

No. 116/06

The Embassy of the United States of America presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania and has the honor to refer to participation in the African Contingency Operations Training and Assistance (ACOTA) program. The Government of the United States of America warmly welcomes the decision by the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania to participate in the ACOTA program by committing Tanzanian People's Defense Forces efforts to this growing international program and looks forward to the many opportunities for continued cooperation to enhance African peace support operations capacity in the months and years ahead.

The United Republic of Tanzania brings into the program a reputation for its professional military, respected for long-established traditions of apolitical response to an elected government, and a commitment to peacekeeping and regional stability. The United Republic of Tanzania stands with a group of distinguished African nations committed to improving collective African capacity to prevent, manage, and resolve crises on the continent.

The Government of the United States of America and our ACOTA partners believe the way ahead should be based upon principles of long-term and sustained capacity enhancement, legitimacy, openness, and transparency. Every aspect of this program's commitment to African stability and security is founded on these principles.

The Embassy of the United States of America refers to earlier discussions between representatives of the two Governments regarding grants under the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, or successor legislation, and the furnishing of defense articles, related training, including training materials, and other defense services, including pursuant to the United States International Military and Education Training Program, from the United States of America to the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania.

In accordance with these discussions, it is proposed that the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania agree:

A. That unless the consent of the Government of the United States of America has been first obtained the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania shall not:

I. Permit any use of such defense and articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services by anyone not an officer, employee or agent of the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania;

II. Transfer, or permit any officer, employee or agent of the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania to transfer, such defense articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services by gift, sale or otherwise; or

III. Use, or permit the use of, such defense articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services for purposes other than those for which provided;

B. That such defense articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services shall be returned to the Government of the United States of America when they are no longer needed for the purposes for which they were furnished, unless the Government of the United States of America consents to another disposition;

C. That the net proceeds of sale received by the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania in disposing of, with prior consent of the Government of the United

States of America, any defense article furnished by the Government of the United States of America on a grant basis, including scrap from any defense article, shall be paid to the Government of the United States of America;

D. That the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania shall maintain the security of such defense articles, related training, including training materials, and other defense services; that it shall provide substantially the same degree of security protection afforded to such defense articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services by the Government of the United States of America; that it shall, as the United States of America may require, permit continuous observation and review by, and furnish necessary information to, representatives of the Government of the United States of America with regard to the use thereof by the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania; and

E. That the Government of the United States of America may also, from time to time, make the provision of articles or services furnished under other authority (except the United States Arms Export Control Act) subject to the terms and conditions of the agreement proposed herein. (Transfers under the United States Arms Export

Control Act shall continue to be governed by the requirements of that Act and United States regulations applicable to such transfers.)

It is further proposed that the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania agree that articles and services provided pursuant to the ACOTA program shall be subject to the terms and conditions for the agreement proposed herein.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs' note stating that the foregoing is acceptable to the Government of the Republic of Tanzania shall, together with this note, constitute an agreement between two Governments, which shall enter into force on the date of the Ministry's note.

The Embassy of the United States of America avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the United Republic of Tanzania the assurances of its highest consideration.

Embassy of the United States of America,

Dar es Salaam, May 24, 2006.

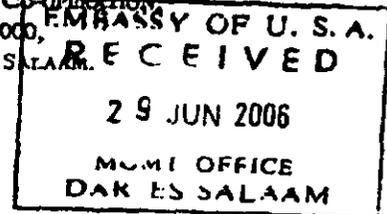
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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the United Republic of Tanzania present its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America and has the honour to acknowledge receipt of the latter's note no. 116/06 dated 24th May 2006.

The Ministry wishes to inform the esteemed Embassy that the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania is willing to participate in the African Contingency Operations Training and Assistance (ACOTA) program.

The Government of the United Republic of Tanzania agrees;

That unless the consent of the Government of the United States of America has been first obtained the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania shall not:

Permit any use of such defense and articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services by any one not an officer, employee or agent of the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania;

1. Transfer, or permit any officer, employee or agent of the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania to transfer, such defense articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services by gift, sale or otherwise; or

1. Use, or permit the use of, such defense articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services for purposes other than those for which provided;

. That such defense articles, related training, including training materials, or other defense services shall be returned to the Government of the United States of America when they are no longer needed for the purposes for which they were furnished, unless the Government of the United States of America consents to another disposition;

. That the net proceeds of sale received by the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania in disposing of, with prior consent of the Government of the United States of America, any defense article furnished by the Government of the United States of America;

That the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania shall maintain the security of such defense articles, related training, including training materials, and other defense services; that it shall provide substantially the same degree of security protection afforded such defense articles, related training, including training materials,

or other defense services by the Government of the United States of America; that it shall, as the United States of America may require, permit continuous observation and review by, and furnish necessary information to, representatives of the Government of the United States of America with regard to the use thereof by the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania; and

E. That the Government of the United States of America may also, from time to time, make the provision of articles or services furnished under other authority (except the United States Arms Export Control Act) subject to the terms and conditions of the agreement proposed herein. (Transfers under the United States Arms Export Control Act shall continue to be governed by the requirements of the Act and United States regulations applicable to such transfers.)

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the United Republic of Tanzania has the honour to confirm that the proposal set forth in the Embassy's note 116/06 is acceptable to the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania and that the Embassy's note 116/06 and this note in reply shall constitute an agreement between the two governments which shall enter into force on this date of the Ministry's note.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the United Republic of Tanzania avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the United States of America the assurances of its highest consideration.