## CULTURAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES AND INDIA

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THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PHILIPPINES and the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DESIROUS of further cultivating and putting on a sound basis in every possible way the spirit of cooperation and friendship existing between the two countries;

INSPIRED by the need and common desire to promote and develop closer and stronger cultural relations among their respective peoples;

HAVE DECIDED to conclude this Cultural Agreement, and have appointed for this purpose their respective plenipotentiaries;

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PHILIPPINES:

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA:

## CARLOS P. ROMULO

Secretary of Foreign Affairs

**DINESH SINGH** Minister for External Affairs

who, having been fully authorized by their respective governments, have agreed upon the following provisions:

## **ARTICLE 1**

Each High Contracting Party, shall, subject to its laws and regulations, endeavor to accord to the other every possible facility to ensure better understanding of their respective cultures through an exchange of:

1. Books, periodicals and other publications;

2. Non-commercial cinematographic films, including television and radio broadcast programmes dealing with culture, art, science and education;

3. Art and other cultural exhibitions.

## ARTICLE II

The High Contracting Parties shall, within their available resources, encourage the exchange between their countries of professors, scholars, journalists and members of scientific and cultural institutions.

Each High Contracting Party shall encourage in its territory the holding of concerts, dances, theatrical and musical performances by the artists of the other.