

## ARTICLE 10

With the aim of implementing this Agreement through bilateral consultations and through the submission of recommendations to their competent authorities a Joint Commission shall be convened periodically composed of equal number of authorised representatives of each country. The Contracting Parties may invite their representatives and experts both from the state and private tourist sectors to participate.

The Commission's meetings shall take place in each of the two countries alternately at a time agreed upon by the Contracting Parties.

Each meeting shall be presided over by the Head of the Delegation of the country in which it will take place.

## ARTICLE 11

This Agreement shall enter into force on the date upon which both Contracting Parties will have notified each other, through diplomatic channels, of the completion of the legal formalities required in each country for the entry into force of the Agreement.

This Agreement shall remain in force for five (5) years and shall thereafter be renewed each time for additional five year periods, unless denounced by notification by one of the Contracting Parties at least six (6) months prior to the expiration of each period.

Done at Athens on the 17<sup>th</sup> of June 1996 in duplicate in the Greek, Armenian and English languages, both texts being equally authentic. In case of divergence of interpretation the English version shall prevail.

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