

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
BETWEEN  
JIANGSU PROVINCE OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA  
AND  
THE CAPITAL REGION OF THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK  
ON ESTABLISHING TWINNING RELATIONS

Acting in accordance with Diplomatic Relations established between the People's Republic of China and the Kingdom of Denmark,

Wishing to enhance mutual understanding and friendship between the Chinese and Danish people, and consolidate and develop friendly exchanges and cooperation between Jiangsu Province and the Capital Region of Denmark,

We have agreed to, through friendly consultations, to further strengthen our work in the following aspects under the framework of our twinning relations:

1. Expand two-way trade and investments. Encourage and support promotional business activities of the two sides, such as trade fairs and development of services encouraging mutual business investments. Exchange information on business opportunities and provide assistance to companies of the two sides to establish contacts.
2. Promote cooperation within energy conservation and environmental protection, green building and eco-city construction including green technologies and products, and not least in areas such as energy production and distribution (smart grid, wind power), soil and groundwater contamination, waste water management, and solid waste management.
3. Further cooperation in public health in areas such as tumor, cardio-cerebrovascular disease, maternal and child health care, telemedicine, and solutions regarding challenges of ageing populations and care for the elderly. Ways of cooperation include the two regions respectively to dispatch health departments and educated, medical personnel to study in the other region. Mutual exchange visits, health and medicine seminars, and match-making between hospitals in the two regions are examples of activities aimed at enhancing study activities. Furthermore, the two regions support hospitals and health departments to establish cooperative relationship. Extensive exchanges are encouraged in fields of clinical medicine, disease prevention, scientific research, innovation, education and patient care, as well as the use of medical equipment and medicines.
4. Promote cooperation in the field of education e.g. through exchange of students and teachers and joint research and educational projects between educational institutions of the two sides.
5. Deepen cooperation in science and technology sector. Encourage high-tech

enterprises, colleges and universities, and science and technology parks in the two regions to enhance exchanges and cooperation in fields including energy, environment protection, bio-pharmaceutical and agriculture, support joint innovation center, international cooperation park, and carry out joint research and development and international technology transfer.

6. Promote pragmatic cooperation in market development and tourist sources exchanges among tourist administrations, travel agents and tourist enterprises.
7. Both parties agree to unfold cooperation in the following major fields (2013-2014):
  - Technology and competences in paediatrics, mother-child treatment and dementia care.
  - Green, sustainable construction.
  - Soil contamination connected to urbanization and water supply.
  - Innovative centers within Smart Grid and renewable energy.
  - Life Science Innovation Alliance.

When both parties (upon development of the proposals and considerations on content, financial aspects etc.) agree to implement one or more of these project proposals, specific agreements, within the framework of this memorandum of understanding, are to be signed.

Foreign Affairs Office of Jiangsu Provincial Government and the Department of Regional Development of the Capital Region of Denmark will be in charge of friendly exchanges and cooperation between the two sides. The Foreign Affairs Office and the Department of Regional Development should maintain regular contact. Relevant departments of each side should forward progress-reports of specialized, cooperative efforts to the Office and the Department of Regional Development, respectively. Every one and a half year, the Office and the Department of Regional Development, shall make a summary report on the cooperation of the previous period and revise the program of friendly exchanges and cooperation through consultation for the next period, in an attempt to make the cooperation continuously effective and focused. A steering committee, commonly lead by officers from the two parties at the level of region chief operations officer, meets every one and a half year to evaluate and further enhance the overall cooperation between the two parties.

This MOU, signed on \_\_\_\_\_, 2013, in Nanjing, shall enter into force on the date of its signature. The MOU is done in triplicate in the Chinese, Danish and English languages, all of which are equally authentic.

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Vice Governor  
Jiangsu Province  
People's Republic of China

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Vice Chairman of the Regional Council  
Capital Region  
The Kingdom of Denmark