Introduction of Korea’s MRA cases with other nations

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Preface

- Challenges in promoting engineer’s mobility
- Different P.E System in Economies
- Independent practice and objection from the locals
- Supplemental assessment also required
Agreements for International Mobility of Engineers

- KPEA-Signatory to two multi-national agreements
- Agreements carry their own registers
- Engineers demonstrate competence to be assessed

- IPEA
- APEC EA
- Agreements ratified amongst countries looking for an international standard of competence
Agreements for International Mobility of Engineers

- The Registers
- A national register is maintained for each of the multi-national agreements

- The registers shared internationally
- -IPER
- -APEC EA
Agreements for International Mobility of Engineers

- Mandatory provisions for The International Standard of Competence
  - Academic credentials
  - Experience
  - Home Licensure
  - CPD
  - Character
  - Reference
Agreements for International Mobility of Engineers

- Continual Monitoring
- Representatives from the member organization visit other members for Audit
- With a view to ensuring the adherence to the agreed
MRA between Korea-Australia

- First MRA with Australia

- Participants
  - E.A/national organization in Australia,
  - National P.E Register(NPER), APEC Engr Register
    - KPEA/issues and maintains the certification of IntPE
  - Ministry of Science and ICT, Korea/
  - in charge of national policy on P.E
Main points are

- E.A register and allow the person to use the title Chartered P.E,
- Ministry of Science and ICT/KPEA register and allow the person to use the title P.E,
- if, the person is an APEC Engineer on the APEC Engineer Register in the other member

The reciprocal recognition provisions made to the international standard competence

MRA between Korea-Australia
MRA between Korea – Texas, USA

- An IntP.E from Korea be issued a temporary Texas P.E
- A P.E from Texas be issued a temporary Korean InP.E

- On condition that more specific and additional supplement assessment such as,
MRA between Korea-Texas, USA

- More specific and additional supplement assessments
- Pass any Interview
- Demonstration of experiences
- Experiences requirement
MRA between Korea-Canada, Korea-Singapore on going

- MRA discussion with Engineers of Canada
- the several options anticipated
- PE systems themselves in distinctive difference and enrollment of APEC Register

- MRA discussion with Singapore
- No substantial progress as yet
- in spite of MRA negotiation stipulated at the FTA
Conclusion

- Catalyst for domestic P.E system’s improvement
- The result from MRA under expectation level as yet
- Free flow of engineering personnel depends on cross-border Economic Activities and environments etc.,

- Should look the Engineering Mobility in a new dimension
Thank you!