AGREEMENT

of Scientific Cooperation between the Center for Agricultural
and Rural Development of Iowa State University (CARD),
the Lithuanian Institute of Social Problems (LISP) and
Department of Statistics of Lithuania

The goal of this agreement is cooperation using the newest
economic methods and computers and putting the most effective
research results into practice.

The contents of cooperation might include the following items:
1. Sampling methods for household budget surveys
2. Methods for formulating consumption baskets
3. Methods of analysis for household expenditures
4. Analysis of income and expenditures and consumption
   projections
5. Analysis and formulation of social policy
6. The exchange of statistical material and research results
   between the sides interested in them

For the purpose of the realization of the above mentioned
goals the parties will undertake to work out practical forms and
material conditions of the relation in accordance with concrete
needs and possibilities. Such forms might include:

annual exchange of research workers and specialists, with the
possibility of joint research up to 6 months in all organizations
on the basis of non-currency exchange, (travel expenses are to be
covered by the sending country, but full living expenses are to
be covered by the inviting country, in accordance with the
established norms);

opportunity to participate in conferences organized by the
other party;

publications exchange and publication of the joint results of
the research in the press of all organizations;

organization of regular meetings between the heads of the
organizations in agreement to discuss specific problems if
necessary;

According to this agreement, every 2 years provisions will be
made for the basic terms and length of stay of the research
workers and specialists.

The agreement comes into effect when approved by all parties,
and will remain in effect for 5 years.

If this agreement has not been discontinued or superseded by
another agreement, it will automatically continue for the
following 5 years.

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