

PART IV FINAL PROVISIONS

ARTICLE 22

OTHER ASSISTANCE

Assistance and procedures set forth in this Treaty shall not prevent either Contracting Party from granting assistance to the other Party through the provisions of other international agreements to which it may be a party. The Parties may also provide assistance pursuant to any bilateral arrangement, or agreement, which may be applicable.

ARTICLE 23

TEMPORAL SCOPE OF APPLICATION

This Treaty shall apply to any requests presented after its entry into force even if the offenses occurred before that date.

ARTICLE 24

CONSULTATIONS

The Contracting Parties shall consult promptly, at the request of either Party, through diplomatic channels, concerning the interpretation and the application of this Treaty.