

Maritime Boundaries: The Gambia / Senegal
4 June 1975

The Government of the Republic of Senegal and
The Government of the Republic of the Gambia
Considering the ties of friendship existing between their two nations;
Being motivated by the principles of the Charter of the United Nations and the Charter of the Organization of African
Unity;
Determined to establish and to maintain between them conditions favourable for the development of co-operation
between the Republic of Senegal and the Republic of the Gambia;
Desiring to settle peacefully the problem of the maritime boundaries between States;
Have concluded between them the present Treaty fixing the maritime boundaries between the Republic of Senegal and
the Republic of the Gambia, and have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The maritime boundary to the North commences from the point of intersection of the land boundary with the coast and follows the parallel of latitude 13° 35' 36" North.

Article 2

The maritime boundary to the South commences from the point T of intersection of the land boundary situated to the South of the River Allahein (or San Pedro) with the coast and of which the co-ordinates are:

Latitude: 13° 03' 51" North;
Longitude: 16° 44' 49" West.

From point T, the maritime boundary proceeds in a south-westerly direction as far as point M of which the co-ordinates are:

Latitude: 13° 01' 21" North;
Longitude: 16° 45' 19" West.

From point M, the maritime frontier proceeds in a northerly direction as far as point P of which the co-ordinates are:

Latitude: 13° 03' 27" North;
Longitude: 16° 45' 22" West.

From point P, the maritime frontier follows the parallel of latitude 13°03' 27" North.

Article 3

The boundaries defined in articles 1 and 2 above have been delimited on the basis of the French Chart No. 6125 on the scale of 1:300,500 (latitude 13°40') agreed by the Government of the Republic of the Gambia and the Government of the Republic of Senegal and of which an enlarged extract is annexed to the present Treaty.

Part II
General provisions

Article 4

The present Treaty will be ratified by each State according to its own constitutional procedures.
It will enter into force from the date of the exchange of instruments of ratification.

Article 5

The Treaty will be registered at the Secretariat-General of the United Nations Organization at the Secretariat-General of the Organization of African Unity and at the Permanent Senegalo-Gambian Secretariat.

DONE at Banjul, on 4th June 1975 in two original texts in the French language and the English language, both texts being equally authentic.