

MEMORANDUM

of cooperation between the National Security Bureau of the Republic of Poland and the Staff of the National Security Council of the Republic of Armenia

The National Security Bureau of the Republic of Poland and the Staff of the National Security Council of the Republic of Armenia (hereafter referred to as “the Parties”),

Recognizing the importance of Polish-Armenian relations,

Desiring to further enhance cooperation and bilateral ties on subjects of common interest,

have reached an understanding on the following:

Article 1

The Parties will contribute to the further enhancement of cooperation in key matters as regards the security of the Republic of Poland and the Republic of Armenia.

Article 2

The Parties will contribute to the implementation of interstate, intergovernmental and interagency agreements in political, military, economic and humanitarian areas.

Article 3

The Parties will collaborate in the directions of international and regional security, including expansion of cooperation in the framework of international organizations. The dialogue between the Parties will include exchange of views concerning common threats and challenges for security, role of the EU and NATO in securing regional stabilization, and other issues, according to the mutual agreements of the Parties.

Article 4

The Parties will contribute to strengthening the bilateral cooperation in the area of economic security.

Article 5

The Parties will exchange experience in different security-related directions, including organization of bilateral consultations and meetings with interested specialists. Bilateral consultations between the Parties will be held at least once a year, alternately on the territory of the Republic of Poland and the Republic of Armenia.

Article 6

The Parties will facilitate the process of strengthening bilateral cooperation in the military and military-technical areas and in the fight against international terrorism, trans-boundary organized crime, illegal drug circulation and trafficking.

Article 7

When appropriate, the Parties will exchange information of common importance in key directions of cooperation in accordance with their national laws, generally recognized principles and norms of international law, and international commitments of the Republic of Poland and the Republic of Armenia.

Article 8

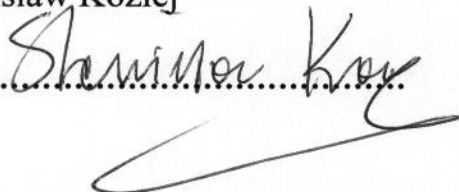
Amendments to this Memorandum shall take effect on written agreement between the Parties, in separate protocol, which must be considered an integral part of this Memorandum.

Article 9

This Memorandum will become effective upon signature of the Parties and will not terminate unless one of the Parties provides written notice of termination three months in advance of the termination date.

This Memorandum was signed in Warsaw, on 2nd November, 2010 in two original copies, each in English, Polish and Armenian languages, all text being equally authentic. In case of any discrepancy in their interpretation, the English text shall prevail.

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