ARTICLE 40

Education, youth and sport

1. The Parties shall enhance the exchange of views and information on their policies in the areas of education, youth and sport.

2. The Parties shall encourage, where appropriate, cooperative activities in the areas of education, youth and sport, such as joint programmes, exchanges of persons, and exchange of knowledge and experiences.

ARTICLE 41

Culture

1. The Parties shall endeavour to enhance the exchange of persons engaging in cultural activities and of works of art and to carry out, where appropriate, joint initiatives in various cultural areas, including audio-visual works such as films.

2. The Parties shall encourage dialogue and cooperation between their respective civil societies and institutions in cultural sectors to enhance mutual awareness and understanding.

3. The Parties shall endeavour to cooperate on issues of mutual interest in relevant international fora, in particular the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, in order to pursue common objectives and to promote cultural diversity and the protection of cultural heritage.

ARTICLE 42

Joint Committee

1. A Joint Committee made up of representatives of the Parties is hereby established. The Joint Committee shall be co-chaired by the representatives of the Parties.

2. The Joint Committee shall:

(a) coordinate the overall partnership which is built upon this Agreement;

(b) request, where appropriate, information from committees or other bodies established under other agreements or arrangements between the Parties and exchange views on issues of common interest;

(c) decide on additional areas of cooperation that are not listed in this Agreement provided that they are consistent with the aims of this Agreement;

(d) ensure the proper functioning and the effective implementation of this Agreement;