrier and where practicable by excursion or charter flight".

(1) Treaty Series No. 104 (1972), Cmnd. 5088

2. If these proposals are acceptable to the Government of Jamaica, I have the honour to propose that this Note and your reply to that effect shall constitute an Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of Jamaica which shall enter into force on 31 March 1976 and which shall be cited together with the Agreement as the British Expatriates Supplementation (Jamaica) (Continuance) Agreement 1971/76.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
JOHN HENNINGS
High Commissioner

No. 2

*The Minister of External Affairs of the Government of Jamaica to the
United Kingdom High Commissioner at Kingston*

*Kingston,
26 February, 1976*

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Note of 25th February, 1976, which reads as follows:

[As in No. 1]

I confirm that the proposals in your Note are acceptable to the Government of Jamaica and that your Note and this reply shall constitute an Agreement between the Government of Jamaica and the Government of the United Kingdom which shall enter into force on 31 March 1976 and shall be cited together with the Agreement as the British Expatriates Supplementation (Jamaica) (Continuance) Agreement 1971/76.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to you, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

DUDLEY J. THOMPSON
Minister of External Affairs