

ARTICLE 15

A modification to any provision of this Agreement agreed to between the Contracting Parties shall be effected by an exchange of diplomatic notes.

ARTICLE 16

1. If any dispute arises between the Contracting Parties relating to the interpretation or application of the present Agreement, the Contracting Parties shall in the first place endeavour to settle it by negotiation between the aeronautical authorities or if that fails through diplomatic channels.

2. If the Contracting Parties fail to reach a settlement by negotiation, they may agree to refer the dispute for decision to some person or body; if they do not so agree, the dispute shall at the request of either Contracting Party be submitted for decision to a tribunal of three arbitrators, one to be nominated by each Contracting Party and the third to be appointed by the two so nominated. Each of the Contracting Parties shall nominate an arbitrator within a period of sixty (60) days from the date of receipt by either Contracting Party from the other of a notice through diplomatic channels requesting arbitration of the dispute by such a tribunal and the third arbitrator shall be appointed within a further period of sixty (60) days.

3. The Contracting Parties shall comply with any decision given under paragraph 2. of this Article.

4. The expenses of the arbitration will be equally shared between the Contracting Parties.

ARTICLE 17

Either of the Contracting Parties may at any time notify the other by diplomatic note of its intention to terminate this Agreement. This Agreement shall terminate one year after the date of receipt of the notice of intention to terminate, unless by agreement between the Contracting Parties such notice is withdrawn before the expiration of that time.

ARTICLE 18

The present Agreement and any Exchange of diplomatic Notes in accordance with Article 15 shall be registered with the International Civil Aviation Organization.

ARTICLE 19

This Agreement shall come into force on the day it is signed, and shall remain in effect unless terminated in accordance with Article 17.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, being duly authorized thereto by their respective Governments, have signed this Agreement.

Done at Prague, this 20th of March, 1969, in two copies, in the English, French and Czech languages, each version being equally authentic.

For the Government of Canada:
THOMAS WAINMAN-WOOD

For the Government of The
Czechoslovak Socialist Republic:

M. MURIN