Agreement  
on The Establishment Of Friendship City Relations  
between  
The Bangkok Metropolitan Administration, The Kingdom Of Thailand  
and  
The Daegu Metropolitan Government, The Republic Of Korea  

The Bangkok Metropolitan Administration, The Kingdom of Thailand, and the Daegu Metropolitan Government, the Republic of Korea, (hereinafter referred to as “The Parties”);  

Guided by mutual aspiration toward the strengthening of understanding and goodwill between their respective cities; and  

With the strong desire to establish Friendship City Relations between the two Parties in furtherance of the “strategic partnership” between the Kingdom of Thailand and the Republic of Korea;  

Have agreed as follows:  

1. The Parties will, within the limits of their authority, financial and technical capabilities and to the extent permitted by the laws and regulations in force in their respective countries, cooperate with each other to promote mutual prosperity and development on the basis of the principles of equality and mutual benefit.  

2. The Parties will carry out cooperation in the fields of economy, transportation management, environmental protection, education, youth activities and people-to-people exchanges, tourism, cultural diversity, sports, training and healthcare compatible with their respective Governments’ policies and international obligations.  

3. The Parties will encourage their agencies concerned to strengthen regular contacts with each other for the cooperation under this Agreement and will also encourage exchange of visits between their officials.  

4. The Parties will consult with each other regarding the modalities and programmes of cooperation in implementation of this Agreement by convening regular meetings at high-ranking level to discuss solutions to problems that may arise in the process, to monitor and evaluate the achievement of joint projects as well as to ensure concrete results and mutual benefit.  

5. The Parties will ensure that financial resources to support exchanges and activities are available prior to their undertaking.  

6. The Agreement shall come into effect on the date of signature by the Parties and shall remain in force for a period of five years and shall be renewed automatically for similar periods, unless either Party gives a prior six months’ written notice.
to the other Party of its intention to terminate the Agreement. In such a case, the activities and projects already in progress or executed shall not be affected.

Done in Bangkok on 17 August 2017 in duplicate in the Thai, Korean and English languages; all texts being equally authentic. In case of any divergence of interpretation, the English text shall prevail.

For the Bangkok Metropolitan Administration
The Kingdom of Thailand

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For the Daegu Metropolitan Government,
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(Kwon Youngjin)
Mayor of Daegu