

**A Cooperative Agreement between  
The State Administration of Foreign Experts Affairs, People's Republic of China  
and  
The Institution of Professional Engineers, Japan**

(Introduction)

Parties to this Agreement are

- a) The State Administration of Foreign Experts Affairs, People's Republic of China (hereinafter called "SAFEA") and
- b) The Institution of Professional Engineers, Japan (hereinafter called "IPEJ").

The general purpose of the agreement is to build a professional relationship and co-operation between SAFEA and IPEJ. This agreement is intended to benefit both parties.

(Agreement)

1. Scope

1.1 Professional assistance for seminars and symposiums in the People's Republic of China

SAFEA will ask for IPEJ's assistance when the seminars and symposiums in the professional and technical fields will be held in the People's Republic of China together with relevant Chinese institutions. This will deepen the mutual relationship between both parties.

1.2 Personal introduction of Japanese Professional Engineers

- a) SAFEA will ask IPEJ to introduce engineers at the request of Chinese institutions. IPEJ will inform IPEJ's members of such requests in order to introduce appropriate engineers to those institutions.
- b) Both SAFEA and IPEJ will assign a contact person from their respective organizations to be in charge of keeping the lines of communication open between SAFEA and IPEJ. If necessary, the contact persons will be responsible for arranging face-to face meetings between both parties.
- c) SAFEA will provide relevant information about Chinese institutions and the introduced intelligence projects. When professional engineers introduced by IPEJ are enrolled into the Annual National Overseas Experts Introduction Plan, subject to relevant regulations, SAFEA will give priority to support and cover international and domestic travel fares, boarding and lodging costs in P. R. China for the professional engineers introduced by IPEJ.

2. The Terms and Expiration of this Agreement

2.1 This agreement will be in effect once both parties sign this agreement, and will remain in effect for 5 years thereafter. This agreement is subject to renewal in accordance with Clause 2.2, stated below.

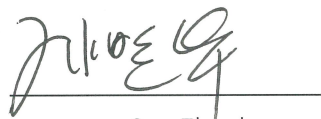
2.2 Upon expiration of the term specified in Clause 2.1 above, or at any time during the effective agreement period, either party may choose to revise or renew this agreement for an additional 5 years from the time of the revision. Such revision or renewal must be approved by both parties, in order for the revision(s) or renewal to take effect. Approvals can only be accepted through official written consent from both parties. This agreement is subject to changes, if agreed upon by both parties through written consent.

2.3 This Agreement is signed in two sets of original copy in English. Each Party shall retain one set of original copy.

2.4 This Agreement supersedes all previous co-operation agreements between the two parties.

3. This Agreement is an expression of cooperative relations and is not intended to create any legal obligations under domestic or international law between the Parties.

Duplicated copies of this agreement signed by;



Sun Zhaohua

Deputy Administrator of  
State Administration of  
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Katsumi Yoshida

President of  
The Institution of Professional  
Engineers, Japan

Date: 2016.4.13

Date: April, 4th, 2016