ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENT FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AGREEMENT ON SOCIAL SECURITY BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE ORIENTAL REPUBLIC OF URUGUAY

The Competent Authority of the Republic of Korea and The Competent Authority of the Oriental Republic of Uruguay

Under the provisions of Article 16 of the Agreement on Social Security between the Government of the Republic of Korea (hereinafter referred to as "Korea") and the Government of the Oriental Republic of Uruguay (hereinafter referred to as "Uruguay"), signed at Montevideo, on this 9th day of July, 2019, have agreed the following:

Part I GENERAL PROVISIONS

Paragraph 1 Definitions

- 1. In relation with this Administrative Arrangement:
 - a) "Agreement" will mean the Agreement on Social Security between the Government of the Republic of Korea and the Government of the Oriental Republic of Uruguay
 - b) "Arrangement" will refer to the present Administrative Arrangement.
- 2. Any other term will have the meaning prescribed to it in Article 1 of the Agreement.

Paragraph 2

Competent Institutions

The Competent Institutions referred to in sub-paragraph 1(d) of Article 1 of the Agreement will be:

- a) for Korea, the National Pension Service;
- b) for Uruguay, the Social Security Bank (Banco de Previsión Social), the Notarial Social Security Fund (Caja Notarial de Seguridad Social), the Pension and Retirement Fund of University Professionals (Caja de Jubilaciones y Pensiones de Profesionales Universitarios), the Banking Pension and Retirement Fund (Caja de Jubilaciones y Pensiones Bancarias), the Police Retirement and Pension Fund (Servicio de Retiros y Pensiones Policiales), and the Armed Forces Pension and Retirement Fund (Servicio de Retiros y Pensiones de las Fuerzas Armadas).

Paragraph 3

Liaison Agencies

- 1. Pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 2 Article 16 of the Agreement, the liaison agencies for its application will be:
 - a) for Korea, the National Pension Service;
 - b) for Uruguay, the Social Security Bank.
- 2. The liaison agencies will jointly decide on the procedures and forms needed for the implementation of the Agreement and this Administrative Arrangement.

Part II

PROVISIONS ON APPLICABLE LEGISLATION

Paragraph 4

Certificate of Coverage

- 1. When the legislation of a Contracting Party are applicable in accordance with any of the provisions of Part II of the Agreement, the Liaison agency of that Contracting Party, at the request of the employer or self-employed person, will issue a certificate establishing the period during which the employee or self-employed person will be subject to the legislation of that Contracting Party. This certificate will constitute proof that the employee or self-employed person will be exempt from the application of the legislation on compulsory coverage of the other Contracting Party.
- 2. The certificate referred to in subparagraph 1 of this paragraph will be issued by:
 - a) in Korea, the National Pension Service;
 - b) in Uruguay, the Social Security Bank.
- 3. The liaison agency of the Contracting Party issuing the certificate indicated in subparagraph 1 of this paragraph will send a copy of this certificate to the employee or self-employed person in question as well as the employer of the employee and the liaison agency of the other Contracting Party.

Part III PROVISIONS CONCERNING BENEFITS

Paragraph 5 Applications

Applications for obtaining benefits under the Agreement will be submitted in the forms agreed to by the liaison agencies of both Contracting Parties.

Paragraph 6 Procedure

1. The Competent Institution of the Contracting Party to which an application for

benefits under the legislation of the other Contracting Party is submitted, in accordance with Article 21 of the Agreement, will provide the liaison agency of the other Contracting Party with the evidence and all other information available to it and necessary for the conclusion of the processing of the application.

- 2. The Competent Institution of a Contracting Party that receives an application for a benefit that has been previously submitted to the Competent Institution or the liaison agency of the other Contracting Party will provide without delay to the liaison agency of the other Contracting Party such evidence and any other information in their possession that may be necessary for the completion of the processing of the application.
- 3. The Competent Institution of the Contracting Party to which an application for benefits has been submitted will verify the information regarding the applicant and his/her family members. The liaison agencies of both Contracting Parties will agree on the type of evidence and information to be verified.

Part IV MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Paragraph 7 Information

- 1. In accordance with the procedures agreed to under subparagraph 2 of paragraph 3 of this Administrative Arrangement, the liaison agency of a Contracting Party will, at the request of the liaison agency of the other Contracting Party, provide the information available regarding the application for a specific person, with the purpose of implementing the Agreement.
- 2. In order to facilitate the implementation of the Agreement and this Administrative Arrangement, the liaison agencies may agree on procedures for electronic data exchange.

Paragraph 8

Exchange of Statistics

- 1. The liaison agencies will exchange statistics on the benefit payments actually made by each Contracting Party under this Agreement on an annual basis. These statistics will include data about the number of beneficiaries, the total amount of payments and the number of benefits granted by class.
- 2. Information will also be exchanged about the number of certificates issued as established in paragraph 4 of this Administrative Arrangement.

Paragraph 9

Administrative Collaboration

- 1. The liaison agency of a Contracting Party will provide free of cost to the liaison agency of the other Contracting Party, upon request, all medical information and documents in its possession that may be relevant to evaluate the disability of the applicant or beneficiary.
- 2. Medical examinations of persons residing in the territory of one of the Contracting Parties that are required solely for the interest of the other Contracting Party will be carried out by the Competent Institution of the first Contracting Party, at the request and to the charge of the requesting Institution. The costs of medical examinations performed for the use of the Competent Institutions of both Contracting Parties will not be reimbursed
- 3. The liaison agency of a Contracting Party will reimburse the amounts owed in accordance with the provisions of subparagraph 2 of this paragraph, once the settlement of expenses of the liaison agency of the other Contracting Party has been received.
- 4. The liaison agency of each Contracting Party will supply to the liaison agency of the other Contracting Party a list of events affecting relevant beneficiaries, including death, change of address and change of marital status. The detailed

procedures will be determined between the liaison agencies.

Paragraph 10 Entry into Effect

This Administrative Arrangement will take effect on the same date as the Agreement and will remain in force as long as the Agreement is valid.

DONE in duplicate at Seoul, on 24 February 2021, in the Korean, Spanish and English languages, with the three texts being equally valid. In case of differences of interpretation, the English text will prevail.

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