

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA AND THE CONSTITUTIONAL COUNCIL OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN

The Constitutional Court of the Republic of Indonesia and the Constitutional Council of the Republic of Kazakhstan, hereinafter collectively referred as "the Parties", individually referred as "the Party",

recognizing the significance of bilateral cooperation to further strengthen and provide an adequate framework for future institutional cooperation,

realizing that the increasing and intensified methods of cooperation and exchange of information between the Parties will be mutually beneficial in protecting human rights, enhancing democracy and upholding the implementation of the rule of law in two countries,

have reached the following understanding:

## Article 1 The aim of Memorandum

The aim of this Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter – «the MoU») is to provide a framework for cooperation in the field of constitutional law.

#### Article 2

#### The scope of cooperation

In accordance with this MoU, the Parties will cooperate in the following areas:

- Mutual exchange of information and experience in the field of constitutional justice;
- Exchange of acts adopted by the Parties within their competencies and other materials of legal character, as well as written rules;
- Organization of conferences, congresses, seminars and/or other activities
   on judicial and legal issues of mutual interest;
- Institutional capacity building through mutual visits, professional courses, trainings, internship and joint research;
- e. Other forms of cooperation as mutually agreed by the Parties.

#### Article 3

#### Communication

- Communication between the Parties for the realization of this MoU will be assigned to the Secretariats of the Parties.
- The Parties will designate one or more employees of the Office as liaison officers to facilitate correspondence and maintain the necessary preparation on implementation of this MoU.

#### Article 4

#### Communication language

1. The communication between the Parties shall be conducted in English.

 Administrative documents shall be in English, unless both Parties agree otherwise.

### Article 5 Legal status

This MoU will not be considered as an international treaty or agreement, legally binding under international law.

## Article 6 Settlement of disputes

The Parties will resolve any disputes arising from the interpretation of this MoU through negotiation and consultation.

## Article 7 Amendments

Any amendments and revisions to this MoU will be made on the basis of mutual written consent between the Parties. Such amendment and revision will come into effect on the date as may be mutually agreed upon by the Parties and shall form an integral part of this MoU.

## Article 8 Entry into effect

 This MoU will come into effect on the date of its signature and remain in force for a period of 5 (five) years. MoU shall be automatically extended for the subsequent five years period if neither Party declares in writing its intention to terminate it three months before the expiration of the corresponding five year period. 2. This MoU may be terminated by either Party through written notification to other Party.

Signed in Bali, on 2<sup>nd</sup> of November 2019 in two originals in the Indonesian, Kazakh and English languages, all texts being equally authentic. In case of any divergence of interpretation the English text shall prevail.

Chief Justice, Republic of Indonesia

Chairman, The Constitutional Court of the 
The Constitutional Council of the Republic of Kazakhstan

**Anwar Usman**