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IRG_Korea Activity Report

1. Korea national body activities

Korea national body members made an effort to get characters that is not included in Unicode but included in the Korean classical books. We have contacted government organizations, software developing companies, and the mass media to have a discussion about the problematic han characters for publication or making certificate. In the course of contacting them we realized that so many characters for personal names remains not to be included in Korean standards. We think that this kind of characters are one of the most important candidate for CJK C2.

WG2 members in Korea also realized that the characters for personal names had some problems and that problems could not be solved without the assist of other company or organization. So WG2 members and IRG members in Korea decided that they should have meetings with other company or organization altogether. Korea national body members will have meetings with other people constantly to make a fine set of candidates for CJK C2.

2. Recent Activities

KIRG members had a meeting with the people in supreme court of Korea and the people in ministry of government administrations and home affairs. The main topic of that meeting is “How we make Korean han character standards for personal names”.

3. Ext.C1 Editorial Review

IRG_Korea reviewed the final version of Ext. C1 and concluded that there is no fatal errors that is necessarily modified in CJK C1.

4. Attending to international meetings

Dr. Lee, the local secretary of IRG committee attended the last SC2/WG2 meeting in Sophia Antipolis, France. 4 delegates from republic of Korea attended the meeting in France.

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