

2. The Project shall be deemed to be complete when

- (a) The reservoir has filled to full supply level and is ready for operation; or
- (b) The two units of the power station have been completed and in operation for twelve months; or
- (c) The 5,000 hectares of irrigation are in operation, whichever is the latest.

#### ARTICLE IX

##### *Settlement of Disputes*

Settlement of disputes arising out of the interpretation of this Agreement between the Government and a Co-operating Member or members shall first be sought through diplomatic channels. If an agreed settlement is not reached between the Parties, either Party may request the Secretary-General of the United Nations to lend his good offices for the purpose of solving the disputes.

#### ARTICLE X

##### *Additional Co-operating Members*

Any Government, or intergovernmental organization, not a Party to this Agreement, may, with the prior approval of the Parties hereto and in accordance with such arrangements as they shall agree upon, become a Co-operating Member.

#### ARTICLE XI

##### *Termination*

This agreement shall terminate upon completion of the Project.

#### ARTICLE XII

##### *Entry into Force*

This agreement shall be opened for signature from 23rd September 1968 and shall enter into force on the date when all the Parties mentioned in the Preamble to the Agreement have signed it. In witness whereof the undersigned duly authorized thereto have signed the present Agreement.

The text of this Agreement, in the English and French languages, in a single copy in each language, will be deposited in the archives of United Nations which shall communicate certified copies thereof to each of the Parties to this Agreement, it being agreed and understood that the English and French texts shall be considered equally authentic.