

Summary of visit City Žilina Municipality

By the invitation of Žilina Municipal Government a 5-person delegation of Changchun Municipality, which is led by Mr. Zeng Qingxiang, has a 2-day friendly visit in Žilina from January 9, 1995. In the period of Žilina city, the delegation was showed around Žilina region. In the meantime, the delegation a discussion with people at political, economic, trade, entrepreneur, Regional Development Agency and cultural circles. And this visit can strengthen the mutual understanding and friendship of both sides, and promote the friendly relationship between the two cities and the cooperation in the field of economy and culture.

Changchun municipality has had several meetings with the municipal leaders which is led by Mr. Ing. Ján Slota at the atmosphere of cordiality and friendship so that both sides can get the common views as the followings:

1. The two sides expressed, that they have many common views and a strong complementarity in the field of economy and they have a wide cooperative prospect. In order to develop the two people's friendship and promote the prosperity and the social advance of two cities, both sides expressed that they would like to develop friendly exchanges between the two cities, strengthen the economic and cultural cooperation of the two sides.
2. The two sides think, the guiding principles of supporting and developing the relations of the two cities should be: Independence, Friendly Cooperations, Mutual Respect, Equality and mutual benefit, Seeking common ground while reserving differences, Non-interference in each others internal affairs.
3. In accordance with the mutual needs, the two sides can send all kinds of visiting delegations after consultation. And the two municipal governments can have a mutual indefinite visit and decide the delegation members and visiting date in accordance with the reciprocal principle. In the meantime, they can discuss their cooperation. Mayor of City Žilina has accepted the invitation from Changchun Municipality. During summer period Slovak delegation will visit Changchun City.
4. The two sides consider, the two municipalities should focus the cooperation of the economy, technology and trade on the factual exchanges and make a joint effort for it. This time the two municipalities help to bring about some intention letters of the joint ventures for chinese restaurant and chinese commodities shops in Žilina city, on the oposite side Changchun municipality will arrange Slovak restaurants and possibilities for traders.
5. The representatives of both sides agreed to establish their officies in both of the cities Changchun and Žilina, which will help in the mutual exchange in the fields of culture, education, research and mainly in implementation of entrepreneurial activities in both of the countries China and Slovakia.

Žilina, January 10, 1995

Ján Slota
Mayor of Žilina

Zeng Qingxiang
On behalf of the City of Changchun

**Agreement of establishing the City and Regional office
between Twin Cities Changchun and Žilina**

Date: January 10, 1995

By the invitation of Žilina Municipal Government a 6-member delegation of Changchun Municipality, which is led by Mr. Zeng Qingxiang, has a friendly visit in Žilina from January 10, 1995. In the meantime, the delegation had a discussion with people at political, economic, trade, entrepreneur Regional Development Agency and also cultural circles. And this visit can strengthen the mutual understanding and friendship of both sides, and promote the friendly relationship between the two cities and the cooperation in the field of economy education and culture.

Changchun municipality has had several meetings with the municipal leaders who is led by Mr. Ing. Ján Slota - Mayor of City Žilina at the atmosphere of cordiality and friendship so that both sides can get the common views as the following:

1. The two sides think, the guiding principles of supporting and developing the relations of the two cities should be: Independence, Friendly Cooperations, Mutual Respect, Equality and mutual benefit, Seeking common ground while reserving differences, Non-interference in each others internal affairs.
2. The two sides consider Changchun city has many common views and a strong complementarity in the field of economy with Žilina city and they have a wide cooperative prospect. In order to develop the two people's friendship and promote the prosperity and the social advance of two cities, both sides expressed that they would like to develop friendly exchanges between the two cities, strengthen the economic cooperation.

In order to further developing economic relationship two Twin Cities officially establish

City and Regional development office

this office will further strengthen the people's friendly associations as well as to deep mutual understanding and to promote friendship and relationship, trade, entrepreneur's activities and cultural between our citizen on the base of traditional friendship and existing friendly relationship between two nations and citizen.

These offices are officially establish in both cities, it means Changchun and Žilina. In the City Žilina is this office place in Regional Development Agency. These offices promote mutual prosperity to enhance the friendship of people of our two countries, districts and cities. They contribute and encourage mutual beneficial exchanges in field of industry, science and technology, international trade, support for entrepreneur, cultural and art education on all levels, agricultures and sports.

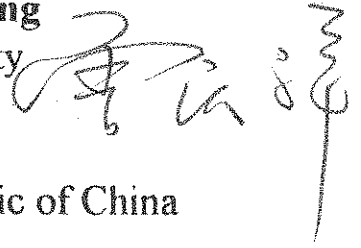
3. In accordance with the mutual needs, the two sides can send all kinds of visiting delegations after consultation. The both sides can have a mutual indefinite visit and decide the delegation members and visiting date in accordance with the reciprocal principle. Except the international transportation, one side should bear all the other party's expenses during the visit.

This agreement is signed and goes into effect on January 10, 1995.



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