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Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
and the Government of the Kingdom of Tonga

amending the Treaty of Friendship
signed on August 26, 1958

Suva, June 23, 1964/Nuku'alofa, July 16, 1964

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TONGA AMENDING THE TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP SIGNED
ON AUGUST 26, 1958**

No. 1

*Her Majesty's Chief Commissioner for the Kingdom of Tonga to the
Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Tonga*

Government House, Suva,

Your Royal Highness,

23rd June, 1964.

As a result of the dissolution of the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland immediately before 1st January, 1964, it appears desirable to amend paragraph (2) of Article I of the Treaty of Friendship of 26th August, 1958,⁽¹⁾ between Her Majesty the Queen in respect of the United Kingdom and Her Majesty the Queen of Tonga. I have the honour, therefore, to propose that for the words "any citizen of the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland" appearing in the above mentioned paragraph (2) there shall be substituted the words "any citizen of Southern Rhodesia".

2. If the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of Tonga I have the honour to suggest that the present Note and Your Royal Highness's reply in that sense should be regarded as formally recording the agreement of the two Governments to amend the Treaty of Friendship of August, 1958, accordingly, with immediate effect.

I have, etc.

F. D. JAKEWAY.

⁽¹⁾ "Treaty Series No. 67 (1959)", Cmnd. 848.

*The Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Tonga to Her Majesty's
Chief Commissioner for the Kingdom of Tonga*

Nuku'alofa,

16th July, 1964.

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Your Excellency's Note of the 23rd June, 1964, in which you propose that paragraph (2) of Article 1 of the Treaty of Friendship of 26th August, 1958, between Her Majesty the Queen in respect of the United Kingdom and Her Majesty the Queen of Tonga should be amended so that for the words "any citizen of the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland" appearing in the above mentioned paragraph (2) there shall be substituted the words "any citizen of Southern Rhodesia".

2. I have the honour to inform you in reply that the Government of Tonga accept the proposed amendment and agree that your Note and the present reply shall constitute an agreement to this effect between them and the Government of the United Kingdom which shall take effect this day.

I have, etc.

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