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Information for Delegates

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INFORMATION FOR DELEGATES
General Information

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1. Venue of Meeting

The XIXth Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting (ATCM) will be held at

THE SWISS GRAND HOTEL
201-1 HONGEUN-DONG, SEODAEMOON-GU
SEOUL 120-100, KOREA

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from Monday, May 8, to Friday, May 19, 1995.

2. Meeting Rooms and Timetable

The Plenary, Transitional Environment Working Group (TEWG) and Working Group I sessions will be held in Grand Ballroom A, while the Working Group II session will be held in Grand Ballroom C. The Experts Meeting during the first week will be held in Grand Ballroom C. Other meeting rooms are also available for informal meetings. All meeting rooms are located on the second floor of the Hotel.

The XIXth ATCM will be open in Grand Ballroom A at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, May 8, 1995. However, the ceremonial opening of the Meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Monday, May 15, in Grand Ballroom A. Daily meeting hours are from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and from 2:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., with coffee breaks at 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., for fifteen minutes.

Please see Annex 1 for the time schedule of meetings, and Annex 2 for the location of conference rooms.

3. Registration and Security Control

The Registration Desk will open on Sunday, May 7, from 04:00 to 06:00 p.m. and on Monday, May 8, from 09:00 to 10:30 a.m. in the lobby on the second floor of the Swiss Grand Hotel. ID cards will be issued to delegates upon registration. Only registered delegates with conference ID cards will be permitted to enter the conference area.

Delegates are asked to wear their ID cards at all times when they are in the conference area. In the interest of all delegates, security control will be strictly enforced. Delegates who lose their ID cards should report immediately to the Secretariat.

4. Languages

The working languages of the XIXth ATCM will be English, French, Spanish and Russian. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided for the Plenary, TEWG, WG I and WG II sessions.

5. Submission of Documents

Delegations are asked to submit documents for the Meeting as soon as possible. In doing so, they should indicate whether the document is to be classified as a working paper or as an information paper.

Working papers are papers with a direct bearing on a specific agenda item and should, for convenience, have a reference on the title page to the agenda item(s) in question. Delegations are requested to submit working papers in one of the four official working languages. They will then be translated into the other working languages by the Secretariat.

Information papers are papers of general interest. They will be reproduced by the Secretariat and distributed only in the language in which they are submitted.

All documents for translation and distribution will be received in the Document Room.

6. Distribution of Documents

The Secretariat will distribute a set of documents upon registration to all delegates. Thereafter, all documents are distributed through pigeon holes located at the Information Desk. The List of Documents will be posted on the Notice Board in the lobby.

7. Secretariat Services

The Secretariat Information Desk will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. daily. Delegates are kindly requested to direct all inquiries and requests through this channel. Night Duty Officer will be available during non-office hours in Room 501.

A photocopier will be available in the Participants Workroom for the use of delegates wishing to make a small number of copies. Personal computers (IBM and MacIntosh) and printers are also available for the use of delegates.

8. Social & Related Events

(Receptions)

All delegates are cordially invited to the receptions listed below :

o Monday, May 8

18:30-20:30 Reception, hosted by the Minister of Science and Technology, at the Lotus Hill Garden, the Swiss Grand Hotel.

o Thursday, May 11

19:00-21:00 Reception, hosted by the Federation of Korean Industries, at the Convention Center A, Hilton Hotel.

o Monday, May 15

18:30-20:30 Reception, hosted by the Minister of Foreign Affairs, at the Lotus Hill Garden, the Swiss Grand Hotel.

o Thursday, May 18

19:00-21:00 Reception, hosted by the President of the Korea Ocean Research & Development Institute, at the Gayageum hall, Sheraton Walker Hill Hotel.

(Luncheon and Dinner)

o Tuesday, May 9

19:00-21:00 Dinner for the Heads of Delegations, hosted by the Chairman of the XIXth ATCM, at "Paengni-hyang" (Chinese) Restaurant, 63 Building, in Yoido.

o Wednesday, May 17

12:30-14:30 Luncheon for the Heads of Delegations, hosted by the Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs, at the Swan Room, the Swiss Grand Hotel.

(Tour)

o Sunday, May 14

09:00-18:00 Tour, organized by the Korean Government. Tour bus will leave the Swiss Grand Hotel at 9:00 a.m.. Those who have not registered for the tour in advance are kindly requested to do so at the Information Desk by Tuesday, May 9.

9. Transportation

Free Shuttle Bus Service between the Swiss Grand Hotel and Buk-Ak Tourist Hotel and Olympia Hotel, which takes about 10-15 minutes, is available for the delegates in the morning and evening. Please see Annex 4 for the bus schedule.

10. Cafeteria for Delegates

The Swiss Grand Hotel will run a cafeteria for delegates with a reasonably-priced menu from 12:30 p.m. daily. Delegates can use other restaurants in the Hotel.

11. Other Facilities

(Telephone & Fax)

International telephone calls can be made using public telephones installed at the lobby of the 2nd floor. Phone cards are available at the Front Desk of the Hotel. The dialing code for international calls is 001(access code), followed by the country code, the area code and the telephone number (for example, to call New York City, USA, dial 001-1-212-555-1212). Fax service is available at the Hotel's business center in the Main Lobby on the ground floor.

(Postal Service)

A temporary post office will be open in the Swiss Grand Hotel lobby in the afternoon of Thursday, May 18 for Delegations. Delegations who wish to send parcels/documents to their home countries are advised to contact the Information Desk for packing materials by May 16.

(Tourist Information)

The Korea National Tourism Corporation will operate a tourist information booth in the Hotel lobby from 9:30 to 14:30 from Monday, May 8, to Wednesday, May 10.

(Medical Service)

A professional nurse will be on duty from 09:00 to 18:00(ext. 8325).

(Currency Exchange)

Foreign currency can be converted into Korean Won at the Front Desk of the Hotel or at the Seoul Trust Bank located near the front gate.

Annexes

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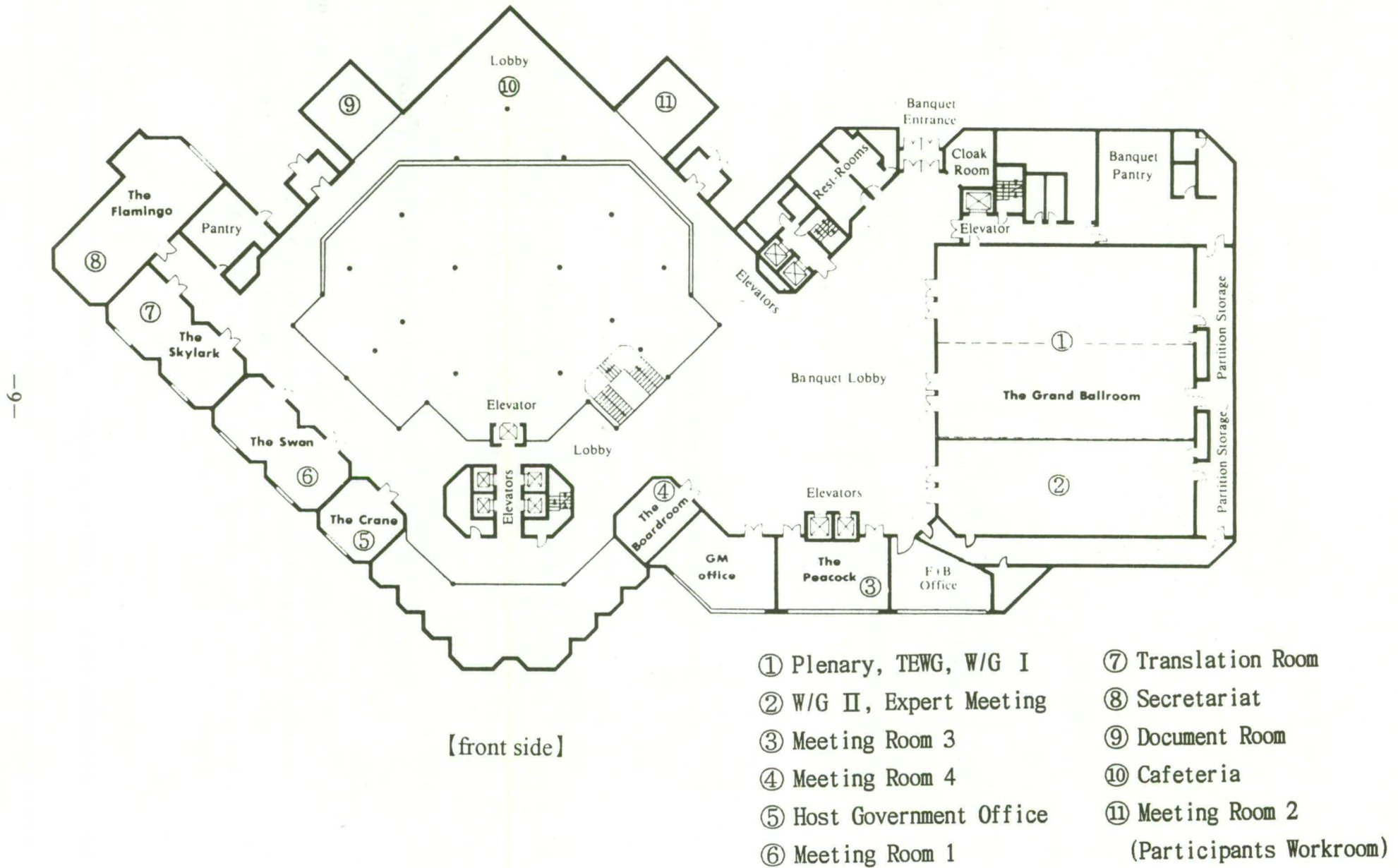
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		May 15 (Mon)	May 16 (Tue)	May 17 (Wed)	May 18 (Thu)	May 19 (Fri)
Plenary (Rm A)	a.m.	Ceremonial Plenary Item 3 Item 5				Item 18 Item 19 Item 20 Item 21
	p.m.	Item 6A				
W/G I (Rm A)	a.m.		Item 6	Item 7 A, 7 C	Item 8 (continued)	
	p.m.	Item 5C	Item 6 (continued)	Item 8	adoption of W/G I report	
W/G II (Rm C)	a.m.		Item 9 (continued)	Item 14	Item 16 Item 17A	
	p.m.	Item 9	Item 9 (continued)	Item 15	adoption of W/G II report	

※ Social programme

- o May 14 (Sun) Tour
- o May 15 (Mon) Reception hosted by the Minister of Foreign Affairs
- o May 17 (Wen) Luncheon for the Heads of Delegations hosted by the Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs
- o May 18 (Thu) Reception hosted by the President of the Korean Ocean Research & Development Institute

The Swiss Grand Hotel Floor Plan (second floor)



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Tour Programme

(May 14, Sunday, 09:00-18:00)

1. Tour Course

Swiss Grand Hotel - Korean Folk Village (Lunch) - Ich'on Ceramic Kiln - Secret Garden (Piwon) of Ch'angdokkung Palace - Hotel

2. Description of Tour Sites

Korean Folk Village & Ich'on Ceramic Kiln

The Korean Folk Village was designed and established to preserve the various aspects of Korea's traditional life style. Once inside the Village, you can appreciate the tastes of Korea's traditional foods and wine, and watch how traditional tools, utensils, and other instruments were made at the various workshops.

The Ich'on highway leading to Seoul is lined with kilns of well-known Korean potters who specialize in the superb Koryo celadon ware and the Choson Dynasty's white porcelain, both internationally famous.

Secret Garden (Piwon) of Ch'angdokkung Palace

The Secret Garden (Piwon), a favorite spot for foreign visitors, is a quiet woodland of 78 acres located inside the Ch'angdokkung Palace.

With forty four pavilions scattered amidst idyllic spots, this place was reserved for royal family members and palace women during the Choson Dynasty.

Shuttle Bus Schedule

☞ Morning: Olympia & Buk-Ak → Swiss Grand

☞ Evening: Swiss Grand → Olympia & Buk-Ak

Date	Shuttle(Morning/Evening)	Remarks
5.08(Mon)	09:00 / 21:00	o Reception at Swiss Grand Hotel (18:30-20:30)
5.09(Tue)	09:00 / 18:30	o Separate transportation is arranged for Heads of Delegations who attend the dinner at 63 bldg.
5.10(Wed)	09:00 / 18:30	
5.11(Thu)	09:00 / 18:30 ★a)	o Reception at Hilton Hotel (19:00-21:00)
5.12(Fri)	09:00 / 18:30	
5.14(Sun)	08:30 / ★ b)	o Tour (09:00-18:00)
5.15(Mon)	09:00 / 21:00	o Reception at Swiss Grand Hotel (18:30-20:30)
5.16(Tue)	09:00 / 18:30	
5.17(Wed)	09:00 / 18:30	
5.18(Thu)	09:00 / 18:00 ★c)	o Reception at Sheraton Walker Hill Hotel (19:00-21:00)
5.19(Fri)	09:00 / 13:00 ★d)	

- Note: ★ a) Bus will leave the Swiss Grand Hotel at 6:30 p.m.
After reception, bus will stop at each Hotel.
★ b) All tour buses will leave the Swiss Grand Hotel at 9:00 a.m.
After tour, bus will stop at each Hotel.
★ c) Bus will leave the Swiss Grand Hotel at 6:00 p.m.
After reception, bus will stop at each Hotel.
★ d) Bus schedule is subject to change depending upon the closing
hour of the Meeting.

Secretariat & other Important Telephone Numbers

1. Secretariat Telephone Directory

Chairman of the Plenary	Room 525
Chairman of WG I	Room 523
Chairman of WG II	Room 522
Chairman of TEWG	Room 502
Executive Secretary	350-8214
Conference-Secretariat (Flamingo)	350-8051 ~ 8, F) 350-8059
Host-Government Office (Crane)	350-8209, 350-8064 ~ 5
Translation Room (Skylark)	350-8213, 350-8490 ~ 1
Document Room	350-8066 ~ 7
Participants Workroom (Meeting Room 2)	350-8068
Conference Room (Grand Ballroom A)	350-8220 ~ 1
Conference Room (Grand Ballroom C)	350-8222
Information Desk	350-8069 ~ 70
Night Duty Officer	Room 501

※ For in-house calls, dial only last 4 digits.

2. Other Important Telephone Numbers

Airport (Kimpo)	Terminal I	660-2402 ~ 3
	Terminal II	660-2549 ~ 50
	Domestic Terminal	660-2408 ~ 9
Airlines	KAL	756-2000
	ASIANA	774-4000
Hotel	Swiss Grand	356-5656
	Ramada Olympia	287-6000
	Buk-Ak Tourist	395-7100
		417-0084

Diplomatic Missions Telephone Numbers

Embassy of the Argentine Republic
Tel. 793-4062, Fax. 792-5820

Australian Embassy
Tel. 730-6490, Fax. 722-9264

Embassy of the Republic of Austria
Tel. 732-9071, Fax. 732-9486

Embassy of the Kingdom of Belgium
Tel. 749-0381, Fax. 797-1688

Embassy of the Federative Republic of Brazil
Tel. 756-3170, Fax. 752-2180

Embassy of the Republic of Bulgaria
Tel. 727-5810, Fax. 727-5812

Embassy of Canada
Tel. 753-2605, Fax. 755-0686

Embassy of the Republic of Chile
Tel. 549-1654, Fax. 549-1656

Embassy of the People's Republic of China
Tel. 319-5101, Fax. 319-5103

Embassy of the Republic of Colombia
Tel. 720-1369, Fax. 725-6959

Embassy of the Czech Republic
Tel. 720-6453, Fax. 734-6452

Royal Danish Embassy
Tel. 795-4187, Fax. 796-0986

Embassy of the Republic of Ecuador
Tel. 795-0627, Fax. 798-3862

Embassy of Finland
Tel. 732-6737, Fax. 723-4969

Embassy of France
Tel. 312-3272, Fax. 393-6108

Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany
Tel. 726-7114, Fax. 726-7141

Embassy of Greece
Tel. 729-1400, Fax. 729-1402

Embassy of the Republic of Guatemala
Tel. 765-3265, Fax. 763-6010

Embassy of the Republic of Hungary
Tel. 792-2105, Fax. 792-2109

Embassy of India
Tel. 798-4257, Fax. 796-9534

Embassy of the Italian Republic
Tel. 796-0491, Fax. 797-5560

Embassy of Japan
Tel. 733-5626

Royal Netherlands Embassy
Tel. 737-9514, Fax. 735-1321

Embassy of New Zealand
Tel. 730-7794, Fax. 737-4861

Royal Norwegian Embassy
Tel. 795-6850, Fax, 798-6072

Embassy of Papua New Guinea
Tel. 798-9854, Fax. 798-9856

Embassy of the Republic of Peru
Tel. 793-5810, Fax. 797-3736

Embassy of the Republic of Poland
Tel. 779-0163, Fax. 779-0162

Embassy of Romania
Tel. 797-4924, Fax. 794-3114

Embassy of the Russian Federation
Tel. 552-7094, Fax. 563-3589

Embassy of the Slovak Republic
Tel. 794-3981, Fax. 794-3982

Embassy of the Republic of South Africa
Tel. 792-4855, Fax. 792-4856

Embassy of Spain
Tel. 793-5703, Fax. 796-8207

Embassy of Sweden
Tel. 738-0846, Fax. 733-1317

Embassy of Switzerland
Tel. 739-9511, Fax. 737-9392

Her Britannic Majesty's Embassy
Tel. 735-7341, Fax. 725-1738

Embassy of the United States America
Tel. 397-4114, Fax.

Embassy of the Oriental Republic of Uruguay
Tel. 753-7893, Fax. 777-4129