# Memorandum on Cooperation between the Azerbaijan National Library Named After M. F. Akhundov and the National Széchényi Library of Hungary

The Azerbaijan National Library named after M.F.Akhundov and the National Széchényi Library of Hungary hereinafter referred to as "Parties", are stating their intent to develop professional relations between the libraries and to establish conditions for cooperation in the fields of science, culture and dissemination as well as exchange of information resources.

The Parties have agreed as follows:

# Article 1

The Parties will cooperate in the fields of automation of library bibliography processes, electronic exchange and delivery of documents, scientific bibliography, restoration and conservation of rare books and human resources development.

# Article 2

In order to exchange experience and knowledge on perspectives of development and achievements in the fields of library science and library information, the Parties shall strengthen cooperation in the following areas:

- automation of library bibliography processes;
- reciprocal use of electronic libraries and electronic catalogue;
- exchange of electronic information;
- scientific research in the fields of book and book publishing;
- technologies of safeguarding, restoration and conservation of rare books;
- developing international book exchange in order to improve the archives of the libraries:
- organization of book exhibitions:
- exchange of experience between specialists of all fields of library work;
- organization of training courses, workshops, scientific conferences and seminars.

#### Article 3

Professional visits of library experts will be paid by the sending party, independent of the number of persons or days, on demand. Travel and accommodation costs as well as per diem must be paid by the sending and not the receiving party.

# Article 4

This Memorandum on Cooperation shall remain in force for the period of 5 years and shall be extended for another period of 5 years unless either Party 6 months prior to the date of expiration of the Memorandum notifies in writing the other Party about its intention to terminate it.

# Article 5

If it is required, the Parties -- on the basis of written consent and after preliminary notification of the other Party -- may make additions and amendments to this Memorandum on Cooperation.

# Article 6

Memorandum on Cooperation enters into force upon signing. Memorandum on Cooperation was signed in \_\_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 2012 in Azerbaijani, Hungarian and English languages, all texts being authentic. In case of divergence of interpretation of this Memorandum, the English text shall prevail.

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