

**EXECUTIVE PROGRAM FOR EDUCATION AND LEARNING COOPERATION
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF KUWAIT
FOR THE YEARS 2009-2011**

The Government of the Republic of India and the Government of the State of Kuwait (hereinafter referred to as "The Parties");

Desiring to strengthen bilateral relations in the field of education;

Recalling the profound impact of education on human resource, economic and social development;

Recognizing that greater linkages between both the countries in the field of education would be mutually beneficial;

Recalling the Agreement on Culture between the Government of the Republic of India and Government of Kuwait, signed on 2nd November 1970.

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The Parties shall exchange books, newspapers, microfiche and archives resources etc., to assist researchers in their fields of operations.

Article 2

The Parties shall exchange information, studies and researches in the fields of education and learning, especially relating to methods of teaching, preparation and orientation of teachers, generating educational technologies, libraries and science and educational museums.

Article 3

The Parties shall encourage visits of two responsible authorities/specialists in the fields of general education, adult education, special-needs education, and social and psychological services for one week. The Parties shall agree on the details through official communication thereof.

Article 4

The Parties shall include in their educational curricula, the concerned subjects about the history, heritage and geography of the other party's country.

Article 5

The Parties shall encourage the cooperation between their National Commissions for Education, Science and Culture (UNESCO), with the exchange of information and documents related to UNESCO's programs, and research programs that are organized in both countries.

Article 6

Both parties shall encourage conducting research seminars in the fields of science and education, in the subject of interest to both parties.

Article 7

The Parties shall encourage the exchange of books, publications, audio-visual materials in English language, in the field of scholastic education.

Article 8

The Parties shall send to the other party the information concerning their education system and equalization of their school certificates and diplomas, in order to know each other's educational system, better.

Article 9

The Parties shall encourage the visits of a group of about ten students with two supervisors to participate in sports events, cultural and educational festivals, and scout camps, in both countries during the school holidays. The Parties shall agree on the details, through official communication.

Article 10

The Parties shall encourage the visits of three experts in the fields of education and administration, for one week to get acquainted with the other party's educational and administrative methods and the ways of evaluation of employees' performance. The Parties shall agree on the details through official communication.

Article 11 General Rules

- The party who is sending the person(s)/delegation(s) shall bear the responsibilities of their travel expenses (to and return).
- The receiving party shall be responsible for the suitable accommodation (with full board) and local transportation.
- The receiving party shall be responsible for medical treatment, (in case of emergency), according to the rules prevailing in both countries.
- Any other financial expenses incurred relating to the implementation of this Executive Program shall be covered, according to the mutual agreement of the Parties and according to the financial regulations followed in both countries.

Article 12

This Executive Program shall be effective from the date of signing; and shall be for the years 2009-2011.

This Executive Program is signed in the city of Kuwait on Tuesday the 12th Rabi II, 1430 i.e. 7th April, 2009 in two originals each in three languages: Hindi, Arabic and English, all texts being equally authentic. In case of any divergence in interpretation, the English text shall prevail.

**For the Government of the
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**For the Government of the
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