

JOINT COMMUNIQUE BETWEEN THE
OVERSEAS CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION OF KOREA AND THE
CANADIAN CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION
SIGNED AT OTTAWA, OCTOBER 18, 1978.

On October 18, 1978, members of the Korean Construction Mission visited with Canadian Construction Executives from across Canada.

The purpose of the mission was to broaden the friendly relations between Koreans and Canadians and to encourage joint ventures between Korean and Canadian companies in the engineering and construction fields in third countries.

It was agreed that Korean and Canadian companies could mutually benefit from an exchange of expertise and that both the Korean Overseas Construction Association and the Canadian Construction Association would actively explore ways and means of establishing closer relationships.

Both associations agreed that it would be mutually beneficial to promote technical cooperation in the field of construction between the two countries. This would aim at a mutual exchange of information and specialists.

It was agreed that both associations would take appropriate measures to improve cooperation in the field of construction technology by means of:

- 1) an exchange of information and documentation on construction activities and construction markets;
- 2) an exchange of information on construction materials and instruments necessary for the promotion of technology for utilization of available facilities in the field of construction upon which both associations may agree.

Both associations agree to facilitate in every way possible requests for technical assistance and the exchange of specialists in the fields of construction and technology through mutually acceptable channels. The exchange of such specialists and engineers shall be contracted through their individual companies, with the practical execution of projects of mind.

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Both associations agree that it would be advantageous for representatives of the two parties to meet when necessary in order to discuss and further the implementation of this communique and to exchange information on the progress of the programmes, projects and activities of common interest. Groups of experts may be designated to discuss special questions.

The implementation of these mutually desirable objectives shall commence from the signing of this Joint Communique.

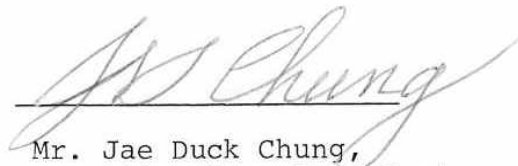
Both associations look forward to further cooperation between the construction industries of Korea and Canada.

Consideration will be given to a return industrial cooperation mission to Korea in 1979, sponsored by the Canadian Construction Association and the Canadian Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce.

SIGNED on October 18, 1978 at Ottawa, Canada.



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