



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

THE GENERAL ELECTIONS COMMISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

AND

THE ASSOCIATION OF WORLD ELECTION BODIES

ON COOPERATION IN DEVELOPING HUMAN RESOURCES AND AN EXCHANGE OF KNOWLEDGE ON ELECTIONS

The General Elections Commission of the Republic of Indonesia (KPU) and the Association of World Election Bodies (AWEB), singularly referred to as the "Party", and collectively as the "Parties",

Desiring to strengthen the existing institutional relations between the Parties;

Committed to work together in promoting conditions conducive to elections on the basis of democracy, good governance and the principles of direct, general, independent, confidential, fair, and upright elections;

Reaffirming the role of international cooperation in ensuring a credible electoral process;

Taking into account the experience gained by the Parties in the field of election and democracy;

Recognizing the importance of the principles of sovereignty and respect to territorial integrity;

Pursuant to the prevailing laws and regulations applicable to the Parties;

Hereby agreed as follows:

ARTICLE 1 OBJECTIVE

The objective of this Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as, "MoU") is to strengthen the existing institutional relations between the Parties and to provide framework for cooperation in developing human resources of knowledge on elections.

ARTICLE 2 SCOPE OF COOPERATION

The scope of cooperation between the Parties will be as follows:

- Convening of workshops, focus group discussion or seminars, jointly held by the Parties, on topics of particular interests to them.
- Encouragement of reciprocal participation in conferences, workshops, seminars, training courses, or exhibits of mutual interests.
- Capacity building in the field of information, communication and technology to support and ensure a credible electoral process.

ARTICLE 3 IMPLEMENTING ARRANGEMENT

The Parties may enter into an implementing arrangement when necessary to further execute the implmentation of this Memorandum of Understanding.

ARTICLE 4 FUNDING

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

ARTICLE 5 AMENDMENT

This MoU may be amended as mutually agreed by the Parties. Such amendment shall come into force on a date as may be mutually agreed upon by the Parties.

ARTICLE 6 SETTLEMENT OF DIFFERENCES

Any differences between the Parties relating to the interpretation and application of this MoU will be settled amicably through negotiations or other mutually agreed mode of settlement.

ARTICLE 7 ENTRY INTO FORCE, DURATION, AND TERMINATION

- This MoU will come into effect on the date of its signing.
- 2) This MoU will remain in effect for a period of 2 (two) years and may be extended by a mutual written consent of the Parties.
- 3) This MoU may be terminated by either Party upon written notification within 3 (three) months prior to its termination. This termination will not affect the completion of program made under this MoU, unless otherwise agreed by the Parties.

The undersigned, being duly authorised thereto, have signed this Memorandum of Understanding.

Signed in Songdo, Republic of Korea on 11 April 2016, in two originals in the English and Bahasa Indonesia languages, all texts being equally authentic. In case of any divergence of interpretation, the English text will be used.

for the General Election Commission of the Republic of Indonesia

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