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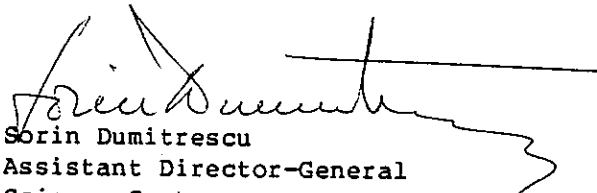
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Dear Sir,

... I enclose a copy of the Agreement between the Government of Yugoslavia and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization concerning the establishment of an International Research and Training Center on Urban Drainage, which has been signed by the Director-General. I should be most grateful if you would kindly have it returned to the appropriate Ministry in Yugoslavia.

A copy of the Agreement is also being sent to the Director of the Center, and we are now preparing a contract for US \$ 5,000 with the Center as provided for in the Agreement.

Yours faithfully,


Sorin Dumitrescu
Assistant Director-General
Science Sector

Enc.

H.E. Mr. Nikola ČIČANOVIĆ
Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary
Permanent Delegate of Yugoslavia to Unesco

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF YUGOSLAVIA
AND THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND
CULTURAL ORGANIZATION CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN
INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND TRAINING CENTER ON URBAN DRAINAGE

Whereas the General Conference of Unesco decided at its twenty-fourth session that an International Research and Training Center on Urban Drainage (hereinafter referred to as "the Center") would be established in Yugoslavia under the auspices of Unesco (24 C/5 Approved).

Considering that the proposed Center will be closely linked with the implementation of the relevant projects of the International Hydrological Programme and that it could contribute to the strengthening of research and training activities and to technical co-operation among the Member States in the field of urban drainage,

Bearing in mind that the Yugoslav Government has already taken a large number of effective measures and steps to ensure the necessary infrastructure and facilities for the Center,

Desirous of concluding an agreement with a view to defining the conditions pertaining to the establishment and operation of the Center,

The Government of Yugoslavia (hereinafter referred to as "the Government") and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (hereinafter referred to as "the Organization")

have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE I - ESTABLISHMENT

The Government agrees to make the necessary arrangement in 1988 for the setting up of the Center on the basis of the existing institutions in Yugoslavia.

ARTICLE II - FUNCTIONS

1. The functions of the Center shall be:
 - a) to promote scientific research on urban drainage;
 - b) to create a mechanism for the development and exchange of scientific and technical information (including modelling software) on the results of research among experts in various countries;

c) to coordinate the cooperative research activities and to provide facilities for laboratory and field work for the experts from other countries;

d) to organize international training courses, symposia or workshops on special subjects and international study tour and lecturing activities;

e) to cooperate with other world-wide institutions involved in the collection and processing of field and laboratory data in the maintenance of the Urban Drainage Models (UDM) data base;

2. The capacity to fulfil the above-mentioned functions depends upon the extent to which international financial support can be mobilized.

ARTICLE III - ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITY

1. The Institute of Hydraulic Engineering (IHE) of the Faculty of Civil Engineering of the University of Belgrade is the executing agency and is authorized to establish the bases upon which the Center shall be administered, including the selection of the Director of the Center, in consultation with the Organization.

2. The Director of the Center shall discharge the following duties:

a) to prepare the draft programme and budget to be submitted to the Advisory Council;

b) to direct the work of the Center in conformity with the programme and directives established by the Advisory Council and the IHE;

c) to draw up and submit reports on the Center's activities to the Government and the Organization;

d) to represent the Center in law and in all civil acts.

ARTICLE IV - THE ADVISORY COUNCIL

1. The Center shall be assisted by an Advisory Council composed of a representative of the Director-General of the Organization and the representatives of world-renown scientific associations, and also a number of eminent scientists in the field of urban drainage studies.

2. The function of the Advisory Council is to give advice and suggestions to the programme of activities of the Center and is to assist in mobilizing financial sources for the Center's activities.

3. The Chairman of the Advisory Council shall be appointed by the Government in agreement with the Director-General of the Organization. The members of the Council will be nominated by the Chairman of the Council in agreement with the Organization for a term of three years.

ARTICLE V - THE SECRETARIAT

1. The Center's Secretariat shall consist of the Director and such staff members as are necessary for the proper functioning of the executive authority of the Center.

2. The Director shall discharge routine duties of the Center under general guidance of IHE and the Advisory Council and make external communications on behalf of the Center.

ARTICLE VI - FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

1. The Center's resources shall derive from sums allotted by the IHE and the Organization, and from payments it receives for services rendered.

2. The Center may, with the approval of the IHE and the Government, receive gifts and legacies.

ARTICLE VII - THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE GOVERNMENT

1. The Government and IHE undertake to contribute annually in cash to the general expenses of the Center (including the payment of the staff of the Center).

2. The IHE shall provide the Center with premises suitable for its operation (including offices at Headquarters, research and training facilities, library, conference hall, reading room, etc.).

ARTICLE VIII - THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE ORGANIZATION

1. The Organization undertakes to make such contributions to the Center as may be authorized by the General Conference. The amount of the contribution and the modalities of its allotment will be specified in the Appendix to the present Agreement. The Appendix will be renewable every two years. Additional amounts, if approved, could be provided under the Participation Programme, if the Government decides to submit such request.

2. The Organization undertakes to endeavour to mobilize other financial resources required for the development of the Center's activities.

ARTICLE IX - FINAL CLAUSES

1. The present Agreement shall come into forces upon its signature by the two parties. It shall remain in force until

the end of 1989 and may be renewed for the further periods as agreed upon between the Government and the Organization.

2. The present Agreement may be revised by written agreement between the Government and the Organization.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, the undersigned, duly authorized representatives of the Government and the Organization respectively, have signed the present Agreement.

Representative for
the Government of
Yugoslavia

Name .. *B. Perić* ..
Title .Secretary General....
Place .Belgrade.....
Date ..June 6, 1989.....

Representative for the
United Nations
Educational, Scientific
and Cultural Organization

Name .. *[Signature]* ..
Title .Director-General..
Place .Paris.....
Date ..11 October 1989.....

APPENDIX

TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF YUGOSLAVIA AND
THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL
ORGANIZATION CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF
AN INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND TRAINING
CENTER ON URBAN DRAINAGE

Concerning the article VIII of the Agreement, this Appendix is to specify the amount of the Organization's Contribution to the Center.

The Appendix will be renewable every two years.

A sum of \$ 5,000 is allotted to the Center for 1989.

Representative for
the Government of
Yugoslavia

Name *B. Penov*
Title Secretary General
Place Belgrade
Date June 6, 1989

Representative for the
United Nations
Educational, Scientific
and Cultural Organization

Name *[Signature]*
Title Director-General
Place Paris
Date 11 October 1989