

AGREEMENT

on the Basis of Relations between the Republic of Moldova and Pridnestrovie

The Republic of Moldova and Pridnestrovie (hereinafter referred to as the Parties),
Striving for a speedy and complete settlement of relations between the Republic of Moldova and Pridnestrovie by exclusively peaceful political means,
Aware of the responsibility for the unification of the country, ensuring civilian peace, trust, mutual understanding and harmony in the society,
Recognizing the principles and norms of international law, proceeding from the provisions of the previously reached agreements,
Showing goodwill in the name of peace and stability in this region of Europe,
Have agreed as follows:

Chapter 1. The Fundamentals of the Constitutional System (of the country)

Article 1

(The Republic of Moldova, Moldova) shall be a democratic, federal, state based on a rule of law with a republican form of government (created on a negotiable basis - variant of Pridnestrovie), with its policy aimed at the creation of conditions for a dignified life and free development of a person within the borders of the Moldavian Soviet Socialist Republic as of 1 January 1990.

(Variant is added by the Pridnestrovian delegation on 18 September 2002)

The Republic of Moldova and Pridnestrovie build their relations in the framework of a common state on the principles of associate membership. A common state has confederal form of government.

Article 2.

Man, his rights and freedoms shall be the supreme value. It shall be a duty of the state to recognize, respect and protect the rights and liberties of man and citizen.

Every person shall be guaranteed judicial protection of his rights and freedoms.

Decisions and actions (or inactions) of governmental bodies, local authorities, public associations and officials may be appealed in court.

Every citizen has the right, in accordance with international treaties in which the (Republic of Moldova, Moldavia) stands as one of the Parties, to appeal to international bodies involved in the protection of human rights and freedoms, if all available domestic remedies are exhausted.