



**Annex to the Agreement  
on the Distribution of the Assi River Water  
Springing from the Lebanese Territory  
between the Lebanese Republic and the Syrian Arab Republic  
[Informal Translation]**

- a. In what concerns the basins of Yammouné - Marjhine - Jabab el Homr – Orghosh: these basins shall be considered as closed and their exploitation shall remain within the limits of the annually renewed water resources of each basin. These annually renewed sources shall be defined in coordination between the Syrian and Lebanese Parties in the joint committee.
- b. Lebwa:
- The Lebanese Party shall fully benefit from the Lebwa incoming water during the irrigation period set from the end of April until mid October; it shall also benefit from the potable water of the villages currently drinking from the source (Lebwa – Amhaz – Tawfikiyeh - Al Ain - Alnabi Othman – Sabbougha - Al Khraybe – Hlabta - El Jaboule).
  - The incoming Assi water to Hermel Bridge shall be fed during the remaining months of the year from the water of Lebwa springs and the rainwater. The Lebanese Party shall undertake to abstain from taking any measures that would limit the flow of spring water and rainwater to the Assi River. The joint technical committee shall perform the necessary calculations and measurements in order to assess the quantities.