ARTICLE XVII

Transit

1. To the extent permitted by its law, transit through the territory of one of the Contracting States shall be granted on a request in writing by the other Contracting State. The request for transit:

- (a) may be transmitted by any means affording a record in writing; and
- (b) shall contain the information referred to in paragraph 2 of Article IX, and the particulars of the transit and ultimate proposed surrender.

2. A consent to transit may be subject to any terms and conditions that the transit State considers appropriate.

3. No authorization for transit shall be necessary when air travel is used and no landing is scheduled in the territory of the transit State. In the case of an unscheduled landing, the transit State may require the request for transit provided for in paragraph 1. The transit State shall detain the person in transit until the request is received and the transit is carried out, provided that the request is received within the time period prescribed by the law of the transit state.

ARTICLE XVIII

Applicable Law

In the absence of any provision to the contrary in this Treaty, proceedings relating to arrest and extradition shall be governed by the laws of the Requested State.

ARTICLE XIX

Language

All documents submitted in accordance with this Treaty shall be in or translated into an official language of the Requested State.