

**AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA
CONCERNING YOUTH EXCHANGES**

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA and **THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA**, hereinafter referred to as the "Parties",

DESIRING to promote close co-operation between their countries;

WISHING to encourage mobility and exchanges of youth; cooperation and partnership between the two countries; and the enhancement of excellence and competitiveness of educational institutions and businesses, especially small and medium businesses, in the two countries;

WISHING to develop opportunities for their young citizens to complement their university and higher education training, to acquire work experience and to improve their knowledge of the other country's languages, culture and society, and thus to promote mutual understanding between the two countries;

CONVINCED of the value of facilitating such youth exchanges;

HAVE AGREED on the following provisions:

ARTICLE 1

The Parties agree to simplify and facilitate the administrative procedures applicable when young citizens of one country wish to enter and stay in the territory of the other country to complement their university training or professional higher education, to obtain employment or practical workplace experience, or to improve their knowledge of the other country's languages, culture and society.