

claims as between the MFO and Canada and the implementation of the principles and procedures set forth in this Agreement, taking into account relevant UN practices.

15. The totality of the financial contribution to be made to the MFO by Canada is set forth in these Terms of Participation. In particular, neither Canada nor any member of the Canadian Contingent shall bear any financial liability in connection with any claim relating to the performance of official duties that may be determined pursuant to paragraph 38 of the Appendix to the Protocol.

III. ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

1. With reference to paragraph 6 of the Annex to the Protocol, it is understood that the Canadian Contingent is to be placed under the operational control of the Force Commander. The Senior Canadian Officer, in his capacity as commander of the Canadian Contingent, shall have direct access to the Force Commander. The Force Commander shall issue orders of an operational nature to the Commanding Officer of the RWAU in accordance with the chain of command established by the Force Commander pursuant to the Protocol. In all other matters the Force Commander shall issue orders to the Contingent Commander in accordance with the aforementioned chain of command. The contingent contributed by Canada shall comply with MFO directives, regulations and orders, except that where there is a conflict between these Terms of Participation and MFO directives, regulations and orders, these Terms of Participation shall prevail.

2. (a) Canada may provide direct radio or other communications links with its contingent at its own expense. Implementation of a decision to do so shall be coordinated with the Force Commander. Avoidance of any interference with MFO communications is the responsibility of Canada. Frequencies must be agreed upon between Canada and the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt.
- (b) Direct telex and telephone communications links between the Force and the MFO Headquarters may be utilized for communication of messages between the Contingent Commander and the Embassy of Canada in Rome. The MFO shall assure their prompt delivery and shall keep such messages clearly marked as contingent communications out of regular distribution channels so as to limit their handling only to those with a need for access directly related to their communication and delivery.
- (c) MFO communications facilities may be utilized by the Contingent Commander for communications with Canada, without cost to the MFO, and on a space-available basis. The Force Commander may authorize communications payable by the MFO in cases of personal emergency or for humanitarian reasons.
- (d) The MFO Headquarters shall be the channel for official communications between the MFO and Canada.