

Rome, 5 April 1975

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the conversations that have recently taken place between the representatives of the Government of the Republic of Korea and the Government of the Italian Republic with respect to the conclusion of an agreement on the exemption from visas and visa fees and to confirm that for the purpose of facilitating the circulation of travelers between the two countries, the following understandings have been reached as a result of these conversations:

1. Nationals of either party who are in possession of valid passports may irrespective of the point of their departure, enter, without visas, the territory of the other by any means of travel for a period not exceeding 60 days. No guaranty shall be demanded and the valid national passport shall also be the sole document required for leaving that country.
2. Nationals of either party who enter the territory of the other party for more than 60 days of stay shall obtain visas, without the payment of fees therefor, from the competent diplomatic or consular authorities of the other party in advance.
3. The exemption of visas does not exempt nationals of either party from the obligation to observe local laws and regulations concerning the entry, sojourn and exit of foreigners. Nationals of either party who enter the territory of the other party and benefit from the exemption from visas are not allowed to engage in any remunerated activity during their stay.

His Excellency
Ambassador Roberto DUCCI
Director General for Political Affairs
Ministry of Foreign Affairs

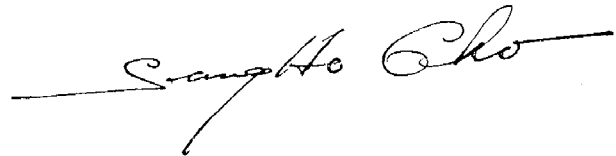
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4. The competent authorities of either party reserve the right to prohibit nationals of the other party, whose visit the said authorities consider undesirable, from entering its territory.
5. Either party may temporarily suspend the application of the preceding clauses, entirely or partly, for reasons of public order or public sanitation. Such suspension shall immediately be communicated to the other party through diplomatic channels.

The present note and Your Excellency's reply thereto will constitute an agreement between the two Governments on the subject which shall enter into force 30 days after the date of receipt of your Note in reply. The agreement shall be of indefinite duration and may be terminated by either party with an advance notice of 3 months.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Saing Ho Cho", with a long horizontal line extending to the left.

Rome, 5 April 1975

Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Your Excellency's Note dated 5 April 1975, which reads as follows:

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His Excellency
Sang Ho Cho
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary
Embassy of the Republic of Korea

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I have further the honour to inform Your Excellency that the provisions set forth in Your Excellency's Note are acceptable to the Government of the Italian Republic and to confirm that Your Excellency's Note and this reply shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments on the subject which shall enter into force 30 days after the date of receipt of this reply.

I also have the honour to confirm that the agreement will be of indefinite duration and may be terminated by either party with an advance notice of 3 months.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

Roberto Assisi