Agreement on Academic Cooperation between Sato Yo International Scholarship Foundation And Khon Kaen University

Sato Yo International Scholarship Foundation (hereinafter referred to as the "Foundation") and Khon Kaen University (hereinafter referred to as the "University") agree to the following terms and conditions for the nomination of students to be dispatched to universities in Japan for the purpose of short-term exchange on the basis of an inter-university academic exchange agreement.

Article 1 Purpose

The objective of this Agreement is to facilitate the Foundation's activities in support of short-term exchange students as well as contribute to the University's smooth implementation of student nomination and dispatch.

Article 2 Student Eligibility

- 1. Students entitled to this Agreement for short term exchange program must be of Thai nationality and enrolled in Khon Kaen University. He or she must have applied and been accepted to a Japanese university on the basis of the inter-university academic exchange agreement.
- 2. During the period of this Agreement, the University shall nominate two students for a short-term exchange program to the Foundation every year. The nominated student must meet the aforesaid eligibility criteria to be accepted in the autumn term of the host institution.
- 3. The student referred by the University must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher.

Article 3 Effective Period

- 1. The effective period of this Agreement is 5 years and will enter into effect from October 1, 2014 to September 30, 2019. Moreover, in the event that a student's term of scholarship goes beyond the effective period of this Agreement, the student shall continue to receive support until the end of the scholarship period.
- 2. If under reasons of the University, there are no students nominated for two years during the period of this Agreement, the Foundation has the right to ask for termination of this Agreement.
- 3. Should either the Foundation or University wish to terminate this Agreement, a written notice must be given six months prior to the desired date of termination.

Article 4 Cooperation by Host University

- 1. The University must obtain prior consent of the host university as for the Foundation's scholarship recipient's participation in various exchange events and activities.
- 2. The University must confirm with the host university that the scholarship recipient will not be placed at any disadvantage in situations such as finding accommodation or payment of tuition.

Article 5 Nomination and Selection of Exchange Students

- 1. The University must submit to the Foundation via the host university, the necessary documents recommending the nominated student for a short-term exchange program by the designated deadline.
- 2. The Foundation must then proceed with the selection committee, review the nomination documents and notify the result to the University within the designated deadline.

Article 6 Scholarship and Other Expenses

The Foundation shall grant the following scholarship amount to those students who have passed the application screening as set forth in Article 5-2.

- ① The amount of 100,000 Japanese yen shall be granted monthly for up to 10 months. The scholarship shall terminate upon end of the exchange period.
- ② Payments for two months will be transferred bimonthly to the scholarship recipient's bank account.
- 3 Round-trip travel expenses as well as a lump-sum payment of 50,000 yen will be provided.
- ④ One-way transportation fee from arrival airport to the station nearest to the scholarship student's lodging will be provided.

Article 7 Student Requirements

Recipients of the scholarship Foundation shall fulfill the requirements as set forth in the attached Rules and Requirements for SISF Grantee Students.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in duplicate by their authorized representatives, and each party retains one copy thereof, respectively.

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