

- f) appropriate assistance on both sides in establishing contacts and reaching agreements between Canadian and Soviet organizations and firms on the development of the Arctic and the North;
- g) exchange of information on matters of general policies and development of national legislation with respect to the Arctic and the North; and
- h) other mutually agreed forms of cooperation.

ARTICLE 3

1. For the purpose of this Agreement and in accordance with the agreed programmes, the Parties will promote, facilitate and encourage the development of cooperative and direct contacts between governmental and non-governmental establishments, scientific research and other organizations, trade associations and firms of the two countries, including the conclusion of working arrangements or contracts on implementation of specific projects and programmes in accordance with this Agreement.
2. Each Party will provide assistance for travel to areas, institutions and organizations of the other country appropriate for the conduct of the agreed programmes.
3. Information obtained as a result of joint research and activities will be accessible to the participants and be transmitted between them as soon as practicable. Such information may be freely used by the participants unless specified otherwise.
4. The cooperation provided for in this Agreement shall be subject to the laws and regulations of the Parties.

ARTICLE 4

1. To implement this Agreement, a Canadian-Soviet Mixed Commission on cooperation in the Arctic and the North shall be established. Sub-commissions shall also be established, as appropriate, with respect to scientific and technical cooperation, economic cooperation and cooperation on social and cultural questions, inter alia. The Commission will meet at least once every two years, alternately in Canada and the USSR. Each Party will designate its representatives to the Commission's sessions in accordance with its own procedures and practices.