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**INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE  
SPECIAL AGREEMENT**

BETWEEN THE STATE OF TARKOCIA (APPLICANT) AND THE STATE OF  
PLOURAD (RESPONDENT) TO SUBMIT TO THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF  
JUSTICE THE DISPUTE BETWEEN THE PARTIES CONCERNING ZEENA  
WATER TREATY AND RELATED ISSUES

Jointly notified to the Court on 4 November 2016



**JOINT NOTIFICATION ADDRESSED TO THE REGISTRAR OF THE  
COURT:**

The Hague, 4 November 2016

On behalf of the State of Tarkocia (“the Applicant”) and the State of Plourad (“the Respondent”), in accordance with Article 40(1) of the Statute of the International Court of Justice, we have the honour to present before you the original Special Agreement for submission, to the International Court of Justice, of the dispute between the Applicant and the Respondent concerning Zeena Water Treaty and related issues, signed in The Hague, The Netherlands, on the 4 November in the year two thousand sixteen.



**SPECIAL AGREEMENT**

SUBMITTED TO THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE  
BY THE STATE OF TARKOCIA AND THE STATE OF PLOURAD ON THE  
DISPUTE CONCERNING ZEENA WATER TREATY AND RELATED ISSUES

**The State of Tarkocia and the State of Plourad,**

*Considering* that differences have arisen between them, concerning state responsibility to implement Zeena Water Treaty and related issues;

*Recognizing* that the Parties concerned have been unable to settle the dispute by negotiation;

*Desiring* further to define the issues to be submitted to the International Court of Justice (hereinafter “the Court”) for settling this dispute;

In furtherance thereof the Parties have concluded the following Special Agreement:

***Article 1***

The Parties submit the questions contained in the Special Agreement (together with Corrections and Clarifications to follow) to the Court pursuant to Article 40(1) of the Court’s Statute.

***Article 2***

It is agreed by the Parties that State of Tarkocia shall act as Applicant and the State of Plourad as Respondent, but such agreement is without prejudice to any question of the burden of proof.

***Article 3***

(a) The Court is requested to decide the Case on the basis of the rules and principles of international law, including any applicable treaties.

(b) The Court is also requested to determine the legal consequences, including the rights and obligations of the Parties, arising from its Judgment on the questions presented in the Case.

***Article 4***

(a) Procedures shall be regulated in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Official Rules of the Third VIPS International Law Moot Court Competition.

(b) The Parties request the Court to order that the written proceedings should consist of Memorials presented by each of the Parties not later than the date set forth in the Official Schedule of the Third VIPS International Law Moot Court Competition.

*Article 5*

(a) The Parties shall accept the Judgment of the Court as final and binding and shall execute it in its entirety and in good faith.

(b) Immediately after the transmission of any Judgment, the Parties shall enter into negotiations on the modalities for its execution.

In witness whereof, the undersigned, being duly authorized, have signed the present *Compromis* and have affixed thereto their respective seals of office.

Done in The Hague, The Netherlands, this 4th day of November in the year two thousand sixteen, in triplicate in the English language.

Ambassador of the State of Tarkocia to the Kingdom of The Netherlands

Ambassador of the State of Plourad to the Kingdom of The Netherlands

*The State of Tarkocia (Applicant)*

v.

*The State of Plourad (Respondent)*

— ADVOCATES LEGION —

## BACKGROUND

1. Tarkocia, an agriculture based economy is a neighbouring country of Plourad. Plourad is a country with a large expanse projecting into and bounded by the Pacific Ocean on the West and the Eastern borders running along with the plains of Tarkocia. Plourad's border with Tarkocia runs up to 19,896 kms along with the four Plourad States namely: Greyfield, Awckland, Medrid and Zurawd (popularly known as GAMZ) adjoining with the Tarkocian border states of Farlin and Ashtrid. A trans-border river: Zeena, after running through 2,340 Kms in Plourad turns south around the Jita Hills below Medrid, enters the plains of Tarkocian Ashtrid and spreads out to the one-third area of Tarkocia as Zeena is the largest braided river in the continent. About 42% of the Tarkocian population depends on river Zeena for irrigation and drinking water supplies.
2. Tarkocia and Plourad have cross border enclaves. There are 11 enclaves of Tarkocia on Plourad's territory comprising a total area of roughly 130 Square Kms and nine enclaves of Plourad measuring up to 113 Square Kms of its territory are on Tarkocian soil. Both states had an unwritten understanding that the water of the river Zeena will be used by both states for drinking, irrigation, power, as also for transportation. River- Zeena flows through Plourad first; thus, Plourad is using it for irrigation, transport and power generation, while laying down precise self-inflicted practice on itself that it will not stop the water without any reasonable ground and or with any malafide intention. Thus, Zeena used to flow from Plourad to Tarkocia and then Tarkocia will also use water of Zeena for drinking, irrigation and power generation purpose. However, Tarkocia has a consistent fear that since the source-rivers of Zeena basin were in Plourad, it could potentially create droughts and famines in Tarkocia, especially at times of war, but as both were having cross border enclaves, hence both, especially Tarkocia follows the water distribution system as they were following as a matter of state practice. Both have ratified 1997 United Nations Watercourses Convention. Tarkocia and Plourad wanted to set up a common management committee for the river Zeena, but as they were having some more differences, each time the efforts towards setting a committee failed. Zeena Water Treaty was signed by both the states in the year 2010. The main provisions of Zeena Water Treaty 2010 were both states will share water of river Zeena, both states will protect waterflow of river Zeena, both states will not violate Zeena Water Treaty in any situation including internal and external armed conflict, the term of treaty will

be 20 years that is from 2010 to 2030 with a condition that no violation will take place during the tenure.

3. The borders are porous between Tarkocia and Plourad as division is not geographically strong. Citizens from Tarkocia used to enter into the territory of Plourad illegally very often and it was an ever bothering issue and has become a major source of conflict and resentment in the East Plourad region. The citizens of Tarkocia along with their families used to scatter in Plourad after the entry to work for jobs like domestic helpers, watchmen and drivers etc. According to an official statement of the Secretary, Ministry of External Relations released in the year 2014, *“in Plourad, around ten thousand people try to smuggle themselves over the border every week and however one in three gets caught, the caught ones continue trying to cross the border at least twice a year, and GAMZ bear the major brunt of these infiltrators. They affect the economy of GAMZ and also the livelihood of the ordinary and poor people, thus causing major resentment and leading to severe unrest, of the kind being witnessed in the these area...”*
4. Further, in the year 2015 the Ministry of Home affairs, Plourad issued a report on influx coming from Tarkocia to Plourad wherein multidimensional *raison d'être* of illegal entry of citizens from Tarkocia were pointed out as:
  - (i) Plourad has better employment opportunities and a good standard of living as compared to Tarkocia, there is a large wage gap between Plourad and Tarkocia, wages remain significantly higher in Plourad for a large portion of the population and many people find living in rural Tarkocia a struggle because, they have to survive with very little money and monsoon dependent techniques of agriculture, also, the farmland is often overworked and farms are considerably small.
  - (ii) On the reason of entering into territory along with the family, the report revealed that conservative Zenith religion in Tarkocia and comparatively liberal religion, called Regalism in Plourad is another pushing factor for the citizens of Tarkocia to enter into Plourad. In Tarkocia majority of population practices Zenithism, a religion that establishes supremacy of a man over woman. The condition of women was vulnerable as they were understood as the personal property of men in their families. In fact right to own property, right to work and earn livelihood, freedom of movement

and freedom of speech were also denied for the women. If the women and the families who wanted to enjoy these rights, then their so called religious leaders used to kill them on the name Zenithism. To support this fact, the 2015 report cites various news telecast on the TV channel of Tarkocia itself. According to these religious leaders, if they will suppress the women, then they would be able prove themselves supreme in the entire world. On the other hand Plourad is inhabited by Regalist population in majority believing that there is only one God and for him men and women are equal. Regalism believed in gender equality. Women and men enjoyed equal rights. Thus, most of the tamed, suppressed and fear generated non-resistant Zenith Tarkocians look forward to live in an open-minded society of Plourad. Based on sex and gender, thus many citizens along with their families were fleeing from Tarkocia and were taking refuge at Plourad.

5. The Report of 2015 was openly criticized by the then President of Tarkocia, Mr. Samuel Kregg as a dreadful attempt to tarnish the image of Tarkocia in the international community. Mr. Kregg also denied the illegal infiltration by Tarkocians in Plourad and said that Tarkocia was a stable economy with ample employment opportunities and good standard of living, leaving no reason for any Tarkocian to illegally migrate in Plourad and live a prohibited and an inferior and obscured life. In addition, the President also denied the allegations relating to vulnerable condition of women. The President, Mr. Samuel Kregg made it clear that women are safe in his country as good as men. The news telecast at Tarkocia was merely a debate of few persons and that does not mean that Tarkocia is not sensitive towards the rights of women.
6. Although Tarkocian government never agreed to, but, the infiltration in Plourad was a reality to the extent that these illegal immigrants have established their illegal colonies in the area of GAMZ. An organization, "Tarko Tigers" a body of Zenith Tarkocians working underground to facilitate immigration of Tarkocians and spreading Zenithism in Plourad, had liberal attitude in that they were recognizing men and women as equal. It was formed by the migrated (legal/illegal)Tarkocians in Plourad under the leadership of a tyrant leader Mr. F. Brendon in order to keep the Tarkocian migrants united, to strengthen the bonding and networking amongst them. This organization worked to facilitate the immigration and search for employment and arranged for a temporary shelter for infiltrators for which Tarkocia

furtively provides aid to “Tarko Tigers”. This organization was supported and joined by those Tarkocians who fled Tarkocia for the purpose of employment as also by those who flee for the purpose of gender discrimination. “Tarko Tigers” organisation was active in Plourad for more than two decades and has developed a strongly anchored grasp amongst the population in GAMZ area. “Tarko Tigers” was operating from the area surrounding Tarkocian enclaves and was guarded and protected by Tarkocians residing in these enclaves, the Tarkocian Security Forces posted and sometimes the native Plourads, due to their resentment towards their country. Between 2000 and 2014 approximately 20,000 Plourad Regalists converted to Zenithism through conversions like: forced conversions, marital-conversions between Plourads and Tarkocian immigrants and voluntary conversions in order to retain the power in the area. Such marriages and conversions have strengthened the roots of Tarko Tigers in GAMZ area and their population was increasing day by day to the extent that native Plourad population was suppressed and terrified by them and at some places forced to live like minorities as mass immigration of Tarkocians changed the demography of the area. It was apparent that Tarko Tigers were getting funds from Tarkocia and rest of the Zenithism practicing Countries all over the world, but no such links could ever be established with any country even after many probes.

7. Plourad government always actively pursued this issue with Tarkocian political Leaders and Executives whenever they visited Plourad. Since Tarkocia refused to accept that the Tarkocians were illegally migrating and at times taking refuge; Plourad decided to fence the borders and adopted push back policy, which many a times has resulted in tension on the border.

#### **FACTS UNDERLYING THE DISPUTE**

8. In 2016 parliamentary election took place in Plourad and owing the magnitude of the issue of illegal migration, ambivalence of political parties and complete denial on the part of Tarkocian government, the major agenda of the Plourad Democratic Party (PDP) was to stop illegal immigration from Tarkocia and generating more employment opportunities for Plourads living in GAMZ area as PDP wanted GAMZ to be developed as Tourism centre for Eastern-Plourad, which could bring the natives in main stream and hence was applauded widely. During election rally a legally migrated, Tarkocian Zenith student studying in Greyfield University when objected to a comment of a PDP speaker for being racist and

demeaning for Tarkocians, was beaten up badly on 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2016 who was hospitalized and saved by judicious involvement of Security Forces in Greyfield. However, this ignited tension amongst the Tarkocian and Plourad population. Few incidents of killings and damages to the property were reported in GAMZ which were somehow controlled by the state police. When on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2016, PDP won, it was reasonably understandable that situation would not remain favourable for Tarkocians immigrants and so before PDP could officially take charge and start working on their policies, suddenly infiltration from Tarkocia increased. Within one month approximately 30,000 Tarkocians entered into Plourad illegally. Various statements were issued by the Central government about their likelihood to take stern steps to stop the infiltration. The State governments in all four GAMZ states were directed from time to time to use all possible measures to stop the infiltration but Tarkocians kept on invading the border through plains and river Zeena as the monsoon was still away and river was not full, it was a very convenient point of interception.

9. On 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2016, during midnight about 9000 Tarkocians were crossing the border from the area of Medrid through the plains and river Zeena. Border Security Military (BSM) gave verbal warnings to return back however, on resentment of the same, opened fire, wherein approximately 1000 Tarkocians died and 1500 were injured, and around 100 persons were caught by the BSM, and the rest of the Tarkocians managed to flee away. On questioning those 100 persons who were caught while crossing the borders, they told that due to conservative approach of Zenith in Tarkocia, women are not able to work and even men have very less employment opportunities, thus, we are fleeing from Tarkocia to come and settle in Plourad. This statement was flashed on not only national media but also on international media.
10. It was an anxious effort to protect the territory of the Plourad State as after the incidents of the disturbance in Greyfield University, the area was already under tension and any such mass infiltration would have caused havoc in the zone and hence it was necessary to block the incursion. Plourad made arrangements for the medical treatment of injured infiltrators in Plourad government hospitals and the orders were given to the state agencies to maintain a strict record, so that each and every Tarkocian goes back to Tarkocia after getting the medical treatment.

11. While on the other hand, the organization Tarko tigers got agitated as thousands of Tarkocians were died due to BSM operation. Mr. F. Brendon, the leader of Tarko Tigers released a video which was telecasted by Tarkocian Moments Daily, a Tarkocian News Channel on 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2016 whereby he appealed the international community that right to work and freedom of movement as also realizing right to equality between men and women are the basic human rights. These rights are more important to protect rather than territorial jurisdiction and territorial sovereignty of a state. Further, he appealed the Tarkocians living in Plourad as well as Tarkocia by saying *inter alia*, “...we were killed, as for Plourad we are less of a human than them. Still they are breathing on our soil and that shows how coward we are! How can we let them live when they did not let us; so my fellow brethren; let’s give them what they deserve, let not a single Plourad breathe on our soil. We shall make them feel the sorrow of the bloodshed of their near and dear ones. Our god will never forgive us if we forgive these Plourad nonbelievers for this merciless act of inhumanity.” After this statement five Plourad enclaves in the area of Farlin and two in the area of Ashtrid were attacked by Tarkocians, and hundreds of army personnel as well as Plourad civilians were killed. Regalists and citizens of Plourad living in Tarkocia, were targeted, brutalized and killed, and their properties in Tarkocia were looted mercilessly.
12. Further on 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2016, one of the Plourad enclaves (P3) was attacked and captured by Zenith Tarkocians financially supported by “Tarko Tigers” and 150 Plourads were shot dead. In this, people who were appointed to guard the waterflow of Zeena were also killed while on duty. In addition, a video of same was released by them with a warning that everyone who would try to suppress Zenith Tarkocians ought to be prepared to bear the same deadly consequences. The video generated lot of harsh reactions and the act was criticized widely by almost all the powerful countries of the world.
13. On this, to reply back Tarkocians, next day on 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2016 Plourad stopped the water of river Zeena with a statement that Tarkocia has violated Zeena Water Treaty, thus, now onwards Plourad is not under obligation to release the water of Zeena to Tarkocia.
14. Tarkocian government never accepted its alliance with Tarko Tigers explicitly and released an official statement on 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2016 asserting that government had neither the alliance nor the control over the affairs of “Tarko Tigers” as “Tarko Tigers” is an organization working in the territory of Plourad. Whatever armed conflict is going on is an internal war of Plourad, so

thus, they have not violated Zeena Water treaty, thus as per the treaty and state practice, Plourad cannot stop waterflow of Zeena.

15. Many negotiations rounds took place to settle the dispute. At last both decided and consented each other to approach International Court of Justice. Tarkocia requested Plourad as an interim measure release water of Zeena, Plourad agreed for the same and on 30 October 2016, the water of Zeena was released till the decision of International Court of Justice.
16. Both Tarkocia and Plourad are members of the United Nations. Along with the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, 1948, both states have ratified International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, 1966, International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, 1966, Geneva Conventions, 1949 and its Additional Protocols, 1977, as also Convention on Elimination of All Types of Discrimination against Women. Tarkocia has ratified International Convention relating to the Status of the Refugees and International Convention on Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families.

#### ISSUES

17. The following issues were raised by *Tarkocia against Plourad*:

- (i) Plourad has violated Zeena Water treaty by stopping the water of Zeena. Every violation entails the responsibility of a state to give compensation. Thus, for violating Zeena Water Treaty, 2010 as also 1997 UN International Watercourses Convention, Plourad should give compensation. Due to stopping of water of Zeena, crops in Tarkocia and thus economy of Tarkocia negatively affected. All the economic loss should be reimbursed by the Plourad.
- (ii) In future, the Zeena river water should not be stopped as river Zeena is not the personal property of any state including Plourad. Plourad cannot claim absolute claim on the river Zeena by stopping its water.
- (iii) The Zeena Water treaty 2010 should be reinstated as it is. No new provision or condition can be added by either of the state including Plourad till the year 2030.
- (iv) People of Tarkocia were killed by Plourad state without any reason. The armed conflict between Tarko tigers and Plourad was an internal armed conflict, thus Plourad have violated international obligation to protect people and also violated international human rights conventions' obligation. Appropriate reparation should be given by Plourad to Tarkocia.

18. The following issues were raised by *Plourad against Tarkocia*:

- (i) Tarkocia has violated Zeena Water Treaty 2010 by creating external armed conflict and mainly by killing people who were guarding and thus protecting the water flow of river Zeena. Thus, for violating Zeena Water treaty, as also 1997 Convention of UN, Tarkocia should give compensation. River Zeena first flows from Plourad, so as per the state practice, Plourad can do anything with the water- they may allow water to flow or to stop, as river is flowing from Plourad territory.
- (ii) As Zeena Water Treaty, 2010 is violated by Tarkocia, thus the same treaty has come to an end. The same treaty cannot be reinstated once it is violated.
- (iii) Due to conservative policies of Tarkocia, human rights of people living there especially of women have been violated, thus, violating international human rights obligations. Due to violation of human rights, Tarkocia is producing refugees and migrants. Thus economy of Plourad has got disturbed. Therefore, Tarkocia should give compensation to Plourad for economical loss and burden created due to refugees and migrants produced by Tarkocia.
- (iv) The captured Plourad Enclave should be freed immediately by Tarkocia. Appropriate compensation should be given for the same. “Tarko tigers” is an organization of Zenith Tarkocians, so Tarkocia should take responsibility of criminal and civil wrongs committed by Tarko Tigers and should compensate for all the loss and damages occurred due to armed conflicts.

**ZEENA WATER TREATY**

*November 10, 2010*

**TREATY BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF PLOURAD AND THE GOVERNMENT  
OF TARKOCIA CONCERNING THE MOST COMPLETE AND SATISFACTORY  
UTILISATION OF THE WATERS OF THE ZEENA SYSTEM OF RIVERS  
*BERIDON***

**Preamble**

The Government of Plourad and the Government of Tarkocia, being equally desirous of attaining the most complete utilisation of the waters of the Zeena system of rivers and recognising the need, therefore, of fixing and delimiting, the rights and obligations of each in relation to the other concerning the use of these waters and of making provision for deciding the sharing, protecting in a cooperative spirit, implementation and term of the treaty of the provisions agreed upon herein, have resolved to conclude a Treaty in furtherance of these objectives, and for this purpose have named as their plenipotentiaries :

*THE GOVERNMENT OF PLOURAD:*

*Mr. Daniel Rodrige, Prime Minister of Plourad, and*

*THE GOVERNMENT OF TARKOCIA:*

*Mr. Ted Perkins, President of Tarkocia;*

Who, having communicated to each other their respective full powers and having found them in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles:

**Article I**

**Definitions as used in this Treaty:**

1. The terms "Article" means an Article of, this Treaty.
2. The term "Party" means the Party to the Treaty that is state of Tarkocia and state of Plourad
3. The term "The Zeena/Zeena" means the named river (including Connecting Lakes, if any).
4. The term "Connecting Lake" means any lake which receives water from, or yields water to river Zeena.

5. The term "Agricultural Use" means the use of water for irrigation, except for irrigation of household gardens and public recreational gardens.
6. The terms "Domestic Use" means the use of water for drinking, washing, bathing, recreation, sanitation (including the conveyance and dilution of sewage and of Industrial and other wastes), stock and poultry, and other like purposes;
  - A. Household and municipal purposes (including use for household gardens and public recreational gardens); and
  - B. Industrial purposes (including mining, milling and other like purposes);
  - C. Power generation
  - D. Transportation
7. The term "interference with the waters" means :
  - A. Any act of withdrawal there from; or
  - B. Any man-made obstruction to their flow which causes a change in the volume (within the practical range of measurement) of the daily flow of the water: Provided however that an obstruction which involves only an insignificant and incidental change in the volume of the daily flow, for example, fluctuations due to afflux caused by bridge piers or a temporary by-pass, etc., shall not be deemed to be an interference with the waters.
8. The term "term" means the tenure or life of the treaty.
9. The term "protecting" means guarding the flow of water of Zeena.
10. The term "external armed conflict" means as defined in Geneva Conventions 1949 and Additional Protocol, 1977
11. The term "internal armed conflict" means as defined in Additional Protocol, 1977
12. The term "treaty" means Zeena Water Treaty, 2010
13. The term "Effective Date" means the date on which this Treaty takes effect is, the first of December 2010.

## — ADVOCATES LEGION —

### Article II

#### **Sharing, Usage and Protection of water of Zeena**

- i) both states will share water of river Zeena for agricultural, domestic, household and municipal use, industrial use, power generation use as also transportation without polluting water of Zeena

- ii) both states will protect water flow of river Zeena from any interference with the water of Zeena.

### Article III

#### Implementation of the Treaty

1. Both states will not violate Zeena Water Treaty as far as possible provided that there must not occur external armed conflict wherein both states will be the parties. If in external armed conflict one of the state party is involved with some of the third party, then Zeena Water treaty should not be violated.
2. Nothing in this Treaty shall be construed as having the effect of preventing either Party from undertaking schemes of drainage, river training, conservation of soil against erosion and dredging, or from removal of stones, gravel or sand from the beds of the Rivers : Provided that:-
  - A. in executing any of the schemes mentioned above, each Party will avoid, as far as practicable, any material damage to the other Party;
  - B. any such scheme carried out by Plourad on the Zeena River shall not involve any use of water or any storage in addition to that provided under Article II;
3. Each Party will use its best endeavors to maintain the natural channels of the Rivers, as on the Effective Date, in such condition as will avoid, as far as practicable, any obstruction to the flow in these channels likely to cause material damage to the other Party.
4. Neither Party will take any action which would have the effect of diverting the Zeena Main River between Medrid and Farlin, or at the south turn of the river near Jita, from its natural channel between high banks.
5. The use of the natural channels of the Rivers for the discharge of flood or other excess waters shall be free and not subject to limitation by both Party and neither Party shall have any claim against the other in respect of any damage caused by such use. Each Party agrees to communicate to the other Party, as far in advance as practicable, any information it may have in regard to such extraordinary discharges of water from reservoirs and flood flows as may affect the other Party.
6. Each Party declares its intention to operate its storage dams, barrages and irrigation canals in such manner, consistent with the normal operations of its hydraulic systems, as to avoid, as far as feasible, material damage to the other Party.

7. Each Party declares its intention to prevent, as far as practicable and reasonable, undue pollution of the waters of the Rivers which might affect adversely uses similar in nature to those to which the waters were put on the Effective Date. Provided that the criterion of reasonableness shall be the customary practice in similar situations on the Rivers.
8. Violation of the treaty by either of the Party will attract state responsibility to give compensation to the other Party of the Treaty.

#### **Article IV**

##### **Exchange of Data**

1. The following data with respect to the flow in, and utilisation of the waters of, the Rivers shall be exchanged regularly between the Parties :
  - A. Daily (or as observed or estimated less frequently) gauge and discharge data relating to flow of the Rivers at all observation sites.
  - B. Daily extractions for or releases from reservoirs.
  - C. Daily withdrawals at the heads of all canals operated by government or by a government agency (hereinafter in this Article called canals), including link canals.
  - D. Daily escapages from all canals, including link canals.
  - E. Daily deliveries from link canals.

These data shall be transmitted monthly by each Party to the other as soon as the data for a calendar month have been collected and tabulated, but not later than three months after the end of the month to which they relate: Provided that such of the data specified above as are considered by either Party to be necessary for operational purposes shall be supplied daily or at less frequent intervals, as may be requested.

#### **Article V**

##### **The term of the Zeena Water Treaty-**

The term of treaty will be 20 years that is from 2010 to 2030 with a condition that no violation will take place during the tenure.

#### **Article VI**

##### **Final Provisions**

1. This Treaty consists of the Preamble, the Articles hereof, and may be cited as "The Zeena Water Treaty 2010"

2. This Treaty shall be ratified and the ratifications thereof shall be exchanged in Beridon. It shall enter into force upon the exchange,of ratifications, and will then take effect from the first day of December 2010.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed this Treaty and have hereunto affixed their seals.

DONE in triplicate in English at Beridon, on this Tenth day of November, 2010.

**For the Govt. of Plourad  
Mr. Daniel Rodrige**

**For the Govt. of Tarkocia  
Mr. Ted Perkins**

**10th November, 2010**

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