

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE PHILIPPINE
SPORTS COMMISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
AND THE MINISTRY OF SPORT OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC
OF BRAZIL ON SPORTS COOPERATION**

The Philippine Sports Commission of the Republic of the Philippines and the Ministry of Sports of the Federative Republic of Brazil (hereinafter called "the Participants")

Desirous of developing relations in the field of sports and physical education by taking into account that both of these activities constitute a solid foundation for the strengthening of friendly relationships and mutual understanding;

Emphasizing their interest in establishing contacts for sports cooperation and their shared desire to collaborate in the maintenance of fundamental sporting principles such as that included in the Olympic Charter: "Every individual must have the possibility of practicing sport, without discrimination of any kind and in the Olympic spirit, which requires mutual understanding with a spirit of friendship, solidarity and fair play" and "The goal of the Olympic Movement is to contribute to building a peaceful and better world by educating youth through sport practiced in accordance with Olympism and its value".

1. Institutional cooperation;
2. The field of science and technology applied to sports;
3. Medicine for sports practitioner;
4. The struggle against doping;
5. The sponsorship and patronage of sports;
6. The organization of sporting events;
7. The training of sports specialists and administrators;
8. Sports for people with disabilities;
9. The protection of young practitioners of sports;
10. Women in sports;
11. Sports for the elderly;
12. Social inclusion through sports; and
13. Other areas considered appropriate by the Participants.

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With a view to meet the objectives of this Memorandum the Participants agree to:

1. Collect Information and exchange points of view through consultation on questions of mutual interest;