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**ANNEX II TO THE PROTOCOL BETWEEN
THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
AND
THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS
OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA
ON
COOPERATION IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
OF TRANSPORTATION**

The Corps of Engineers of the Department of the Army of the United States of America and the Bureau of Science and Technology of the Ministry of Communications of the People's Republic of China (hereinafter referred to as the "Parties"), in accordance with the Protocol between the Department of Transportation of the United States of America and the Ministry of Communications of the People's Republic of China on Cooperation in Science and Technology of Transportation, signed at Beijing on 11 May 1983 (hereinafter referred to as the "Protocol"), and the Supplementary Agreement thereto signed at Beijing on 26 August 1985, agree in this Annex to pursue and promote scientific and technical cooperation and collaboration in the field of transportation as follows:

ARTICLE I

The objective of this Annex is to provide and promote opportunities for cooperation and collaboration related to research and laboratory activities in science and technology in the fields of port engineering, waterborne transportation and other areas of mutual interest.

ARTICLE II

1. Both Parties agree to undertake scientific and technical cooperation and collaboration on the basis of mutually agreeable specific project arrangements or plans in the various fields of scientific and technical cooperation. The projects and activities may include:

- A. Study on regulation of inland waterways and harbors;
- B. Study on siltation problems of silty and sandy coastal harbors;
- C. Study on effect of wind waves and irregular waves upon harbor structures;
- D. Study on application of mathematical modelling for estuary, harbor and waterway regulation;
- E. Study on the use of hydraulic design to minimize environmental pollution in harbors and waterways;
- F. Study on improvement of testing and measuring instruments for tide, wave, current, and sediment;
- G. Study on application of remote sensing and radio-isotope technology in the development of harbors, estuaries and coastal areas;
- H. Study on properties of soft clayey solid in silty coastal harbors and their effect upon harbor structures;
- I. Study on speedy consolidation technology for silty foundations in harbor construction including submerged silty foundations and filling clay foundations;

J. Study on durability of and anti-corrosion techniques for reinforced concrete and steel structures in harbors;

K. Study on static and dynamic stress analysis, field measurement technology and reliability analysis for harbor structures; and

L. Such other specific fields of scientific and technological cooperation as may be mutually agreed.

2. Cooperation under this Annex may include all the forms provided for in the aforesaid Protocol.

ARTICLE III

1. For the purposes of promoting cooperation under this Annex, each Party shall designate a Project Officer and notify the other side of same within two months of the effective date of this Annex. The Project Officers shall be responsible for facilitating and coordinating all activities undertaken by the Parties pursuant to this Annex, including the designation of groups of experts to discuss special questions.

2. Each year, the Project Officers shall consult each other through correspondence and propose plans for the joint activities undertaken pursuant to Article IV of this Annex.

3. As necessary, the Project Officers or their deputies shall meet alternately in the United States of America and the People's Republic of China.

4. The Corps of Engineers of the Department of the Army shall designate its Project Officer in consultation with the United States Department of Transportation and shall coordinate all activities under this Annex with the United States Department of Transportation which has the responsibility for obligations of the United States under the aforesaid Protocol of 11 May 1983.

ARTICLE IV

1. Both Parties agree that specific cooperation projects and activities as mutually agreed shall be embodied in implementing project arrangements or plans. These arrangements or plans may cover the subjects and term of cooperation, procedures to be followed, organizations to be involved, funding and other appropriate matters.

2. Information involved in projects and activities shall be treated in accordance with the principles set out in Article VIII of the aforesaid Protocol.

ARTICLE V

Each Party shall use its best efforts to facilitate the conduct of cooperative projects and activities in its territory under this Annex.

ARTICLE VI

This Annex shall enter into force upon signature and shall remain in effect as long as the Protocol between the Department of Transportation of the United States of America and the Ministry of Communications of the People's Republic of China on Cooperation in Science and Technology of Transportation signed in Beijing on May 11, 1983. It may be amended or extended by mutual agreement of the Parties.

DONE at Washington, D.C., on the 6th day of May 1987 in duplicate in the English and Chinese languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Department of the Army
of the United States of America



May 3, 1987

For the the Ministry of
Communications of the People's
Republic of China

