

**LETTER OF INTENT
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS
ON
YOUTH AND SPORTS CO-OPERATION**

The Government of the Republic of Indonesia and The Government of the Kingdom of The Netherlands, hereinafter referred to as "the Parties";

Based on the Agreement on Cultural Co-operation between the Republic of Indonesia and the Kingdom of The Netherlands dated July 7, 1968.

Referring to the article of the "Related Fields" of the Agreed Minutes of the Cultural Co-operation between the Republic of Indonesia and the Kingdom of The Netherlands dated 25 and 26 October 1994.

Desiring to promote goodwill and understanding as well as favourable co-operation between the peoples of the Parties;

Recognizing the importance of the principles of equality and mutual benefits;

Do hereby declare their intention to establish youth and sports co-operation in accordance with prevailing laws and regulations of the two countries, in the followings :

1. With regard to Youth Affairs :

- a. Both parties welcome direct co-operation on private to-private basis with regard to youth affairs.
- b. The co-operation envisage transfer of information and experience through various exchanges of youth leaders, youth policy makers and practitioners.

- c. From Indonesian side the suggestion is made to organize a workshop in the Netherlands at a later stage. The Netherlands side in principle agrees with the suggestions.
- d. From the Netherlands side an invitation will be extended to the Indonesian Delegation for participation at a Conference, in January 1996 in the Netherlands, on Innovation of Youth policy. This conference will be organized in co-operation with the European Commission. The Indonesian side is looking forward to receiving the invitation.
- e. Both sides welcome co-operation on private-to-private basis between youth organizations and youth agencies in the fields of introduction of environmental technology information to Indonesia. Further details will be worked out.
- f. The Indonesian Minister responsible for Youth Affairs will visit the Netherlands in due course.
- g. Both parties will think about the financial conditions for youth organizations and youth agencies in both countries in order to encourage their direct co-operation.

2. With regard to Sports Affairs :

- a. Both parties welcome direct co-operation on private-to-private basis with regard to sport, actually both parties agreed to continue and intensify co-operation in the fields of physical education, sports and ideas in sports policy;
- b. Both parties welcome an exchange of technical expertise which might lead to the creation of a National Sport Centre in Indonesia using, if possible, experience of the NOC * NSF Sports Centre "Papendal".

- c. Both parties welcome exchanges with regard to a number of sports disciplines to be decided upon later, notably by way of clinics for training of trainers and/or for coaches.
- d. Both parties welcome exchanges of experts in the fields of high performance or top level sports.
- e. Both parties welcome exchanges of experts in the fields of physical education by means of sport schools and sport classes.

The implementation of such co-operation shall be concluded in appropriate measures in due course.

DONE in duplicate at Jakarta on Fifteenth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and ninety five, in two original copies in Indonesian, Dutch, and English languages, all texts being equally authentic. In case of any divergence of the interpretation on this Letter of Intent, the English text shall prevail.

~~For~~ the Government of
the Republic of Indonesia,

Signed

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For the Government of the
Kingdom of the Netherlands

Signed

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