

2. This Agreement shall not derogate from other obligations between the Parties pursuant to other agreements or arrangements or otherwise, nor prevent the Parties providing assistance to each other pursuant to other agreements or arrangements.

ARTICLE 3

CENTRAL AUTHORITIES

A central authority shall transmit and receive all requests for the purposes of this Agreement. The central authority for Hong Kong shall be the Attorney General or a duly authorised official; the central authority for Canada shall be the Minister of Justice or an official designated by that Minister.

ARTICLE 4

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE

1. The Parties may make requests for information and evidence for the purposes of an investigation or proceedings.

2. Assistance which may be given under this Agreement includes but is not limited to :