

AGREEMENT OF CULTURAL COOPERATION BETWEEN THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA AND THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SENEGAL

CONSCIOUS OF the cultural ties which exist between
the two countries, and

DESIROUS OF promoting and developing such relations
in the realms of literature, arts, science, technology and
education,

HAVE DECIDED to conclude this Agreement of Cultural
Cooperation.

ARTICLE 1

The Contracting Parties shall facilitate and encourage
cooperation between universities and other institutions of
higher education, technical, artistic and other schools,
scientific laboratories, scientific and artistic associations,
academies, museums and libraries in the two countries.

ARTICLE 2

The Contracting Parties shall exchange university
professors and teachers in higher educational institutions
and members of scientific institutions.

ARTICLE 3

The Contracting Parties undertake to encourage the
exchange of cultural, scientific and educational material
between universities and other educational, scientific and
cultural organisations.

ARTICLE 4

Each Contracting Party shall endeavour to grant to the
students of the other Party scholarships for higher studies
in the institutions mentioned in Article 1.

ARTICLE 5

Each Contracting Party undertakes to examine the
conditions under which equivalence between the diplomas
and the university degrees given in the two countries shall
be recognised.

ARTICLE 6

The Contracting Parties shall encourage reciprocal visits of professors, educationists, writers, artists and other experts for study tours, delivering lectures, and participation in conferences, congresses, seminars and important cultural and artistic events.

ARTICLE 7

The Contracting Parties shall facilitate in their respective countries, access to the educational institutions, laboratories, archives and museums to the savants and research workers of the two Parties.

ARTICLE 8

Each Contracting Party shall encourage a better understanding of the culture of the other Party through the medium of radio-television and press.

ARTICLE 9

Each Contracting Party shall endeavour to facilitate the holding in its territory of concerts, theatrical performances, art, science and technical exhibitions by the other Party.

ARTICLE 10

Each Contracting Party shall encourage cooperation and exchange of youths in the sphere of popular education and sports.

ARTICLE 11

Each Contracting Party shall endeavour that the text books of history and geography prescribed in the educational establishments when these contain information concerning the country of the other Party shall give as far as possible, exact and sufficiently precise facts.

ARTICLE 12

Each Contracting Party shall encourage the translation, publication and distribution of scientific, technical, artistic and literary works of authors of the other Party. It shall facilitate the publication in its own specialised reviews of articles of cultural and scientific character relating to the other Party.

ARTICLE 13

Both countries will assist each other, wherever such assistance is needed in the learning of the languages which would promote a better understanding and appreciation of the culture and civilisation of the other Party.

ARTICLE 14

Each Contracting Party shall encourage the creation in its territory of cultural institutions and friendship associations in accordance with the local laws and the general policy of that Government.

It is understood by both Parties that prior clearance of the Government concerned would be obtained before any institution is established in pursuance of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 15

The Contracting Parties shall encourage the exchange of tourists between the two countries with the object of promoting an understanding and of reinforcing the amity between the two countries.

ARTICLE 16

For the realisation of the objectives of this Agreement, a Joint Commission consisting of representatives of each Contracting Party shall be set up. The Joint Commission shall meet at least once in two years alternately in New Delhi and Dakar. The functions of the Joint Commission will be:

- a) to examine periodically the execution of this Agreement;
- b) to advise the Governments concerned on the manner of carrying out the Agreement;

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