AGREEMENT ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE POLISH PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TURKEY

The Government of the Polish People's Republic and the Government of the Republic of Turkey (hereinafter referred to as "The Contracting Parties"),

- desirous of developing and strengthening the friendly relations between the two countries,
- desirous of expanding and intensifying the economic cooperation to which they acknowledge the essential role in the development of mutual relations,
- desirous to use more effectively the possibilities created by economic potential and technical progress of both countries,
- with reference to the Trade Agreement enacted in Warsaw on 23 April 1974 between the Polish People's Republic and the Republic of Turkey,
- animated by the provisions of Final Act of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe, have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE 1

The Contracting Parties shall be taking all necessary measures to create the most favourable conditions for the development of economic and technical cooperation between the two countries on the basis of mutual advantages.

ARTICLE 2

The Contracting Parties undertake to initiate and promote the development of economic and technical cooperation between the respective organizations and enterprises of both countries, in all the areas being a subject of common interest, particularly in:

- energy,
- mining,
- shipping economy including shipbuilding industry,

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- chemical, fertilizer, textile, electromechanical machines for mines, machine and machine tools, motor and building materials industries,
- metallurgy (foundaries, forges, extractive metallurgical plants)
- construction and road construction machinery,
- transport and communication,
- food-agriculture and animal husbandry,
- processing and preparation for marketing of agricultural produce and food-stuffs,
- forestry and wood processing industries,
- tourism.

ARTICLE 3

The economic and technical cooperation in agreed areas might be effected in various scope and various forms, in accordance with the regulations being in force in both countries, and in particular through:

- designing, technical supervision and assembling services,
- exchange of know-how, patents and licences,
- joint realization of investment projects, including erection of complete industrial plants,
- cooperation in production of various machines, equipment and means of transport,
- exchange of experts, specialists and technicians,
- joint research and development of new technological processes tending towards modernisation and increasing production,
- setting up of conferences, symposiums and exhibitions.

ARTICLE 4

The detailed provisions relating to forms and conditions of the cooperation in agreed areas, shall be formulated in separate agreements and/or contracts, concluded between the competent institutions and organizations of both countries.

The two Contracting Parties shall encourage the said institutions and organizations to conclude the long-term contracts and agreements.

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ARTICLE 5

In order to assure proper conditions for realization of cooperation undertakings, mutually recognized as interesting and advantageous, the Contracting Parties making use of the capabilities and experience of the enterprises of their countries - shall enable employment of various legal and institutional forms of cooperation within the territories of both countries and on the territories of third countries.

ARTICLE 6

The payments resulting from the realization of this Agreement shall be affected in accordance with the stipulations of the Trade Agreement in force or through mutual understandings or arrangements to be reached between the two countries.

ARTICLE 7

The Joint Commission for economic and technical cooperation, consisting of the representatives of the two Governments - will be established. The Joint Commission shall have the following main tasks:

- to supervise the implementation of this Agreement,
- general coordination of the economic and technical cooperation between the two countries,
- examining the problems arising in course of the implementation of this Agreement, and recommending of the measures for solving it.

The Joint Commission shall meet once a year at least in time mutually agreed upon, alternatively in Poland and Turkey.

ARTICLE 8

The present Agreement is concluded for the period of five years and shall be automatically extended for the further periods of one year unless either of the Contracting Parties declares in writing its intention to terminate the Agreement six months prior to its expiry.

ARTICLE 9

The present Agreement is subject to ratification or approval in accordance with the procedure of each country, and shall enter into force on the day of exchanging diplomatic notes confirming its ratification or approval.

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ARTICLE 10

The provisions of this Agreement shall continue even after its termination to govern contracts concluded within its framework and during its validity.

Done and signed in Ankara on 31st January, 1980 in two originals in English language.

For the Polish People's Republic For the Republic of Turkey

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