KEY FACTS AND FIGURES ON TIMOR-LESTE / UNESCO COOPERATION

1. **Membership in UNESCO**: since 5 June 2003

2. **Membership on the Executive Board**: none

3. **Membership on Intergovernmental Committees, Commissions, etc.**:
   - Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission (IOC).

4. **The Director-General’s visits to Timor-Leste**:
   - 15-16 August 2012: official visit

5. **Permanent Delegation to UNESCO**:
   - H. E. Mr Antonio de Araujo, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Delegate (designate)
   - Previous Permanent Delegate: H.E. Mr José Barreto Martins

6. **UNESCO Office in Timor-Leste**: None
   Indonesia is covered by the UNESCO Office in Jakarta
   **Director**: Mr Shabaz Khan (Australia). (since 28 August 2015)
   In 2004 a UNESCO Antenna Office was set up in Dili under the direct supervision of the UNESCO Jakarta Cluster Office. The Antenna Office aims to support the Government’s effort in capacity-building and in elaborating long-term strategies in the priority areas of education, sciences, culture and communication/information. The UNESCO Antenna Office in Dili works closely together with the Timor-Leste National Commission for UNESCO in implementing UNESCO programmes and projects to achieve an inclusive, equitable, fair, balanced, green and sustainable development path for Timor-Leste.

7. **National Commission for UNESCO**:
   - Established: 23 April 2009
   - Chairperson: Mr. Bendito dos Santos Freitas (since March 2014)
   - Secretary-General: Ms Angelita Sarmento (since March 2014)

8. **Personalities linked to UNESCO’s activities**: None

9. **UNESCO Chairs**: None

10. **Associated Schools**: None

11. **Category 2 Institutes and Centers**: None

12. **World Heritage sites**: None

13. **Tentative list**: None

14. **Intangible Heritage List**: None

15. **Biosphere Reserves**: None

16. **Memory of the World Register**: 1
   - On the Birth of a Nation: Turning points (2013)
17. Creative cities network: no appointment

18. Legal Instruments: 0 ratified and 39 non-ratified

19. Anniversaries with which UNESCO is associated in 2014-2015: None

20. Participation Programme:
   • 2014-2015: 5 projects approved for a total amount of US$ 104,540
   • 2012-2013: 6 projects approved for a total amount of US$ 119,000
   • 2010-2011: 7 projects approved for a total amount of US$ 156,400

21. Fellowships: 1 fellowships awarded since 2010, for a total amount of US$ 9103.

22. Voluntary contributions to UNESCO:

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23. Payment of assessed membership fees for 2014-2015:
   (Assessment rate: 0.002%; contributions assessed for 2014-2015: US$ 13,060)

24. Representation within the Secretariat: non-represented (min.2 - max.4)