# Relationship Agreement between the Economic Cooperation Organization and the United Nations Industrial Development Organization

#### Article I

Cooperation and Consultation

The United Nations Industrial Development Organization (hereinafter referred to as "UNIDO") and the Economic Cooperation Organization (hereinafter referred to as "ECO"), with a view to promoting the attainment of the objectives laid down by the Constitution of UNIDO and the Treaty of Izmir establishing ECO, agree to act in close cooperation, on matters of mutual interest with a view to harmonizing their efforts towards greater effectiveness, as far as possible, having due regard to their respective objectives and functions.

#### Article II

#### Representation

- 1. ECO shall be permitted to participate, without the right to vote, in the deliberations of the General Conference and the Industrial Development Board of UNIDO on matters of particular concern to it.
- 2. UNIDO shall be permitted to participate, without the right to vote, in the deliberations of the Summit Meetings and the Council of Ministers of ECO on matters of particular concern to it.
- 3. UNIDO and ECO shall also make any necessary arrangements for ensuring reciprocal representation at appropriate meetings convened under their respective auspices.

#### Article III

#### Exchange of information and documents

UNIDO and ECO shall undertake an exchange of relevant information and documents, subject to such restrictions and arrangements as may be considered necessary by either Party to preserve the confidential nature of certain information and documents.

#### **Article IV**

#### Fields of Cooperation

- 1. The fields to which cooperation shall relate, in the context set forth in Article I, shall include those listed in the Annex to this Agreement.
- 2. Any minor and ordinary expenditure relating to the implementation of this Agreement shall be borne by the respective Party to the Agreement.
- 3. If the cooperation proposed by one of the Parties to the other in accordance with this Agreement entails expenditure beyond minor and ordinary expenditures, consultations shall be held between UNIDO and ECO to determine the availability of resources required, the most equitable way of meeting such expenditure and, if resources are not readily available, the most appropriate ways to obtain the necessary resources.

#### Article V

### Implementation of the Agreement

The Director General of UNIDO and the Secretary General of ECO may make the arrangements necessary for ensuring satisfactory implementation of the Agreement.

#### Article VI

#### Termination of the Agreement

Either Party may terminate this Agreement subject to six months' written notice. If one of the parties decides to terminate this Agreement the

obligations previously entered into through projects implemented under this Agreement should not be affected.

## **Article VII**

Entry into force

This Agreement shall enter into force upon signature by the Director General of UNIDO and the Secretary General of ECO.

# Article VIII

Language

This Agreement has been drawn up in duplicate in English.

For the Economic Cooperation Organization

For the United Nations Industrial Development Organization

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