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# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING Between Korea and Vietnam

Tuesday, 23 February 2010

November 19, 2009 in Hanoi MEMORANDUM  
OF UNDERSTANDING Between Science and  
Technology Policy Institute (STEPI), Korea And National Institute for S&T  
Policy and Strategy Studies (NISTPASS), Vietnam

The Science and Technology Policy Institute (STEPI) and the  
National Institute for Science and Technology Policy and Strategy Studies  
(NISTPASS), desirous of promoting closer ties and greater understanding between  
Korea and Vietnam, and recognizing the mutual benefits that may be derived from  
a program of collaboration in science and technology policy research, have  
agreed to extend and increase these activities according to the following  
understanding:

STEPI and NISTPASS agreed to  
cooperate as follows:

To collaborate in research in  
science and technology policy where this seems desirable and the available  
resources permit. Such collaboration may include activities resulting in  
joint output, research consultations, and the holding seminars and  
meetings.

To exchange information and  
researchers for short and long-term periods where such exchanges appear  
desirable and when resources permit.

To undertake human resources  
training and other joint activities as agreed by both institutes.

This Memorandum of Understanding is  
written in English and will be effective from the day signed by both Parties,  
throughout the duration of three years. Either Party may, at any time,  
terminate this Memorandum of Understanding by giving other Party a six months'  
advance written notice.