

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE
UNITED NATIONS CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND
SUPPORT OF AN INFORMATION OFFICE FOR NORTH AMERICA OF
THE UNITED NATIONS CENTRE FOR HUMAN SETTLEMENTS
(HABITAT)

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS under an Agreement, signed 23 January 1981⁽¹⁾, between the United Nations and the Government of Canada (hereinafter "the Government") concerning the Establishment and Support of an Information Office for North America of the United Nations Centre for Human Settlements (Habitat), the Government agreed to provide support for the establishment of an Information Office for North America of the United Nations Centre for Human Settlements (Habitat) (hereinafter "the Office") for a three-year period commencing on 1 October 1980, for the purposes of: a) disseminating within this region information relating to human settlements on behalf of the Centre, b) monitoring North American developments in the field of human settlements technology, research and training, and c) communicating this information as appropriate through the United Nations system;

WHEREAS the aforesaid Agreement expires on 30 September 1983 and both the Government and the United Nations are desirous of renewing said Agreement for a further three-year period commencing on 1 October 1983;

NOW THEREFORE, the United Nations and the Government, for the purpose of carrying out the aforementioned objectives, hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

Premises and Facilities of the Office

1. The Office shall be located on the campus of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C., Canada (hereinafter referred to as "the University"), in adequate premises to be provided, free of charge to the United Nations, by the University during the period of validity of this Agreement.

2. The premises of the Office, and the terms of access to the necessary facilities, equipment and services of the University required for the Office's operations, shall be as set out in the Memorandum of Understanding of 15 December 1980 between the Centre and the University renewed by the parties on 2 August 1983.

3. The Government of Canada shall make appropriate arrangements with the University in respect of the above.

(1) Treaty Series 1981 No. 2