

ARTICLE I

Definitions

For the purpose of this Agreement:

- (a) the term "territory" means the territory of Canada or the territory of the Republic of Poland respectively, as well as as those maritime areas, including the seabed and subsoil adjacent to the outer limit of the territorial sea of either of the above territories, over which the State concerned exercises, in accordance with international law, sovereign rights for the purpose of exploration and exploitation of the natural resources of such areas;
- (b) the term "investment" means any kind of asset invested by an investor of one Contracting Party in the territory of the other Contracting Party and in particular, though not exclusively, shall include:
 - (i) any movable and immovable property and any related property rights, such as mortgages;
 - (ii) shares, stock, bonds and debentures or any other form of participation in a company;
 - (iii) claims to money, and claims to performance under contract having a financial value;
 - (iv) any intellectual property rights, including rights with respect to copyrights, patents, trademarks, trade names, industrial designs, trade secrets as well as know-how;
 - (v) rights having financial value, conferred by law or under contract, necessary to undertake any economic and commercial activity, including any rights to search for, cultivate, extract or exploit natural resources.

Any change in the form of an investment, admitted in accordance with laws and regulations of the Contracting Party in whose territory the investment was made, does not affect its character as an investment.