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*Министерство на външните работи
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MEMORANDUM ON COOPERATION

BETWEEN

**THE DIPLOMATIC ACADEMY OF THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN
AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOSOVO**

AND

**THE DIPLOMATIC INSTITUTE TO THE MINISTER OF FOREIGN
AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA**

The Diplomatic Academy of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kosovo and the Diplomatic Institute to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Bulgaria, hereinafter referred to as the „Parties“;

Desirous of establishing and developing cooperation regarding training and research;

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1
Purpose

This Memorandum is intended to create conditions for maintaining regular contacts and promoting cooperation between the two institutions.

Article 2
Cooperation

The Parties agree that a priority task of such cooperation is to elaborate and introduce modern methods in training specialists in the field of foreign diplomacy, international relations, international law, foreign economic relations, political science and other subjects of the curriculum as well as to inform each other on matters relevant to teaching techniques along with the exchange of relevant literature and publications.

Article 3
Reciprocity exchange

The Parties will cooperate through programs of basic and specialised courses. The Parties may exchange teaching materials. On the basis of reciprocity, the Parties may exchange lecturers and students with a view to upgrading their professional qualifications. The Parties will exchange experience concerning the organization of teaching institutions.

Article 4
Participation of Experts

The Parties may organize participation of their experts in conferences, symposia and panel discussions, by informing each other of these activities in due time.

Article 5
Issues of mutual interest

The Parties will promote the organization of meetings of Foreign Affairs Ministry officials and representatives of diplomatic missions of the two countries with the students and faculty of the Academies on issues of mutual interest.

Article 6
Financial conditions

The cost related to the above cooperation will be borne by each Party.

Article 7
Settlement of Disputes

Disagreements and disputes regarding the interpretation or application of this Memorandum will be settled between the Parties through consultations.

Provisions of this protocol may be amended by mutual written consent of the Parties.

Article 8
Entry into force

The Memorandum shall enter into force on the day of its signature by both Parties. This Memorandum is concluded for a period of three years and will be automatically extended for subsequent period of one year, unless one of the Parties informs the other in writing of its intention to denounce the Memorandum, not later than three months prior to its termination.

Done at Prishtina, Republic of Kosovo, on 20 October 2015 in two originals, each in the English language.

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