MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC AND THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE HELLENIC REPUBLIC ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FRAMEWORK OF COOPERATION FOR THE PROMOTION OF COMMERCE AND INVESTMENT AND SUPPLY CHAINS

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Dominican Republic and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Hellenic Republic, (hereinafter referred to as "The Parties"),

CONSIDERING the longstanding friendly relations between the Hellenic Republic and the Dominican Republic,

DESIRING to develop and consolidate an economic - commercial cooperation between the two countries,

AIMING at developing areas of cooperation, based on the principles of reciprocity and mutual benefit,

Have reach the following understanding:

Paragraph I
Objective

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to establish a framework for cooperation between the Parties on issues of common interest for the promotion of commerce, investment and supply chains.

Paragraph II
Joint Working group

1. The Parties will facilitate cooperation under Paragraph I through a Joint Working Group for the Promotion of Commerce, Investment and Supply chains which will explore ways to strengthen economic relationship between the Parties, supporting the exchange of information, strategies and visions between the public and private sectors of both countries, carrying out activities to achieve the exchange of best practices and technical assistance, and exploring ways to develop the business environment, promote commerce, investments, opportunities for productive linkage and facilitate bilateral commercial transactions.

2. The Joint Working Group will hold regular meetings at least once a year, alternately in the Hellenic Republic and the Dominican Republic, or using videoconference or any other digital channel. If necessary, the Parties may agree to hold extraordinary meetings.

3. To facilitate cooperation, the two Parties will designate points of contact in the two Ministries.

Paragraph III
Composition of the Joint Working Group

1. The Working Group will be composed by an equal number of representatives of the two Parties and will be co-chaired by the two Ministers of Foreign Affairs or by persons designated by them.

2. Both co-Chairs of the Joint Working Group may jointly invite representatives of other governmental bodies and the private sector to participate in the meetings of the Working Group.

Paragraph IV
Agenda

1. The Joint Working Group will discuss issues of mutual interest pertaining to the facilitation of their cooperation in the fields covered by this MoU. The Agenda of the meetings will be agreed upon before each meeting, through diplomatic channels. The Working Group shall serve as a forum for discussing matters related to the enhancement of the business environment, facilitation of commerce, commercial promotion, investment, and the development of

productive sectors. The specific agenda and arrangements for each meeting shall be determined following the necessary internal consultations.

2. Either Party may bring to the Working Group any issue relevant to commerce, investment, or the broader context of bilateral economic relations, for the purpose of information sharing, discussion, or joint consideration.

3. The Working Group will prioritize identifying and fostering opportunities for commerce, investment, and value chain development across various sectors, which may include, but are not limited to, agriculture, textiles and apparel, pharmaceuticals and medical supplies.

Paragraph V
Financing

1. This MoU does not entail any financial commitments of the Parties and is subject to the availability of necessary resources and to the applicable domestic legislation.

2. Each Party will bear its own expenses under this MoU.

Paragraph VI
Settlement of differences

Any differences that arise between the Parties regarding the interpretation of the provisions contained in this MoU will be settled amicably through consultations or negotiations between the Parties, through diplomatic channels, without recourse to any third party.

Paragraph VII
Applicable laws

The present MoU will be implemented in accordance with the applicable laws of the countries of both Parties and shall not affect or prejudice the rights and obligations of either Party arising from any international agreements binding upon them, including those arising from the membership of the Hellenic Republic to the European Union.

Paragraph VIII
Entry into force

1. This MoU shall enter into force upon its signature and remain in force for five years, whereupon it will be renewed for an additional five-year period, unless either Party notifies its will to terminate it at least six (6) months before the expiration of the initial period of validity.

2. This MoU may be amended at any time by mutual written consent between the Parties. Any amendment will enter into force upon its signature, unless otherwise agreed by the Parties.

3. Either Party may, at any time, notify in writing and through diplomatic channels, the decision to terminate this MoU. The termination shall take effect ninety (90) days after the date of said notification.

Signed in New York, on the twenty-second (22nd) day of September, 2026, in two originals, each in the Spanish, Greek and English languages, all texts being equally authentic. In case of divergence, the English text shall prevail.

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