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The Ministry of Education, Science, Culture and Sport of the Republic of Armenia and the Ministry of Gender Equality and Family of the Republic of Korea (hereinafter referred to as the "Sides"),

Desiring to expand and strengthen the friendly relations existing between the two countries and to promote cooperation in the field of youth, on the basis of mutual benefit,

Have reached the following understanding:

PARAGRAPH 1

1. This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as the "MOU") aims to encourage cooperation between the Sides in youth matters, through the exchange of information and participation in events and activities organized by the Sides.
2. All activities under this MOU will be implemented subject to the availability of budget and resources of the Sides, on the basis of the principle of reciprocity.

PARAGRAPH 2

The cooperation based on this MOU will be achieved through:

- (a) mutual exchanges of experiences between youth, representatives of youth organizations, and government officials in charge of youth policy-making;
- (b) extending invitations to international youth-related conferences and seminars held in the two countries;
- (c) exchanges of printed materials, films, experience, and other information related to youth;
- (d) encouragement of participation in youth camps, festivals, and other events organized in the two countries; and
- (e) any other activities in the field of youth that may be jointly decided upon by the Sides through diplomatic channels, in accordance with the respective laws and regulations of the two countries.

PARAGRAPH 3

The exchanges referred in Paragraph 2(a) will be implemented according to exchange program(s) developed for each year by the joint decision of the Sides at least until June 30 of the previous year. Each program will include the exact number of delegates, the schedule of visits and other issues.

PARAGRAPH 4

Any differences arising from interpretation or implementation of this MOU will be amicably resolved through negotiations and cooperation between the Sides.

PARAGRAPH 5

1. This MOU will come into effect on the date of signature and will remain in effect for a period of five (5) years. Thereafter, it will be automatically renewed for successive periods of five (5) years, unless either Side notifies the other in writing of its intention to terminate it at least six (6) months in advance.

2. The termination of this MOU will not affect any ongoing projects or activities under this MOU, unless otherwise jointly decided by the Sides.
3. This MOU may be amended with the mutual written consent of the Sides.
4. This MOU is not intended to create any legally binding rights or obligations under international law.

Done in Yerevan and Seoul on the 20th day of July, 2021 in duplicate, each in the Armenian, Korean, and English languages, all texts being equally valid. In case of any divergence in interpretation, the English text will prevail.

For the Ministry of Education, Science,
Culture and Sport of the Republic of
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