



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
BETWEEN  
THE GENERAL ELECTIONS COMMISSION  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA  
AND  
THE INDEPENDENT ELECTORAL AND BOUNDARIES COMMISSION  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF KENYA  
ON  
COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF ELECTORAL MANAGEMENT**

The General Elections Commission of the Republic of Indonesia and the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission of the Republic of Kenya (hereinafter referred to collectively as “Parties” and singularly as “Party”);

**Desiring** to strengthen the existing friendly relations and bilateral cooperation between the Parties;

**Taking into account** the Parties’ respective experience in the field of elections;

**Acknowledging** the need to formalize the Parties’ relationship to foster cooperation of the development of human resources and exchange of knowledge in the field of Elections with a view to jointly promote democratic values and the professionalization of Electoral Management;

**Pursuant** to the prevailing laws and regulations of the Parties respective states;

**Hereby have reached** the following understanding:

**ARTICLE 1  
OBJECTIVE**

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as the MoU) is to provide a framework for cooperation in enhancing electoral management of the Parties, based on democratic values.

**ARTICLE 2  
SCOPE OF COOPERATION**

The Parties will endeavour to cooperate in human resources development and exchange of knowledge in information, communication and technology aspects related to electoral management.

**ARTICLE 3  
FORMS OF COOPERATION**

The forms of cooperation will be as follows:

1. Programs or other activities to develop human resources and exchange of knowledge in information, communication and technology aspects related to electoral management;
2. Such programmes and other activities as referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Article can be conducted in the forms of focus group discussions, workshops, international conferences on human resource development, election information exchange, training, knowledge and technology information development on electoral management; and
3. Any other forms of cooperation as mutually agreed upon by the Parties.

**ARTICLE 4**  
**DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

The Parties will designate liaison officers to facilitate communication and inform each other of the name and position of the designated officers and their contact details. Any changes of liaison officer will be communicated accordingly in writing and in due course.

**ARTICLE 5**  
**PARTICIPATION IN SIMILAR ACTIVITIES**

Nothing in this MoU will in any way, prevent either Party from entering into bilateral agreement with organizations in other countries on matters covered under this MoU.

**ARTICLE 6**  
**CONFIDENTIALITY**

1. Each Party shall protect the confidentiality of all information, data, material, intellectual property or communication furnished to it by the other Party pursuant to this MoU against unauthorized disclosure.
2. The receiving Party shall not disclose such information to any third party without the prior written consent of the disclosing Party or use such information for any purpose other than to carry out the purpose of this MoU.
3. Each party has the right to refuse providing information and/or data if the information and/or data are included in state secrets.
4. This article will survive the expiry or termination of this MoU for any reason whatsoever.

**ARTICLE 7**  
**FUNDING AND RESOURCES**

Funding of cooperation activities under this MoU will be mutually determined by the Parties and will be carried out based on the availability of funds.

**ARTICLE 8  
AMENDMENT**

This MoU may be amended as mutually agreed upon in writing by the Parties. Such amendments will come into force on a date as may be mutually agreed upon by the Parties and will form an integral part of this MoU.

**ARTICLE 9  
DISPUTE SETTLEMENTS**

Any differences between the Parties relating to the interpretation and application of this MoU will be settled amicably through negotiations.

**ARTICLE 10  
BASIC PRINCIPLES OF IMPLEMENTATION**

The parties shall adhere to the internationally accepted principles and values which shall be consistent with the applicable domestic laws.

**ARTICLE 11  
COMING INTO EFFECT, DURATION, AND TERMINATION**

1. This MoU will come into effect on the date of its signature.
2. This MoU will remain valid for a period of 5 (five) years and may be extended by mutual written consent of the Parties for a subsequent period of 5 (five) years.
3. This MoU may be terminated by either Party upon written notification to the other Party 3 (three) months prior to its termination. This termination will not affect the completion of programmes started under this MoU, unless otherwise agreed by the Parties.

**ARTICLE 12**  
**CHANNELS OF COMMUNICATION**

1. All notices, approvals, consents, or other communications made pursuant to this MoU will be in writing.
2. The channels of communication will be as follows;

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned, the authorized representatives of the respective Parties, have signed this MoU.

Signed in Jakarta, Indonesia on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022 in 2 (two) originals each in the Indonesian and English languages, all text being equally authentic. In the event there is any difference in interpretation between the two texts, the English text will prevail.

**For the General Elections  
Commission of the Republic of  
Indonesia**



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**For the Independent Electoral and  
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