

AGREEMENT

between the Government of the Republic of Moldova and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia on visa exemption for holders of diplomatic and service passports

The Government of the Republic of Moldova and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, hereinafter referred to as "the Parties",

Desiring to promote further development of bilateral relations and cooperation between the two countries,

Expressing their readiness to exempt nationals of the two countries holding diplomatic and service passports, from entry visa to enter each other's territory,

Pursuant to the laws and regulations of the respective countries,

Have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE 1 Visa exemption

1. Nationals of the Republic of Indonesia, holders of valid diplomatic and service passports, shall not be required to obtain a visa to enter, transit or stay in the territory of the Republic of Moldova for period not exceeding 90 (ninety) days within 6 months from the date of first entry into the country. This period may be extended by competent authorities of the Republic of Moldova.
2. Nationals of the Republic of Moldova, holders of valid diplomatic and service passports, shall not be required to obtain a visa to enter, transit or stay in the territory of the Republic of Indonesia for period not exceeding 30 (thirty) days for each visit.

ARTICLE 2 Duration of passports validity

The duration of diplomatic and service passport validity of nationals of the state of either Party shall be at least 6 (six) months on the day of the entry into the territory of the other party.

ARTICLE 3 Entry and exit conditions

Nationals of the states of the Parties, which are subject to the provisions of this Agreement may enter, leave and transit the territory of the state of the other Party at any border crossing points open for international traffic, provided that they respect the laws and regulations of the state of the respective Parties, governing the procedures of entry, travel, stay and exit of foreigners.

ARTICLE 4
Rights of authorities

1. The competent authorities of the state of the Parties reserves the right to refuse entry into its territory, to shorten or to terminate the stay of any person falling under the visa exemption in accordance with this Agreement, for reasons of national security, public order or public health.
2. Nationals of the State of the Parties, holders of diplomatic and service passports must respect the laws and regulations of the host State during their stay in the territory of the host state.
3. The Parties shall immediately inform each other in writing form through diplomatic channels for some changes in their national laws and regulations governing the entry, transit and exit of foreigners.

ARTICLE 5
Visa for members of diplomatic mission and consular posts

Holders of diplomatic and service passports of any of the Parties appointed to work in a diplomatic mission or consular post in the territory of the other State Party, including their family members (the term family members refer to husband/wife, unmarried children, unemployed and their dependent parents), shall be required to obtain appropriate entry visa from the diplomatic mission or consular posts of the state of the other Party prior to the entry into territory of the other state Party. They may enter, stay and leave the receiving State during the term of appointment.

ARTICLE 6
Suspension

The Agreement may be suspended by both Parties, in whole or in part, for reasons of national security, public order or public health, which should be officially communicated, together with reasons for the suspension, through diplomatic channels, not less 72 (seventy-two) hours in advance.

ARTICLE 7
Specimens of the passports

1. The Parties, through diplomatic channels, will exchange specimens of the passports specified in Article 1 of this Agreement no later than 30 (thirty) days after signing of this Agreement.
2. In case of introduction of new diplomatic and service passports as well as modifications of existing ones, the parties shall inform each other, in written trough diplomatic channels, about any changes no later than 30 (thirty) days prior to their official introduction.

ARTICLE 8
Settlement of disputes

Any differences or disputes arising out of the implementation of the provisions of this Agreement shall be settled amicably by consultation or negotiation between the Parties.

ARTICLE 9
Amendments

This Agreement may be amended or revised, if it is deemed necessary, by mutual written consent of the Parties. Such amendment or revision shall enter into force according to the provision of the paragraph 1 of the Article 10 of this Agreement, and form as integral part of this Agreement.

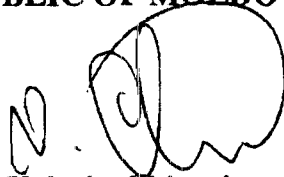
ARTICLE 10
Entry into force

1. This Agreement shall enter into force sixty (60) days from the date of the last written notification, through diplomatic channels, by which the Parties notify each other of the completion of internal legal procedures necessary for its entry into force.
2. This Agreement shall remain in force for period of 5 (five) years and shall be renewed automatically for further periods of 5 (five) years, unless either Party decides to terminate this Agreement by giving written notice to the other Party through diplomatic channels 30 (thirty) days prior to expected termination date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned being duly authorized, have signed this Agreement.

Done in Chisinau, on the 10th of December 2013 in two originals, each in the Moldovan, Indonesian and English languages, all texts being equally authentic. In case of any divergence of interpretation, the English text shall prevail.

**FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
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