b) punishable by the same maximum penalty as, or a lesser maximum penalty than, the offence for which that person was extradited.

## **ARTICLE 17**

# Re-Extradition to a Third State

A person who has been surrendered pursuant to this Treaty may not be surrendered to a third State without the consent of the Requested State, except in the cases specified in subparagraphs 1(a), (b) and (c) of Article 16. The Requested State may require the production of the documents in support of the extradition request received by the Requesting State from the third State.

# **ARTICLE 18**

### **Transit**

The transit of a person surrendered by a third State to one of the Contracting States through the other's territory shall be authorized on request, subject to the latter's law and to all cases where extradition may be refused pursuant to this Treaty.

# **ARTICLE 19**

# **Applicable Law**

Unless there is a provision to the contrary in this Treaty, proceedings relating to arrest and extradition shall be governed by the law of the Requested State.

### **ARTICLE 20**

## Language

All documents submitted in accordance with this Treaty shall be in an official language of the Requesting State and accompanied by a translation into the official or an official language of the Requested State.