MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Nizhniy Novgorod « » June 202\_.

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as the Memorandum) establishes the relationship between the Autonomous Nonprofit Organization «Center for Global IT- Cooperation» (ANO «Center for Global IT-Cooperation»), located in Moscow, Russia, represented by Vadim Glushchenko, the Director General, acting under the Charter, and the «\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_» located in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Republic of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, represented by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the Executive Director, hereinafter jointly referred to as the Parties, and individually - a Party. The parties enter into this Memorandum with the aim of establishing and developing cooperation between the «Center for Global IT-cooperation» and the «\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_».

Taking into account the experience and knowledge accumulated by the Parties in the development of integration processes in the sphere of information technologies (IT), advocating the further development and strengthening of cooperation in the field of information and communication technologies (ICT), based on the principles of mutual respect, openness and integrity.

The parties have come to a mutual understanding on the following:

1. The objectives of this Memorandum are:
* development and strengthening of cooperation between the Parties in the field of ICT;
* increasing research, expert, analytical potential in the IT sphere;
* stimulating IT cooperation, creating IT communities.
1. Cooperation between the Parties will be carried out on the basis of equality and reciprocity.
2. The parties intend to cooperate within their competence in the following areas:
	1. joint conduct of research in the field of IT, reviews of world experience, analytics;
	2. organization of joint IT events;
	3. participation in the development of international documents and solutions in IT sphere, coordination of joint proposals;
	4. development and promotion of joint approaches and initiatives on global IT cooperation.
3. The Parties may cooperate in other areas within the scope of their common interests.
4. Cooperation in the areas defined in this Memorandum will be carried out in the following forms:
* exchange of information and experience in relevant fields of activity of mutual interest;
* conduct of consultations, joint events, including conferences, forums, round tables, etc.;
* coordination of programmes and research projects;
* creation of joint working groups;
* preparation of joint publications.
1. The conditions and procedure for organization of joint events are determined by the Parties separately in each specific case. If necessary, the Parties conclude appropriate agreements.
2. In case of cooperation within the framework of this memorandum, the parties will finance their expenses independently.
3. All activities within the framework of this Memorandum will be carried out in accordance with the national legislation of the states of the Parties.
4. Any disagreements regarding the interpretation and execution of this Memorandum shall be resolved through consultation between the Parties.
5. The present Memorandum comes into effect on the date of its signing until one of the Parties that signed the Memorandum notifies the other Party in a written form of its intention to terminate it.

Signed in Nizhniy Novgorod, in two genuine copies, each one in Russian and English, both texts being equally valid.

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