



THE TEXTS OF THE INSTRUMENTS RELATING TO A PROJECT  
FOR A JOINT AGENCY-NORWEGIAN PROGRAMME OF  
RESEARCH WITH THE ZERO POWER REACTOR "NORA"

Text of a Supplementary Agreement

The text of a Supplementary Agreement to amend the Supply Agreement concerning the NORA project [1], which Supplementary Agreement was approved by the Board of Governors on 18 June 1962 and which entered into force on 3 September 1962, is reproduced in this document for the information of all Members of the Agency.

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[1] INFCIRC/29, part I.

SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT TO AMEND THE CONTRACT FOR THE LEASE  
OF ENRICHED URANIUM FOR THE NORA REACTOR

WHEREAS the International Atomic Energy Agency (hereinafter called the "Agency") and the Government of Norway (hereinafter called "Norway") on 10 April 1961 signed an Agreement Relating to an Agency Project for Co-operation in carrying out a Joint Program of Research in Reactor Physics with the Zero Power Reactor "NORA" (hereinafter called the "Project Agreement");

WHEREAS the Agency, Norway and the United States Atomic Energy Commission (hereinafter called the "Commission"), acting on behalf of the Government of the United States of America, on 16 March and 10 April 1961 signed a Contract for the Lease of Enriched Uranium (hereinafter called the "Supply Agreement") for the Joint Research Program;

WHEREAS the Joint Scientific Program Committee, established by the Agency and Norway for the Joint Program, has recommended the carrying out of certain experiments within the framework of the Program, which experiments would require the modification of certain restrictions, contained in Sections 27 and 28 of the Supply Agreement, concerning the use of the enriched uranium leased under it; and

WHEREAS the parties to the Supply Agreement desire to further the carrying out of the above-mentioned experiments and are prepared to make the necessary modifications in that Agreement;

NOW THEREFORE the Agency, Norway and the Commission, acting on behalf of the Government of the United States of America, hereby agree as follows:

Section 1. Notwithstanding the conflicting restrictions in Sections 27 and 28 of the Supply Agreement, Norway, in order to carry out experiments approved by the Joint Scientific Program Committee in implementation of the Joint Research Program, may disassemble a total of 60 fuel elements leased pursuant to that Agreement (including any elements disassembled in accordance with Section 28 of the Agreement) and use these elements or the fuel in them in subcritical assemblies at the establishment of the Norwegian Institutt for Atomenergi at Kjeller, Norway.

Section 2. It is understood by the parties to the Project Agreement that, in applying the provisions of that Agreement to the operations carried out pursuant to this Supplementary Agreement, the references to the NORA reactor in Annex C to the Project Agreement shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to the subcritical assemblies.

Section 3. This Supplementary Agreement shall enter into force upon signature by or for the Director General of the Agency and by the duly authorized representatives of the Commission and Norway.

DONE in triplicate in the English language:

For the INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY:

(signed) Sigvard Eklund

Vienna

3 September 1962

For the GOVERNMENT OF NORWAY:

(signed) Torfinn Oftedal

Vienna

3 September 1962

For the UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION  
on behalf of the GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:

(signed) Myron B. Kratzer

U.S. Atomic Energy Commission

27 July 1962