

CUBA – UNITED STATES

Maritime Boundary Agreement Between the United States of America and the Republic of Cuba

This agreement was signed December 16, 1977 and, in accordance with Article V, the Parties agreed to “apply the terms of this Agreement provisionally from January 1, 1978, for a period of two years....” Every two years since then the two Governments have exchanged diplomatic notes to continue provisional application, as follows:

1979 (for 1980-81): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic (in Washington, D.C., Cuban Interests Section) dated December 27, 1979; Cuban Interests Section, Czechoslovak Embassy, Washington Note to the Secretary of State dated December 28, 1979 (TIAS 9732, 32 UST 840).

1981 (for 1982-83): Czechoslovak Ambassador (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated December 16, 1981; Department of State Note to the Czechoslovak Ambassador dated December 28, 1981 (TIAS 10327, 33 UST 4652).

1983 (for 1984-85): Czechoslovak Ambassador (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated December 27, 1983; Acting Secretary of State Note to the Czechoslovak Ambassador dated December 30, 1983 (TIAS 10913).

1985 (for 1986-87): Secretary of State Note to the Czechoslovak Ambassador (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) dated November 20, 1985; Czechoslovak Ambassador (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated December 3, 1985 (TIAS 11288).

1987 (for 1988-89): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic (in Washington, D.C., Cuban Interests Section) dated December 16, 1987; Embassy of Czechoslovak Socialist Republic (Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated December 21, 1987.

1989 (for 1990-91): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of Czechoslovakia (Washington, D.C., Cuban Interests Section) dated December 26, 1989; Ambassador of the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic (Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated December 26, 1989.

1991 (for 1992-93): Embassy of Switzerland (Cuban Interests Section) Note to the U.S. Secretary of State dated December 23, 1991; U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) dated February 4, 1992; with effect from January 1, 1992.

1993 (for 1994-95): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) dated December 30, 1993; Embassy of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C. Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated January 5, 1994; with effect from January 1, 1994.

1995 (for 1996-97): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) dated December 19, 1995; Embassy of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C. Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated February 13, 1996; with effect from January 1, 1996.

1997 (for 1998-99): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) dated December 30, 1997; Embassy of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C., Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated March 30, 1998; with effect from January 1, 1998.

1999 (for 2000-01): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) dated November 19, 1999; Embassy of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C. Cuban Interests Section) Note to the Secretary of State dated January 5, 2000; with effect from January 1, 2000.

2001 (for 2002-03): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of the Swiss Confederation (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) dated November 19, 2001; Embassy of Switzerland (in Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Government of Cuba) Note No. 361.1 to the Secretary of State dated January 5, 2002; with effect from January 1, 2002.

2003 (for 2004-05): U.S. Department of State Note to the Ambassador of Switzerland (in Washington,

D.C., on behalf of the Cuban Interests Section) dated December 16, 2003; Ministry of Foreign Relations of Cuba Note No. 3868 to the Embassy of Switzerland (in Havana, U.S. Interests Section) dated December 30, 2003.