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**AGREEMENT
ON COOPERATION IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY AND UKRAINE**

THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY,

(hereinafter "the Community"), of the one part, and

UKRAINE,

of the other part,

hereinafter referred to as the "Parties",

CONSIDERING the importance of science and technology for their economic and social development,

RECOGNISING that the Community and Ukraine are pursuing research and technological activities in a number of areas of common interest, and that participation in each other's research and development activities on a basis of reciprocity will provide mutual benefits,

HAVING REGARD to the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement concluded between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and Ukraine, of the other part, signed on 16 June 1994, and in particular to Article 58 thereof,

DESIRING to establish a formal basis for cooperation in scientific and technological research which will extend and strengthen the conduct of cooperative activities in areas of common interest and encourage the application of the results of such cooperation to the economic and social benefits of the Parties,

HAVE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE 1

Purpose

The Parties shall encourage, develop and facilitate cooperative activities in fields of common interest where they are pursuing research and development activities in science and technology.

ARTICLE 2

Definitions

For the purpose of this Agreement:

- (a) "Cooperative activity" means any activity which the Parties undertake or support pursuant to this Agreement, and includes joint research;
- (b) "Information" means scientific or technical data, results or methods of research and development stemming from joint research and any other data relating to cooperative activities;

- (c) "Intellectual property" shall have the meaning defined in Article 2 of the Convention establishing the World Intellectual Property Organisation, done at Stockholm on 14 July 1967;
- (d) "Joint research" means research implemented with financial support from one or both Parties and that involves collaboration by participants from both the Community and Ukraine;
- (e) "Participant" means any person, legal entity, university, research institute or any other body participating in a cooperative activity, including, where appropriate, Agencies and official bodies of the Parties themselves.

ARTICLE 3

Principles

Cooperative activities shall be conducted on the basis of the following principles:

- (a) mutual benefit;
- (b) timely exchange of information which may affect cooperative activities;