

**FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT ON SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL
COOPERATION BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC AND POPULAR REPUBLIC OF
ALGERIA**

The Government of Canada and the Government of the Democratic and Popular Republic of Algeria,

Wishing to promote and to add a dynamic dimension to human cooperation between to two countries;

Wishing to strengthen the existing ties and to consolidate, develop and diversify scientific and technical cooperation between them;

Wishing to develop action of mutual interest in the fields of training, technology transfer and procedures, scientific and technological research and specialized manpower;

Determined to work together regularly and to strive to consolidate and to develop mutually beneficial activities of all kinds;

Wishing to plan scientific and technical cooperation as a means of encouraging and supporting bilateral relations in the economic field;

Wishing to ensure that any action undertaken in these fields is carried out properly;

Recalling their Understanding of May 3, 1979 concerning the formation of an Intergovernmental Commission for Economic, Scientific and Technical cooperation as well as their Understanding of November 18, 1982 concerning the financing of a program of scientific, technical and cultural cooperation;

Have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE I

The two Parties undertake to consolidate, develop and diversify their scientific and technical cooperation, in order to strengthen the ties between the two peoples as well as encourage and support economic relations between the two countries.

ARTICLE II

This Agreement shall bring together the various available instruments of cooperation through which technical cooperation between the two Parties might be directed and developed in accordance with the laws and regulations in force in each of the two States.