

PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE: November 27, 1983

NATIONAL DAY: May 27, 1986

COMMISSIONER GENERAL: Mr. Li Yonting, followed by Mr. Liu Jinghai

PAVILION DESCRIPTION: 2500 square metres (26 911 sq. ft.) - Purple Zone. Exterior featured ancient Chinese pailou or decorated archway.

EXHIBITS: Displays presented 2000 years of Chinese transportation and communication; flagship of Zhen He, voyager of the Ming Dynasty (1368-1644); 2000-year-old bronze royal chariot; model of the Great Wall; computer system for Chinese character communication; thematic audiovisual presentation.

UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS

AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE: December 30, 1983

NATIONAL DAY: May 14, 1986

COMMISSIONER GENERAL: Mr. Nicolai D. Filippov

DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS GENERAL: Mr. Anatoly Ivanovich Klimov, Mr. V.I.

Kolchenko PAVILION DESCRIPTION: 2500 square metres (26 911 sq. ft.) - Pink Zone. Exterior featured a 15-metre (49') statue of Yuri Gagarin, first man to orbit the earth.

EXHIBITS: Pavilion featured a celebration of the 25th anniversary of manned space flight. Displays included achievements in aviation, a giant electronic map of the U.S.S.R., transportation system of Kiev, and a nuclear ice-breaker. The 33-metre-long Soyuz-Salyut-Progress allowed visitors inside a working space laboratory; 70 mm and 3D films, folk dancing and fashion shows shown in the cinema and concert hall.

REPUBLIC OF KOREA

AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE: February 27, 1984

NATIONAL DAY: July 17, 1986

COMMISSIONER GENERAL: Mr. Shin Sung Kang

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER GENERAL: Mr. Kui Lae Chung

PAVILION DESCRIPTION: 1250 square metres (13 455 sq. ft.) - Yellow Zone. Graphic design on exterior walls; Korean-style entrance gate outside pavilion.

EXHIBITS: Historic turtle ship from the Yi dynasty; Emile Bell, Korea's largest bell as a symbol of communication; model of 1988 Seoul Summer Olympics; 200-person theatre featured traditional folk dances.

ITALY

AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE: March 6, 1984

NATIONAL DAY: June 14, 1986

COMMISSIONER GENERAL: The Honourable Luigi Turchi

DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS GENERAL: Mr. Antonio D'Apice, Mr. Pier Benedetto Francese