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AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED KING-DOM AND LIBERIA MODIFYING THE TREATY OF COMMERCE OF NOVEMBER 21, 1848.

Signed at Monrovia, July 23, 1908.

WHEREAS the Treaty of Friendship and Commerce between His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India, and the President of the Republic of Liberia cannot be modified or terminated except by mutual consent on the part of the High Contracting Parties:

The Government of His Britannic Majesty and the Government of the Republic of Liberia hereby agree that any of His Majesty's Dominions mentioned below may withdraw from the treaty separately at any time on giving twelve months' notice to that effect, but that nevertheless the goods produced or manufactured in any of such Dominions shall enjoy in Liberia complete and unconditional most-favoured-nation treatment, so long as such Dominion shall accord to goods the produce or manufacture of Liberia treatment as favourable as it gives to the produce or manufacture of any other foreign country. The Dominions to which this Declaration applies are the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand, Cape of Good Hope, Natal, Newfoundland, Orange River Colony, and Transvaal, and the Indian Empire.

Done at Monrovia this twenty-third day of July in the year of Our Lord 1908.

 (L.S.) BRAITHWAITE WALLIS, *His Britannic Majesty's Consul.*
 (L.S.) F. E. R. JOHNSON,

Secretary of State.

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