



## **Partner Cooperation Agreement**

between

the Capital Royal City of Krakow in the Republic of Poland and the City and County of San Francisco in the United States of America

hereinafter referred to as "the Parties"

Aiming at development and strengthening of all kinds of contacts based on freedom, equal rights and mutual benefits, being aware of the value of existing cooperation perspectives between Krakow and San Francisco, both Parties agree on the following:

- The Parties shall exchange information and experience in areas related to the city management: urban infrastructure, transport and communication, organization of urban economy as well as in the area of protection of historic and culture heritage and revitalization of historic sites.
- The Parties shall support establishing new contacts between business entities in the City of Krakow and in the City of San Francisco as well as they shall support the development of scientific and technical cooperation between the cities.
- 3. The Parties shall take actions to develop cooperation in the area of tourism and shall organize and support the development of tourist services.
- 4. By organizing joint events, Krakow and San Francisco, as important cultural centres, shall strive to make their citizens get to know each other's cultural life.
- 5. The Parties shall support strengthening and development of contacts in the area of science, culture, education and shall organize and contribute to the realization of exhibitions, festivals and university cooperation as well as they shall promote cultural events held in the partner city.
- The present agreement itself does not bear any financial liability; details of activities and related costs shall be agreed every time with reference to a particular project.

7.1 The Agreement shall remain in force for five years.

7.2 The Agreement may be extended for successive five years with the written consent of both parties hereto. Congruous statements concerning the extension of the Agreement must be submitted by both parties three months prior to the current Agreement expiry date.

7.3 The parties may agree to extend the Agreement for further periods in accordance

with the procedure stipulated in par. 4. 2.

7.4 The Agreement may be amended or terminated at any time with the written consent of both parties hereto.

Signed in Krakow, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2009 in two copies, each in Polish and English, both language versions being equally legally binding.

The Mayor of Mir Francis

The Mayor of the City of Krakow