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UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND and MONGOLIA

Agreement on co-operation in the fields of education, science and culture. Signed at London on 23 April 1996

Authentic texts: English and Mongolian.

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ROYAUME-UNI DE GRANDE-BRETAGNE ET D'IRLANDE DU NORD

et MONGOLIE

Accord de coopération dans les domaines de l'éducation, de la science et de la culture. Signé à Londres le 23 avril 1996

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Enregistré par le Royaume-Uni de Grande-Bretagne et d'Irlande du Nord le 5 novembre 1996.

AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF MONGOLIA ON CO-OPERATION IN THE FIELDS OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND CULTURE

The Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of Mongolia (hereinafter referred to as "the Contracting Parties");

Desiring to strengthen and develop the friendly relations between the two countries and their peoples;

Being convinced that exchanges and co-operation in the fields of education, science and culture as well as in other fields contribute to a better mutual knowledge and understanding between the British and the Mongolian peoples;

Have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE 1

The Contracting Parties shall encourage the development of relations between their two countries in the field of education by:

- (a) encouraging and facilitating direct co-operation, contacts and exchanges between people, institutions and organisations concerned with education in the two countries;
- (b) encouraging and facilitating the study of and instruction in the languages and literature of the other Contracting Party;
- (c) encouraging and facilitating co-operation and exchanges in teaching methods and materials, curriculum development and examinations;
- (d) providing scholarships and bursaries and promoting other means to facilitate study and research.

ARTICLE 2

The Contracting Parties shall encourage and facilitate the development of exchanges and research on problems of mutual interest in the fields of science and technology, including direct co-operation between scientific and research institutions in the two countries.

ARTICLE 3

The Contracting Parties shall encourage and facilitate direct contacts in the fields of literature, the visual arts, the performing arts, film, television and radio, architecture, museums and galleries, libraries and archives and in other cultural areas.

¹ Came into force on 23 April 1996 by signature, in accordance with article 13.

ARTICLE 4

The Contracting Parties shall encourage direct co-operation between press and publishing organisations in the two countries.

ARTICLE 5

The Contracting Parties shall facilitate the exchange of information about measures to protect the national heritage.

ARTICLE 6

The Contracting Parties shall encourage respect for intellectual property rights.

ARTICLE 7

The Contracting Parties shall encourage contacts between young people and direct co-operation between youth organisations of the two countries.

ARTICLE 8

The Contracting Parties shall encourage the development of tourism between the two countries.

ARTICLE 9

The Contracting Parties shall encourage co-operation between sporting organisations and participation in sporting events in each other's countries.

ARTICLE 10

The Contracting Parties shall facilitate in appropriate ways attendance at seminars, festivals, competitions, exhibitions, conferences, symposia and meetings in fields covered by this Agreement and held in either country.

ARTICLE 11

The Contracting Parties shall encourage activities of and direct co-operation and exchanges between non-governmental organisations in all fields covered by this Agreement.

ARTICLE 12

All activities covered by this Agreement shall comply with the laws and regulations in force in the State of the Contracting Party in which they take place.

ARTICLE 13

(1) This Agreement shall enter into force on the day of signature.

(2) This Agreement shall remain in force for a period of five years and thereafter shall remain in force until the expiry of six months from the date on which either Contracting Party shall have given written notice of termination to the other through the diplomatic channel.

In witness whereof the undersigned, being duly authorised thereto by their respective governments, have signed this Agreement.

Done in duplicate at London this 23rd day of April 1996 in the English and Mongolian languages, both texts being equally authoritative.

For the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland:	For the Government of Mongolia:
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