AGREEMENT OF 21ST SEPTEMBER, 1967, BETWEEN JAPAN AND THE REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE

Japan and the Republic of Singapore,

Recalling the Joint Communiqué issued on October 25, 1966, in which the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the two countries, recognizing that an early and complete settlement of questions regarding the unhappy events in Singapore during the last war would contribute constructively to the furtherance of the friendly relations between Japan and the Republic of Singapore, agreed that fifty million Singapore dollars consisting of twenty-five million Singapore dollars in grants and twenty-five million Singapore dollars in the form of loans on special terms would be provided by Japan to the Republic of Singapore, and

Desiring to conclude an agreement regarding the grant of twenty-five million Singapore dollars referred to above, that shall be utilized for further economic development of the Republic of Singapore,

Have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE I

1. Japan shall supply in grants to the Republic of Singapore the products of Japan and the services of the Japanese people, the total value of which will be two thousand nine hundred and forty million and three thousand yen (¥2,940,003,000) at present computed at twenty-five million Singapore dollars (S$25,000,000).
2. The supply of such products and services shall be made over the period of three years from the date of the coming into force of the present Agreement, unless the period is extended by mutual agreement between the two Governments, and shall be made in reasonably even distribution during the period.

3. The products of Japan and the services of the Japanese people supplied under the present article shall be utilized for such projects as may be proposed by the Government of the Republic of Singapore and agreed to by the Government of Japan.

4. The two Governments shall conclude necessary arrangements for the implementation of the provisions of the present article.

ARTICLE II

The Republic of Singapore confirms that the questions arising out of the existence of the second world war are settled completely and finally and undertakes that neither itself nor its nationals shall raise any claims against Japan concerning those questions.

ARTICLE III

The present Agreement shall come into force on the date of receipt by the Government of the Republic of Singapore of a written notice from the Government of Japan of approval of the Agreement by Japan in accordance with its legal procedures.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed the present Agreement.

DONE in duplicate, in the English language at Singapore this 21st day of September, 1967.

For the Government of Japan:

(Signed) Tsuneaki Ueda

For the Government of the Republic of Singapore:

(Signed) Woon Wah Siang