legislation. If the amount of the benefit cannot be determined according to the previous sentence, it shall be determined in the following manner:

- (a) The competent institution of Croatia shall determine whether the eligibility for a benefit exists, taking into account the total creditable periods as if they all were completed under the legislation of Croatia, and the amount of the benefit payable shall be determined as the ratio between the creditable periods under the legislation of Croatia and the total of all creditable periods.
- (b) Notwithstanding the provision of sub-paragraph 1(a) of this Article, if the total length of all creditable periods, totalized according to the provisions of Chapter 1 of Part III of this Agreement, exceeds the maximum period specified under the legislation of Croatia for the calculation of a benefit, the amount of the benefit payable shall be determined as the ratio between the creditable periods under the legislation of Croatia and that maximum period.
- The benefit base shall be determined exclusively on the basis of creditable periods completed under the legislation of Croatia.

PART IV

ADMINISTRATIVE AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

ARTICLE 14

Administrative Arrangement

- The competent authorities of the Parties shall establish, by means of an administrative arrangement, the measures necessary for the application of this Agreement.
- 2. The liaison agencies of the Parties shall be designated in that arrangement.