AGREEMENT ON COOPERATION between STOCKHOLM UNIVERSITY (SWEDEN) and ST.PETERSBURG STATE UNIVERSITY (RUSSIA)

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The Rector of St.Petersburg State University and the Rector of Stockholm University, being convinced that cooperation between the two schools will promote the development of research and other academic activities in each school, hereby agree to encourage academic cooperation in the fields of mutual interest through appropriate means as follows:

- Exchange of students and faculty members, trainees, and post-graduates;
- Development of joint research programs;
- Exchange of academic information, materials and publications;
- Development of advanced teaching methodology;
- Other

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Both universities agree that the most effective form of cooperation will be direct initiatives and connections between the two parties in particular fields, based on personal and departmental interests, in a form adapted to the needs of the parties and in accordance with the rules and standards of each university.

III

Both universities will do their utmost to seek for financing of joint activities from sources available to them. Each side will do its utmost to make university accommodation available to visiting faculty and students.

IV

For the realization of the activities mentioned above, a complete Working Program for a specified period of time will be drawn up and signed as an integral part of this Agreement on Cooperation between the two universities. The Working Program will contain themes of joint research, joint educational programs, conditions for realization of joint programs and academic exchange, and organizational details. Both universities agree that financial arrangements to cover all expenses, including research material, international and domestic travel, per diem, honoraria, and all other costs will be determined on a case-by-case basis and reflected in the Program.

This Agreement will be effective from the date of signing by authorized representatives of each university. This Memorandum is to be executed in two official copies in English, one original copy for each university.

Date: 02.02.2001.

Date: 16.2,2001

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