

- (b) where necessary, an indication of any particular form or procedure which should be followed while executing the request;
 - (c) in the case of requests for the taking of evidence or search and seizure, a statement indicating the circumstances which constitute the basis for belief that evidence or objects may be found in the territory of the Requested Party;
 - (d) in the case of requests to hear a person, a statement as to whether a sworn statement is required and a description of the circumstances to which the evidence or statement will relate;
 - (e) in the case of lending of exhibits, the person or competent authority which will have custody of the exhibit, the place to which the exhibit is to be removed, any tests to be conducted and the date by which the exhibit will be returned;
 - (f) in the case of the transfer of detained persons, the person or competent authority which will have custody during the transfer, the place to which the detained person is to be transferred and the date of that person's return; and
 - (g) if confidentiality is necessary an indication of the reasons therefor.
- (3) If the Requested Party considers that the information contained in the request is not sufficient for the request to be dealt with, that Party may request that additional information be furnished.
- (4) A request shall be made in writing. In urgent circumstances and where otherwise permitted by the Requested Party, a request may be made in another form but shall be confirmed in writing promptly thereafter.

ARTICLE 14

CENTRAL AUTHORITIES

Requests for legal assistance and responses thereto shall be transmitted through central authorities. The Central Authority for Canada shall be the Minister of Justice ; the