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The Ministry of Youth and Sports of the Republic of Indonesia and the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade ('DFAT') (hereinafter referred to as "the Partners", in the interests of providing wider opportunities for the young people of Australia and Indonesia to appreciate the culture, development and way of life of each country and referring to the Cultural Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, signed at Jakarta on 14 June 1968, and pursuant to the prevailing laws and regulation of the respective countries, have reached the following arrangement:

1. Both Partners will maintain a Youth Exchange Program (the Program) to enable youth of their respective countries to cultivate friendship and esteem and to attain a greater understanding of the culture, development and way of life of each country. Participants in the Program will be given the opportunity of acquiring such experience by living with host families of the receiving Partner and participating in youth programs, orientation camps, educational activities and discussions over an eight week period.

2. The selection of participants for the Program will be the responsibility of each Partner, and will involve young persons from each country. Participants, usually male and female in equal numbers, will be aged 21 to 25 years, have some knowledge of Indonesian and English and, before leaving for the receiving country, be required to undergo a medical examination to ascertain their fitness for the Program. Profiles of participants, including dietary preferences, will be forwarded to the receiving Partner in advance of their departure.
3. Participants will be placed in work programs with counterparts of the Partner country, based on work programs already decided by the receiving Partner, giving due consideration to the specific needs and interests expressed from time to time by the sending Partner. The purpose of the work placement program is to provide exposure to the work environment of each country and to seek a capacity building opportunity for participants.
4. Participants will apply for a visa at a diplomatic or consular mission of the receiving Partner in accordance with the normal procedures required under its relevant laws and regulations at both Partner's own expense,
5. Inappropriate behaviour by any participant inconsistent with the aims and objectives of the program as determined by the host country coordinator or host country official in consultation with the counterpart country coordinator may result in removal of that participant from the Program and immediate repatriation.
6. The Cultural Attachés of the Australian Embassy in Indonesia or the Indonesian Embassy in Australia or other representatives of either Partner may visit exchange locations in the country of the

other Partner at any mutually convenient time, at their own Government's expense, to talk to Program participants.

7. In addition to regular meetings and consultations with the Cultural Attaché or other representatives of either Partner, best endeavours will be made for a formal review of the Program (to be conducted jointly by relevant Indonesia and Australian Officials) every three years to evaluate matters relating to and arising from the Program.
8. The responsible authorities for the implementation of this arrangement from the Ministry of Youth and Sports of the Republic of Indonesia, is the Deputy Minister for Youth Empowerment, and on behalf of DFAT is the Australia-Indonesia Institute.
9. This Program is funded by the Australia-Indonesia Institute under the International Relations Grants Program (IRGP) and DFAT on an annual Australian financial year basis. The Indonesian Phase of the program is funded by the Ministry of Youth and Sports on an annual Indonesian financial year basis.
10. Subject to the availability of funds of the Partners, these Arrangements will be financed in accordance with the following understanding:
 - a. All expenses relating to international travel arranged as mutually determined by the Partners in respect to both Indonesian and Australian participants, and an Indonesian liaison officer, will be met by the Australia-Indonesia Institute;
 - b. All expenses relating to accommodation and internal travel while participants and an Indonesian liaison officer are engaged in activities under this Arrangement in the country of the receiving Partner will be met by the receiving Partner;
 - c. A weekly allowance and allowance for clothing for the Indonesian participants, as determined by DFAT, will be

provided by DFAT where appropriate; while allowances for both Indonesian and Australian participants during the Indonesian phase will be provided by Ministry of Youth and Sports.

- d. An allowance for the Indonesian liaison officer will be provided by the Ministry of Youth and Sports of the Republic of Indonesia;
 - e. Individual participants will bear their own costs for expenses incurred outside the Program including excess baggage while travelling and travel independent of the Program; and
 - f. Australian participants will be entitled to a visa of not less than two months which may be extended in order that they may stay in Indonesia at their own expense upon completion of the Program until the expiration of their visa.
11. Any dispute between the Partners concerning the interpretation and implementation of this Arrangement will be settled amicably through consultations or negotiations.
12. This Arrangement will remain in force for three years from the date of signing and can be extended for further periods as mutually arranged by the Partners.
13. This Arrangement will come into effect on the date of its signing.
14. This Arrangement may be amended by mutual written consent between the Partners.
15. This Arrangement can be terminated by either Partner by giving three months' notice in writing to the other Partner.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, have signed this Arrangement.

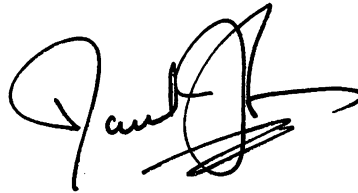
SIGNED in duplicate at Jakarta on the twenty eighth day of September in the year two thousand and fifteen in the English language, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Ministry of
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