

Amendment No. 1 to the Decision Document on Science and Technology cooperation projects (2021-2023) between the Republic of Slovenia and the People's Republic of China

Based on the Decision Document on Science and Technology cooperation projects (2021-2023) between the Republic of Slovenia and the People's Republic of China, signed by correspondence in December 2020, both Parties agree that the Decision Document should be amended to read as follows:

1. Selection and approval of the mobility projects for years 2021-2022

Due to the enduring health situation in accordance with measures to prevent the spread of coronavirus SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19), and according to the point 6:

"The implementation of bilateral mobility projects shall be completed before the 31st December 2022. In case of force majeure, such as long duration of the pandemic and its consequences affecting the proper completion of the projects, the exact deadline for implementation will be specified later - once the sanitary situation in both countries allow for that",

both Parties agreed to extend the planned visits of researchers in the frame of the approved projects of the above mentioned Decision Document and Annex 1 (duration of the projects till 31 December 2022) **for one year until 31 December 2023.**

All other provisions of the Decision Document on Science and Technology cooperation projects (2021-2023) between the Republic of Slovenia and the People's Republic of China, signed by correspondence in December 2020, remain unchanged.

This document is signed in two copies in English and Chinese, both texts being equally authentic. In case of divergent interpretation to the texts, the English copies shall prevail.

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