

CONVENTION

Between

The Research and Studies Centre for the Fishery, S.C.A.R.L, called "C.I.R.S.PE" below, resident in No.21- Gigli D'ORO Ave. 00186 Roma, represented by the president, Doctor Massimo GUERRIERI, resident in No.21 Gigli d'Oro Ave. Roma

And

The Iranian Fisheries Research Organization nominated below "IFRO" situated in 297, west Fatemi Ave., P.O. Box 14155 – 6116, Teheran –Islamic Republic of Iran, represented by Dr. Abbas Ali Mtallebi, resident 297, west Fatemi Ave., P.O. Box 14155 – 6116, Teheran Islamic Republic of Iran.

Introductory Statement

-Referring to the finance of the project of Aquaculture in Sistan-Baluchestan Province of Islamic Republic of Iran which is presented by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs – the General Directorate of Cooperation of the Development,

-Referring to the presentation of the above emission from the Italian Government to the United Nations Development Project (UNDP) in Teheran based on a reciprocate agreement on the subject,

-Referring the direct intervention of SHILAT, Iranian Fisheries Organization, in both administration and operation of the project in order to respect the technical and professional contribution of Iranians that is the principle of the Italian cooperation in the development.

-Referring to the existence of professional Iranian resources based on their experience ,the expected activity of the project will be executed.

-Referring to guarantee the whole involvement of SHILAT-Iranian Fishers Organization, in the technical structure of the project in Sistan-Baluchestan ,

-Referring to the Shilat decision to concentrate the productive effort on *Indicus shrimp* species and considering that this represents the priorities for Shilat in Gowater Area, taking into account anyway the all difficulties of this technical approach,

-Referring also to the importance of this approach both from scientific and pilot consulting, that will be organized by CIRSPE;

both parts agree on and draw up what follows:

Article 1

The IFRO subscribes the agreement on carrying out the below mentioned activities with its personal structure. The activities will be done in Sistan-Baluchestan Province concentrating on the Monitoring on water quality, feeding and health management of two crop shrimp culture of *Penaeus indicus* in Gowatr complex relating to the necessity to increase the production of farms.

The IFRO shall measuring physicochemical parameter of 4 farms with two crop production management and also organizing feeding rate and health management during the two crop production in Gowatr of Sistan Baluchestan province. At the end of the producing period, all the data and report will be delivered to Sistan Baluchestan Shilat (that is managing the hatchery directory).

Article 2

For the described activities, IFRO undertakes to task Mr. **Ashkan Ajdehakosh** as Technical manager and also as the responsible of the preparation of the technical papers. However in case of impossibility for him to take duty, the IFRO shall delegate another person with equivalent skills.

Article 3

This contract is stipulated for a duration of 10 months which will start from the 1st of May 2007 up to the end of 31st of January 2008, the expiring of this contract can not be postponed. The draft final report will be written in English language and presented within 3 months on May 2008.

This draft will be given to C.I.R.S.PE. for final report editing be approved by SHILAT. This contract can be suspended when the IFRO can not carry out his above mentioned duty. In that case the C.I.R.S.PE. will pay the work done up that moment.

Article 4

The IFRO, because of its services will be paid **30.000,00** Euro by C.I.R.S.PE. as follows:

- a) An advance payment of **15.000,00** Euro (50%) after signing the contract.
- b) The final payment shall be **15.000,00** Euro, submitting the final report, by C.I.R.S.PE. approval. The beneficiary shall provide an official receipt for receiving the payment.

Article 5

The IFRO, will cover the all cost related to living expenses.

Article 6

The payments will be done by C.I.R.S.PE. with a bank remittance to the following bank account N°:

Bank Melli Iran

Branch: Daneshgah

A/C No.: 700396

Name: Moaseseh Tahghighat Shilat

Swift – Code: MELI IRTH 087

Article 7

The IFRO has to send his team after 2 weeks from the receiving of the advanced payment.

Article 8

All the papers and technical matters produced within the project will be at disposal of the Steering Committee of the project and C.I.R.S.P.E., therefore, has the right to publish and divulgate a part or the integral version of the papers referring to their institutional aims.

Article 9

C.I.R.S.PE. can suspend the convention whenever it is needed a precaution in situations like war, natural disaster or similar conditions which change the present situation at the subscribing of this convention and make impossible or inopportune the continuation of the project and the company. Shilat will be certainly informed with a letter.

Article 10

C.I.R.S.PE. can rescind this contract in case of violation of the conditions of this contract and, in case of inobservance on replacing the expert with a person with equivalent skills in a short period of time. In this case, referring to the interest of the Iranian Government, and the cooperation project, C.I.R.S.PE. has the right to rescind this contract, ask for money already paid and charge a penalty of the total amount of the contract.

Apart from that, if any of the above articles would not be observe, C.I.R.S.PE. has the right to rescind this contract. s

Article 11

If any controversy referring to the interpretation and application of this contract happens, both sides agree to try their best to solve the problems of disputes, mutually, otherwise the may refer to SHILAT as the fair part (foreign affairs or NPD). If not solved the Italian judicial court in Rome, has the exclusive right to make establishments.

Article 12

For anything not foreseen, the Italian normative arrangement in force, will take part.

This contract is signed in 4 original copies, 2 in English and, 2 in Italian.

Rome, 2nd of April 2007

For the Iranian Fisheries Research

Dr.
Abbas Ali Motallebi

For C.I.R.S.PE.

The President
Massimo Guerrieri

The conditions mentioned in the articles n. 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 have been accepted and confirmed.

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