

No. 25483

**SPAIN
and
THAILAND**

Cultural Agreement. Signed at Madrid on 17 March 1987

Authentic texts: Spanish, Thai and English.

Registered by Spain on 30 November 1987.

**ESPAGNE
et
THAÏLANDE**

Accord culturel. Signé à Madrid le 17 mars 1987

Textes authentiques : espagnol, thaï et anglais.

Enregistré par l'Espagne le 30 novembre 1987.

CULTURAL AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE KINGDOM OF SPAIN AND THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND

The Kingdom of Spain and the Kingdom of Thailand, desiring to strengthen cultural relations between their peoples and convinced that cooperation and exchanges in this field will foster mutual understanding and knowledge between their peoples, have agreed as follows:

Article I. Both Parties shall endeavour to promote mutual knowledge of the cultures of their countries and to assist each other in achieving this aim.

Article II. Both Parties shall endeavour, to the extent permitted under the laws and regulations and on conditions to be mutually agreed upon, to admit cultural institutions of the other Party and as far as possible facilitate and promote their activities.

Article III. In the field of science and education, including universities and other institutions of higher education, general and vocational schools, organizations and institutions of non-school education and further adult education, school and vocational training administrations and other educational and research institutions, both Contracting Parties shall encourage cooperation in all its forms and endeavour to promote the exchange of scholars, teachers, instructors and scientists.

Article IV. Both Parties shall, to the extent permitted by its resources, provide training, further training or research scholarships for qualified students, trainees, scientists and scholars of the other country at university level.

Article V. Both Parties shall, to the extent permitted under their laws and regulations, endeavour to promote the study of the language, culture and literature of the other country by any means, as they may deem appropriate in the course of cooperation.

Article VI. In order to impart a better knowledge of the arts, literature and related fields of the other country, both Parties shall, to the extent permitted under the laws and regulations and on the basis of reciprocity, endeavour to carry out measures serving this purpose and assist each other as far as possible, particularly

1. With regard to performances by visiting individual artists and artistic groups and in the organization of concerts and other artistic performances;
2. In the organization of exhibitions;
3. In the organization of visits by representatives of the different spheres of cultural life, in particular literature, music and the interpretative and fine arts, as well as archaeology, preservation of artistic treasures and museums for the purpose of exchanging experience and participating in conferences and similar events;

¹ Came into force on 1 October 1987, the date of the last of the notifications by which the Contracting Parties informed each other (on 22 June and 1 October 1987) of the completion of the domestic requirements, in accordance with article X.

4. In the establishment of libraries and the supply and distribution of books, publications and educational materials.

Article VII. Both Parties shall seek to promote cooperation between the organizations concerned in the field of films, television and radio broadcasting.

Article VIII. Both Parties in accordance with the policies and regulations of each party shall endeavour to promote youth exchanges.

Article IX. Both Parties shall endeavour to encourage meetings between sportsmen and sports teams and to promote cooperation between the sports organizations of their countries.

Article X. This Agreement shall enter into force as soon as the Contracting Parties have informed each other that their domestic requirements for such entry into force have been fulfilled.

Article XI. This Agreement shall remain in force for five years and shall continue in force thereafter unless terminated by either Contracting Party by giving six months' written notice.

DONE in Madrid, on the seventeenth day of March 1987, in duplicate in the Spanish, Thai and English languages, all three texts being authentic.

For the Kingdom
of Spain:

[Signed]

Mr. FRANCISCO FERNÁNDEZ ORDOÑEZ
Minister of Foreign Affairs

For the Kingdom
of Thailand:

[Signed]

Mr. SIDDHI SAVETSILA
Air Chief Marshall
and Minister of Foreign Affairs