

**EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF KUWAIT
ON COOPERATION IN EDUCATION AND LEARNING
FOR THE YEARS 2013-16**

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

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 countries in the field of education would be mutually beneficial;

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

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1

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

Article 2

The Participants 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 Participants 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 Participants shall agree on the details through official communication thereof.

Article 4

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

Article 5

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

Article 7

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

Article 8

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

Article 10

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

Article 11

Both Parties will encourage the exchange of experience of establishing ROBOT Clubs.

Article 12 **General Rules**

- The Participant who is sending the person(s)/delegation(s) shall bear the responsibilities of their travel expenses (to and return).
- The receiving Participant shall be responsible for the suitable accommodation (with full board) and local transportation.

- The receiving Participant 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 Participants and according to the financial regulations followed in both countries.

Article 13

This Executive Program shall be effective from the date of its signing; and shall be for the years 2013-2016 ending on March 31, 2016.

This Executive Program is signed in the city of New Delhi on this Eighth day (8th) of November 2013 in two originals each in 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
Republic of India**



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