

ANNEX I

RULES OF PROCEDURE

Application for benefits under this Agreement for any co-production must be made simultaneously to both administrations at least thirty (30) days before shooting begins. The administration of the country of which the majority co-producer is a national shall communicate its proposal to the other administration within twenty (20) days of the submission of the complete documentation as described below. The administration of the country of which the minority co-producer is a national shall thereupon communicate its decision within twenty (20) days.

Documentation submitted in support of an application shall consist of the following items, drafted in English or French in the case of Canada and in English or Irish in the case of Ireland.

- I. The final script.
- II. A document providing proof that the copyright for the co-production has been legally acquired.
- III. A copy of the co-production contract signed by the two co-producers.

The contract shall include:

1. the title of the co-production;
2. the name of the author of the script, or that of the adaptor if it is drawn from a literary source;
3. the name of the director (a substitution clause permitted to provide for his replacement if necessary);
4. the budget;
5. the financing plan;