grounds for refusing the request.

- 2. Where the person transferred is required to be kept in custody under the law of the Requested Party, the Requesting Party shall hold that person in custody and shall return the person in custody either upon fulfilment of the request, or at such earlier time stipulated by the Requested Party.
- 3. Where the sentence imposed expires, or where the Requested Party advises the Requesting Party that the transferred person is no longer required to be held in custody, that person shall be set at liberty and be treated as a person in the Requesting Party pursuant to a request under Article VII seeking that person's attendance.

## ARTICLE X

## Safe Conduct

- 1. A witness or expert present in the Requesting Party in response to a request seeking that person's attendance shall not be prosecuted, detained or subjected to any other restriction of personal liberty in that Party for any acts or omissions which preceded that person's departure from the Requested Party, nor shall that person be obliged to give evidence in any proceeding other than the proceeding to which the request relates.
- 2. Paragraph 1 shall cease to apply if a person, being free to leave the Requesting Party, has not left it within a period of thirty (30) days after being officially notified that that person's attendance is no longer