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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between

National Council of Italian Conservative Landscape Planning Architects

and

Architectural Association of Kenya

and

National Construction Authority of Kenya

and

Trade Association Italo-Kenyan

On

"Cooperation for the development of cultural interchange and joint professional activities"

The Chairman of the National Council of Italian Conservative Landscape Planning Architects with offices at Via Santa Maria dell'Anima 10 in Rome (Italy), in the interests of their Country's international interchanges, vested with the powers granted to them by their mandate,

and

The President of the Architectural Association of Kenya with offices at Professional Centre, Parliament Road, in Nairobi (Kenya) at in the interests of their Country's international interchanges, vested with the powers granted to them by their mandate,

and

The Executive Director and Secretary of the board of the National Construction Authority of Kenya with offices at Ngong Road, Community Area First Floor Hill Plaza in Nairobi (Kenya) in the interests of their Country's international interchanges, vested with the powers granted to them by their mandate

and

The President of the Trade Association Italo-Kenyan with offices at Via S. Maria Alemanna 2 in Messina (Italy) 5, in the interests of the two countries' international interchanges, vested with the powers granted to them by their mandate

(hereinafter "the Parties")

Whereas:

- A. Of common interest is the development of relations between Italy and the Kenya in relation to cultural interchange, that of knowhow, training and professional experience in order to improve respective professionalism and increase the possibility of joint projects between the two Countries;
- B. The Parties shall act in the interest of the subjects referring to the former and concerning international relations and interchanges as provided for by their articles of association;
- C. Each Party shall act within the limits of their means and both financial and operational availability;
- D. Common objective is the knowledge of the norms in both Countries concerning the profession of Architect in order to favor the activities of such professionals in both Countries;

Now therefore the parties agree on the content of this Memorandum of Understanding

(hereinafter "Memorandum")

Article 1

INTRODUCTION

The parties, also in co-operation with other institutional structures such as Associations, Ministries, Government and non-Government Bodies, Businesses and/or other private subjects, agree that they shall jointly develop a bilateral collaboration for the purposes of exchanging norms, technology, culture, training and professional experience, in order to develop activities of the Parties' competence in both countries aimed at the realization of joint projects and actions in such sense.

Article 2

SECTORS OF COOPERATION

1. The parties shall cooperate in the following sectors:
 - Implementation of agreements between the two countries for the development of the activities of professionals registered in the Parties' Registers;
 - Joint research and development in the exchange of know how in the sectors of design and planning, project management and project financing;
 - Define and implement common projects both in Kenya and in Italy in order to valorize the cooperation and results in mutual growth deriving therefrom;

- Organization of joint events such as exhibitions, trade shows and round tables in both countries;
 - Participation in institutional international tenders which involve both Countries;
 - Organization of training and specialization courses and seminars;
 - Joint organization of design and/or concept competition in both Countries.
2. To this end the following activities shall be organized:
- Transferal of know-how and scientific and technical experience;
 - Interchange of technicians, professionals and researchers;
 - Organization of seminars, workshops, round tables, exhibitions and competitions (in particular ideas competitions);
 - Training and specialization courses;
 - Realization of joint pilot projects with goal to try resources to realize in Kenya the first "Italo-Kenyan Construction School" (IKCS);
3. The Parties shall submit their joint projects to the national and international financial institutes in order to obtain the funds required for developing the established joint projects.
4. The Parties shall verify and decide together whether to involve other subjects deemed useful for the development of the joint projects with possibility to include also them into this memorandum with a supplementary agree.

Article 3

COORDINATION BETWEEN THE PARTIES

1. In order to guarantee the efficient implementation of this memorandum the Parties shall each identify their representatives who shall become the main contact people for organizing joint activities.
2. Each party shall cover their own travel and accommodation costs and any professional costs of their representatives. Such agreement can be varied by mutual consent between the parties.

Article 4

FINAL CONDITIONS

1. This Memorandum shall become effective on the date of signing thereof, for a period of 2 years (24 months) subject to the intention of one of the parties to interrupt the agreement with at least 3 months' prior notice from the date on which such interruption is intended.
2. All variations to the text in this Memorandum shall be made by consent of Parties through written communication in such sense.

3. All disputes concerning the interpretation and/or application of this Memorandum shall be resolved amicable or diplomatically.
4. The language used for formal communication between the parties shall be English, or alternatively an Italian - English bilingual text.

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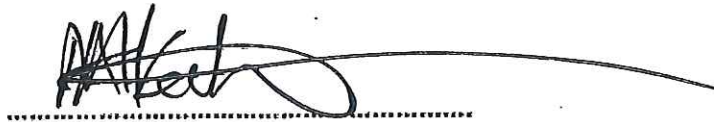
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Architectural Association of Kenya

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National Construction Authority of Kenya

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SIGNING OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF ITALIAN CONSERVATIVE LANDSCAPE PLANNING
ARCHITECTS

AND

ARCHITECTURAL ASSOCIATION OF KENYA

AND

NATIONAL CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY OF KENYA

AND

AND

TRADE ASSOCIATION ITALO-KENYAN


ON

**“COOPERATION FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF CULTURAL INTERCHANGE AND
JOINT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES”**

The above subject refers.

I hereby appoint Eng. Maurice Akech Otieno, General Manager in charge of Research Business Development & Capacity Building to execute the MOU between our respective organizations

Any assistance given to him will be highly appreciated.



**ARCH. DANIEL MANDUKU
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR/CEO**