

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN
THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS OF THE
REPUBLIC OF INDIA AND
THE MINISTRY OF CULTURE AND SPORTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF
KAZAKHSTAN ON COOPERATION ON PHYSICAL CULTURE AND SPORTS**

The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports of the Republic of India and the Ministry of Culture and Sports of the Republic of Kazakhstan, hereinafter referred to as the "Parties",

aiming to enhance and strengthen the existing bilateral relations in the field of sports and youth affairs,

and acknowledging, that the cooperation in the field of physical culture and sports develops and strengthens the friendly relations between the nations of both countries and is the basis for further broadening and enhancement of the relations between the Parties,

have reached the following understanding:

Article 1

The present Memorandum is to provide the basis for the cooperation between the Parties in research, development and improvement in the field of sports on the mutual benefit basis.

Article 2

To realize the above-mentioned goals the Parties will exchange the information on sports events, held in the states of the Parties, strategic programmes of the development of sports and scientific-methodical information on the problems of health improvement of the population by means of physical culture and sports;

The Parties will contribute to the exchange of the scientific researches, the information on last achievements in the field of high performance sports, sports diagnostics, on the methods of medical and biological support and the use of modern scientific equipment in training the high class sportsmen;

The Parties will contribute to the exchange of the information on high technology and experience in the field of sports constructions,

The Parties will contribute to the exchange of the information in the field of sports for disabled people and the types of sports suitable for them;

Article 3

To raise the level of training and sportsmanship the Parties will agree to the conditions, when necessary, for the participation of the sportsmen, trainers and organizers of the sports movement in competitions, trainings and other events held in the territory of the Parties, based on the additional agreements.

To develop the physical culture and sports in the Parties, the Parties will contribute to the establishment of direct contacts between national sports federations and sports organizations.

Article 4

The Parties will contribute to the interaction of the scientists and specialists in the framework of scientific conferences, forums and training courses, organized in the territory of third states held on the themes of physical culture, sports issues and sports medicine.

Article 5

The Parties will take measures on preventing the use of forbidden stimulants and medicine during the competitions and during the trainings of the sportsmen in accordance with the national legislature of their states.

Article 6

The Parties will incur the expenses independently, which will arise during the implementation of the present Memorandum, within the limits of the sources, provided by the national legislature of the states, if in every specific case another order will not be agreed.

Article 7

The present Memorandum doesn't involve the rights and obligations of the Parties, which follow up the international agreements, the members of which they are.

Article 8

By a mutual consent of the Parties amendments and additions can be made to the present Memorandum which are formalized in separate protocols and will be the integral parts of the present Memorandum.

Article 9

In case of occurrence of disputes and disagreements during the interpretation and application of the provisions of the Memorandum, the Parties resolve them through means of negotiations and consultations and will refer to the text in English language.

Article 10

The present Memorandum comes into force from the date of its signature and shall remain in force for a period of 5 (five) years. Further the term of the present Memorandum is automatically extended for further period of 5-year (five-year), if none of the Parties not less than 6 (six) months before the expiration of the corresponding period will notify in written form about its intention to terminate the present Memorandum by diplomatic channels.

Programmes adopted during the term of the present Memorandum will continue according to the conditions until their accomplishment.

Done in city Astana "8" July, 2015 year in duplicate each in the Kazakh, Hindi, Russian and English languages, and all texts are equally authentic.

In case of any divergence in interpretation of the present Memorandum, the English text shall prevail.

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