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AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION ON COOPERATION IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

The Government of the State of Israel and the Government of the Russian Federation hereinafter referred to as "The Parties",

Referring to the Memorandum of Understanding adopted by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation and the State of Israel on 22 September 1992 and to the Protocol of Intentions, signed on 20 October 1992 between the Ministry of Science, Higher Education and Technology Policy of the Russian Federation and the Ministry of Science and Technology of the State of Israel,

Wishing to advance cooperation in science and technology between the two countries,

Convinced that scientific and technological cooperation is an important basis for bilateral relations,

Recognizing the importance and mutual benefit which the development of science and technology can provide to the economy and society of both countries,

Hereby agree as follows:

Article 1

The Parties shall conduct and promote mutually advantageous and balanced scientific and technological cooperation in the agreed fields.

Article 2

The Parties shall promote cooperation in mission oriented fundamental research.

Both Parties shall encourage various initiatives aimed at providing financial support for joint projects, both on a bilateral and on a multilateral level, in modes and ways that will be agreed upon by the Parties.

Article 3

Aware of the significant importance of innovation and technological progress for the dynamic advance of their economies and societies, the Parties shall strive to extend and stimulate cooperation in the field of scientific and technological research in every possible way by observing the appropriate intellectual rights.

¹ Came into force on 15 December 1994, the date of the last of the notifications by which the Parties informed each other of the completion of the internal legal procedures, in accordance with article 11.