



## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

**BETWEEN**

**INSTITUTE OF RADIATION EMERGENCY MEDICINE,  
HIROSAKI UNIVERSITY, JAPAN**

**AND**

**FACULTY OF ASSOCIATED MEDICAL SCIENCES,  
CHIANG MAI UNIVERSITY, THAILAND**

Institute of Radiation Emergency Medicine (hereinafter referred to as 'IREM') of Hiroasaki University and Faculty of Associated Medical Sciences, Chiang Mai University, hereinafter referred to as "the Parties";

Considering the Parties' common interest in human resources development and radiation research;

Recognizing the mutual benefits from the Parties' cooperation;

Have agreed as follows.

### **Article 1 GUIDING PRINCIPLE**

- 1.1 The Parties shall promote their cooperation in the field of education, training, radiation research and other related fields.
- 1.2 The Parties shall implement the cooperation on the basis of mutual benefit, equality, and reciprocity and in accordance with the relevant laws and regulations of their respective countries.
- 1.3 Whenever the Parties agree to undertake cooperation, they shall produce an appendix to the MOU that specifies details of the intended cooperation. All appendixes will be signed by appropriate representatives of the Parties.

### **Article 2 SCOPE AND METHOD OF COOPERATION**

- 2.1 To provide workshops or training courses in radiation research, health physics and other related fields for students and/or employees of the Parties.
- 2.2 To conduct joint research on radiation, health physics and other related fields.
- 2.3 Other fields in which the Parties agree to cooperate.

### Article 3 COORDINATION

Each Party shall designate a coordinator to act as a contact point for communications and arrangements concerned with the MOU's implementation.

### Article 4 FINANCIAL PROVISIONS

Each Party shall bear, in principle, its own expenses in connection with the activities conducted under this MOU. When necessary for specific activities concerning the MOU, bearer(s) of the expenditure shall be decided after mutual discussion.

### Article 5 ENTRY INTO FORCE, DURATION, AND TERMINATION

This MOU shall come into effect from the date of signature of the Parties and shall remain valid for a period of 5 (five) years. This MOU shall be extended automatically for additional periods of 1 (one) year, unless it is terminated at any time at the discretion of either party upon 90 (ninety) days advance notification in writing by the party seeking to terminate the MOU

### Article 6 LEGAL EFFECTIVENESS

Since the MOU consists only of an expression of mutual understanding of the Parties, the MOU is not intended to constitute a legally binding document.

In WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this MOU.

**On behalf of**  
**IREM,**  
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