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et
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Agreement

between the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany

and

the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

concerning

the Headquarters of the UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning

The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany

and

the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO),

Recalling resolution 31 C/6 of the UNESCO General Conference at its 31st session, inviting the Director-General to make the necessary changes to the legal status of UNESCO Institute for Education (UIE) to bring it into line with other UNESCO institutes,

Recalling the decision 166 EX/6.3 of the UNESCO Executive Board adopted at its 166th session, by which the Board approved the Statutes establishing the UIE as a category 1 institute in the framework of UNESCO and invited the Director-General to negotiate and sign a host country agreement with the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany,

Noting decision 174 EX/50 by which the Executive Board changed the name of UIE to UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning (UIL);

Affirming that the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany has declared its willingness to conclude a headquarters agreement in line with the new international status of UIL,

Desiring to conclude an agreement regulating the matters arising from the activities and necessary for the effective discharge of the functions of UIL in the Federal Republic of Germany,

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1
Definitions

For the purposes of the present Agreement, the following definitions shall apply:

- a) “the Government” means the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany;
- b) “UNESCO” means the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, the Constitution of which was signed in London on 16 November 1945;
- c) “UIL” means the UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning;
- d) “the UNV Headquarters Agreement” means the Agreement between the Federal Republic of Germany and the United Nations concerning the Headquarters of the United Nations Volunteers Programme concluded on 10 November 1995 and the Exchange of Notes of the same date between the Permanent Representative of Germany to the United Nations and the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme concerning the interpretation of certain provisions of that Agreement;
- e) “Headquarters” means the premises made available to, occupied and used by UIL in accordance with this Agreement or any other agreement with the Government concerning UIL.

Article 2

Purpose and scope of the Agreement

This Agreement shall cover matters relating to the hosting and operation of UIL in the Federal Republic of Germany, on the basis of the applicability, *mutatis mutandis*, of the UNV Headquarters Agreement in accordance with article 5 below.

Article 3

Objectives of UIL

1. UIL is a UNESCO institute (category 1) specialized in literacy, non-formal education, and adult and lifelong learning in the fulfillment of UNESCO's mandate, mission and strategic objectives, especially in relation to lifelong learning for all.
2. UIL's mission shall be to support governments, non-governmental organizations and civil society organizations in UNESCO Member States by strengthening their capacity to formulate policies, develop programmes, train personnel and carry out evaluations in the field of literacy, non-formal education, and adult and lifelong learning. For this purpose, it will cooperate with agencies, partners and institutions, public as well as private, having similar goals at the international and national level.

Article 4

Location of UIL

As a category 1 UNESCO institute, and an integral part of UNESCO, UIL shall have its Headquarters in the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg, Federal Republic of Germany. The Government shall provide premises for UIL. The conditions will be specified in a separate Administrative Agreement.