

ARTICLE II

Legislation to which the Agreement Applies

1. This Agreement shall apply to the laws and regulations listed hereunder, their present and future complements, consolidations and amendments:

(a) with respect to Canada:

(i) the Old Age Security Act and the regulations made thereunder;
and

(ii) the Canada Pension Plan and the regulations made thereunder;

(b) with respect to Sweden:
the legislation governing

(i) basic pension, and

(ii) supplementary pension;

however, this Agreement shall not affect branches of social security other than those referred to in this sub-paragraph.

2. This Agreement shall apply to laws or regulations which extend the existing legislation to other categories of beneficiaries unless an objection on the part of either State has been communicated to the other State within three months of notification of such laws or regulations.

ARTICLE III

Persons to whom the Agreement Applies and Equality of Treatment

1. Unless otherwise provided in this Agreement, it shall apply to:

(a) citizens of either State;

(b) refugees, within the meaning of Article 1 of the Convention Relating to the Status of Refugees of July 28, 1951 and of the Protocol of January 31, 1967 to that Convention;

(c) stateless persons, within the meaning of Article 1 of the Convention Relating to the Status of Stateless Persons of September 28, 1954;

(d) other persons to the extent that they derive rights from a citizen of either State, from a refugee or from a stateless person within the meaning of this Article;

(e) citizens of third states, unless they are included in the group of persons described in sub-paragraph (d).

2. Unless otherwise provided in this Agreement, a person described in paragraph 1 of this Article, regardless of nationality, shall be subject to the obligations of the legislation of a State and shall be eligible for the benefits of that legislation under the same conditions as the citizens of that State.