#### AGREEMENT

# BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS CONCERNING AUDIO-VISUAL RELATIONS

The Government of Canada and the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics,

Considering the importance of developing and strengthening the good relations and broadening understanding between the Canadian and Soviet people in the spirit of friendship and co-operation;

Proceeding from the Canada-USSR General Exchanges Agreement of October 20, 1971;

Convinced that it is desirable to develop these exchanges, particularly in the audio-visual field;

Conscious that such co-operation can contribute to the further expansion of the audio-visual industries of both countries as well as to the development of their cultural and economic exchanges;

Have agreed to develop between Canada and the USSR exchanges in the audio-visual field as follows:

#### ARTICLE I

The two Parties shall expand and strengthen their cooperation and exchanges in the audio-visual field in accordance with the national legislation and the regulations in force in each country.

### AREAS OF CO-OPERATION

## ARTICLE 2

The Protocol concerning audio-visual co-production is an integral part of the present Agreement and is annexed to the Agreement.

Dept. of External Affairs

In the development of the present Agreement, other protocols may be signed which, by mutual consent, shall form an integral part of the Agreement.