

“enterprise of a Party” means an enterprise constituted or organized under the law of a Party, and a branch located in the territory of a Party and carrying out business activities there;

“equity or debt securities” includes voting and non-voting shares, bonds, convertible debentures, stock options and warrants;

“existing” means in effect on the date of entry into force of this Agreement;

“financial institution” means any financial intermediary or other enterprise that is authorized to do business and regulated or supervised as a financial institution under the law of the Party in whose territory it is located;

“financial service” means a service of a financial nature, including insurance, and a service incidental or auxiliary to a service of a financial nature;

“government monopoly” means a monopoly that is owned, or controlled through ownership interests, by the national government of a Party or by another such monopoly;

“ICSID” means the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes;

“ICSID Convention” means *the Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of other States*, done at Washington, March 18, 1965;

“intellectual property rights” means copyright and related rights, trademark rights, rights in geographical indications, rights in industrial designs, patent rights, rights in layout designs of integrated circuits, rights in relation to protection of undisclosed information, and plant breeders’ rights.

“Inter-American Convention” means the *Inter-American Convention on International Commercial Arbitration*, done at Panama, January 30, 1975;