(c) shall mutually address any difficulties which may arise, on the technical level, in the application of the provisions of this Agreement or of the arrangements made for its application.

ARTICLE 26

1. For the application both of this Agreement and of the social security legislation of the other Contracting State, the competent social security authorities and institutions of both Contracting States shall make their facilities available in the same way as they would for the application of their own legislation.

2. Information provided by virtue of the preceding paragraph shall be used solely for the purposes of applying this Agreement.

3. The access of a person to his social security file shall be regulated by the legislation of the Contracting State holding the file.

ARTICLE 27

1. The benefit of the exemptions or reductions of taxes, or stamp duties or of registration or recording fees provided for by the legislation of one Contracting State in respect of certificates or other documents required to be produced for the application of the legislation of that State shall be extended to certificates or other documents required to be produced for the application of the legislation of the other State.

2. All acts, documents and certificates required to be produced for the carrying out of this Agreement shall be exempt from notarization.

ARTICLE 28

Claims, notices and appeals on social security matters which are required to be submitted within a specified period to the authority, institution or jurisdiction of one of the Contracting States authorized to accept them, are acceptable if they have been presented within the same specified period to a corresponding authority, institution or jurisdiction of the other State. In this case the claims, notices and appeals must be sent without delay to the authority, institution or jurisdiction of the first State.

ARTICLE 29

The institutions or authorities responsible for paying benefits under this Agreement shall pay those benefits in their national currency.