AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION

between

Vytautas Magnus University, Lithuania and

Khmelnitsky National University, Ukraine

Vytautas Magnus University (hereinafter referred to as **VMU**), located at K. Donelaicio str. 58, LT-44248 Kaunas, Lithuania, and **Khmelnitsky National University** (hereinafter referred to as **KhNU**) located at Institutska str. 11, 29016 Khmelnitsky, Ukraine, agree:

- 1. to establish the following cooperation agreement for legal basis of scientific cooperation;
- 2. to perform joint research in:
 - synthesis of basic lubricant from biological raw materials and their characterisation,
 - development biological lubricant and investigation their mechanical, chemical and tribological properties,
 - investigation of friction and wear mechanisms in different tribosystems with biological lubricant;
- 3. to provide the exchange of scientists to carry out the planned joint investigations;
- 4. to work on the suggestions for join research projects financed by national or international sources;
- 5. to prepare the joint publications and facilitate the scientific publications of one side in the journals of other side, to exchange the experience in management and technology of printing of journals.

The agreement activities are realized only upon common agreement of VMU and KhNU and availability of required sources for each particular activity.

This agreement is intended for a five years period and will be effective when it is signed by both parties. The agreement signed in English, in duplicate, both copies being equally valid.

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