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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN

THE INSTITUTE FOR DEFENCE STUDIES AND ANALYSES (New Delhi), INDIA AND

SAINT PETERSBURG UNIVERSITY, RUSSIAN FEDERATION

The Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses (New Delhi) in the person of Director General N.S. Sisodia, hereinafter referred to as IDSA, and Federal State Budgetary Educational Institution of Higher Professional Education "Saint-Petersburg State University" (SPbU), represented by its Senior Vice-Rector for Academic Affairs and Research Igor A. Gorlinsky, acting on the basis of proxy dated 08.11.2010 №12-21-3, hereinafter collectively referred to as "The Parties" and each solely to as "The Party", taking into account the need for developing bilateral relations between the Parties and recognizing the need for establishing direct academic ties, have agreed on the following:

Clause 1.

The objective of the Memorandum is to establish academic and scholarly ties between the Parties and co-operate in the sphere of research on security issues, as also international, national, technological and socio-economic problems.

Clause 2.

In order to work towards full realization of ties between the Parties the following forms of cooperation will be adopted:

- Mutual exchange of ideas on problems concerning the Parties through the conduct of scholarly conferences, seminars and round-tables,
- Mutual Consultations and exchange of research scholars by the Parties;
- Taking up of joint research projects by the Parties;
- Exchange of research works, publications by the Parties.

The Parties can develop and use other forms of co-operation, in order to enhance the quality of research and analytical works.

Clause 3.

In order to promote their co-operation, the Parties will conduct regular meetings/conferences between the representatives of the Parties.

Expenses connected with providing required facilities, premises and other logistical support, for conducting meetings/conferences, as a rule, will be provided by the Party,

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which initiates the meeting according to preliminary consent of both Parties. As a rule, the cost of the international travel will be borne by the respective Parties.

Clause 4.

In case of problems connected with the conduct of cooperation, which may have negative influence on executing the agreed charter, the Parties will immediately inform each other to resolve the problem.

Clause 5.

The Memorandum shall be applied from the date of its signing by the Parties and will continue to remain in force until one of the Parties notifies its intention to terminate it in written form.

Both Parties shall not use names and logos of the other Party without its prior consent, if it is not directly related to the performance of obligations under this Agreement.

Should any dispute, disagreement or claim arise between the Parties (called hereinafter "the dispute") connected with or concerning this Agreement, the Parties shall first try to resolve the dispute by negotiation.

Two copies of this document will be signed in English, both versions with the same content and validity. One copy for each Party.

On behalf of The Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses

N.S. Sisodia **Director General**

On behalf of Saint Petersburg University

Igor A. Gorlinsky

Senior Vice-Rector for Academic

Affairs and Research

Date:

30.09.2011

Date:

