

4. Paragraph (1) of Article 13 of the Agreement, as amended by this Supplementary Agreement, shall enter into force retroactively as of 1 January 1994.

5. If, on the date of entry into force of this Supplementary Agreement, a person is compulsorily covered under the legislation of both Parties with respect to self-employment, paragraph (3) of Article 7 of the Agreement, as amended by this Supplementary Agreement, shall apply to that person only if he or she requests, in writing, that this be the case. If such a request is submitted to the competent institution of either Party within six months of the date of entry into force of this Supplementary Agreement, that provision shall apply as of the date of entry into force. In any other case, it shall apply on the first day of the calendar month following the month in which the request is submitted.