

**CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA
AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF
KOREA FOR THE YEARS 2004-07.**

The Government of the Republic of India and the Government of the Republic of Korea (hereinafter referred to as the sides);

Recalling Cultural Agreement concluded between the Governments of the two countries on 12th August 1974;

Desirous of adopting a Cultural Exchange Programme for the period 2004-2007 to enhance cooperative activities under the Cultural Agreement;

Have agreed as follows:

I. ART AND CULTURE

- 1.1. Both sides will encourage the participation of performing arts troupes / artistes in the events / festivals to be organised in each other's country. Details will be decided by mutual consultations.
- 1.2. Both sides will facilitate the exchange of publications, books, catalogues and other necessary materials of mutual interest between museums of the two countries.
- 1.3. Both sides will exchange theatre teachers and directors. The duration of the visit will be 2 weeks for theatre teachers and 4 weeks for theatre directors.
- 1.4. Both sides will exchange a visit of one person each for a period of 2-3 weeks to study in the following fields:

- Cultural education in schools

- Documentation of the arts
- Production of cultural resources for educational purposes.

- 1.5 The Korean side will receive and organise an exhibition of Indian contemporary art duly accompanied by two delegates nominated by the Lalit Kala Akademi and the National Gallery of Modern Art in close cooperation with the National Museum of Contemporary Art of Korea.
- 1.6 The Korean side will be invited to participate in the 11th Triennale India to be organized in 2004-2005. The participant may be accompanied by a commissioner/curator. The details will be finalized through diplomatic channels.
- 1.7 Both sides will exchange the exhibition of handicrafts and works of contemporary arts on a reciprocal basis. Details will be settled through diplomatic channels.
- 1.8 Both sides will exchange a team of 5 writers. The Korean side may bring out an Anthology of Indian Contemporary Poetry in Korean. The Korean side took note that the Sahitya Akademi has brought out an Anthology of Korean Poetry.
- 1.9 The Korean side welcomed the Indian proposal to send an exhibition on the Buddhist Art of India to mark the 30th Anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between the two countries. The date, venue and other details will be worked out through diplomatic channels.
- 1.10 Both sides will encourage exchange of experts in Buddhist art and culture. The Korean side would implement this exchange through non-governmental channels.
- 1.11 Both sides will encourage exchange of archaeological experts and publications on reciprocal basis.

- 1.12 Both sides will exchange on reciprocal basis publications and other materials of mutual interest between Libraries/Institutions.
- 1.13 Both sides will exchange library experts with a view to promoting library activities in both countries.
- 1.14 The Indian side offers training facilities in the Institute of Archaeology, National Museum Institute and School of Archival Studies. Details will be worked out through diplomatic channels.
- 1.15 Both sides agree to encourage cooperation between Korea Foundation and Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR).
- 1.16 Both sides agree to explore the possibility of cooperation in the area of Information Technology application in culture.

2. YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

- 2.1 Both sides will carry out exchange of youth and representatives of youth organizations for participation in international conferences / seminars/youth camps/festivals and other youth events.
- 2.2 Both sides will share experience in the field of sports and would explore the possibilities of exchanging sports teams, coaches and administrators. The details will be decided through mutual consultations.

3. MASS MEDIA

- 3.1 Both sides will endeavour to exchange TV/Radio programmes for better understanding of each other's culture
- 3.2 Both sides will seek to enhance cooperation and exchanges in cinema and broadcasting through the following:

- (a) Facilitating exhibition of Korean films in India and Indian films in Korea in theatres as well as on television.
 - (b) Facilitating co-production between Korean and Indian producers.
 - (c) Exchange of delegations in the area of TV and cinema.
 - (d) Organizing film weeks in each other's countries with participation of two-three member delegation.
 - (e) Organizing meetings between broadcasting authorities of the two countries to work out details of cooperation.
- 3.3 Both sides will endeavour to participate in each other's international film and broadcasting festival/exposition and exchange delegations.
- 3.4 Both sides will endeavour to exchange journalists. Details will be decided by mutual consultations.

4. GENERAL AND FINANCIAL PROVISIONS

- 4.1 Activities and exchanges under this programme will be carried out within the laws, regulations and the limits of the financial resources of both sides.
- 4.2 All the activities and exchanges under this programme will be implemented on the principle of reciprocity through diplomatic channels.
- 4.3 Both sides will exchange, if necessary, delegations not included in the Programme, by mutual agreement.
- 4.4 The visiting period of the delegations will be decided by mutual consultation 2 months prior to the exchange.
- 4.5 The sending side will inform the receiving side of the composition of the delegation and other requirements, two months prior to departure.

4.6 The exchange of individuals and delegations under this programme will be implemented on a reciprocal basis pursuant to the following terms and conditions:

- (a) The sending side will bear the travel expenses to and from the place of destination.
- (b) The receiving side will bear the expenses on rent of premises of exhibitions / performances, boarding and lodging, local transportation and medical treatment for emergency during the stay in the receiving country.
- (c) Details will be determined through mutual consultations considering the characteristics of a concrete programme.

4.7 The additional proposals, if any, will be included in the programme through mutual agreement by diplomatic channels.

4.8 This Programme will continue in force for three years, which may be extended by mutual consent.

Done and signed at Seoul on December 15, 2004, in two originals in English.



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