

- (b) in the case of requests for the taking of evidence, an indication as to whether sworn or solemnly affirmed statements are required and a description of the subject matter of the evidence or statement sought;
  - (c) in the case of requests for the lending of exhibits, the current location of the exhibits in the Requested State, the persons or class of persons in the Requesting State who will have custody of the exhibits, the location to which the exhibits are to be removed, the tests to be conducted on the exhibits and the date by which the exhibits will be returned;
  - (d) in the case of requests to make detained persons available to the Requesting State, the identity of the persons or class of persons that will have custody during the transfer, the place to which the detained person is to be transferred, and the date of the person's return.
3. As required and where possible, requests for assistance shall contain the following information:
    - (a) the identity, nationality and location of the person or persons who are the subject of the investigation or proceedings;
    - (b) details of any particular procedure that the Requesting State wishes to be followed and the reasons therefor.
  4. If the Requested State considers that the request does not contain sufficient information, it may request additional information.
  5. Requests shall be made in writing. In urgent situations, a request may be made using any means of communication which leaves a written record, but shall be confirmed in writing as quickly as possible.

## ARTICLE 16

### Central Authorities

Pursuant this Treaty, all requests and replies thereto shall be transmitted and received by the Central Authorities. The Central Authority in Canada shall be the Minister of Justice or the officials designated by the Minister. The Central Authority in Greece shall be the Ministry of Justice.

## ARTICLE 17

### Confidentiality

1. The Requested State may require, after consultation with the Requesting State, that information or evidence provided, or the source of such information or evidence, be kept confidential or be disclosed or used only subject to such terms and conditions as it may specify.
2. The Requested State shall protect, to the extent requested, the confidentiality of the request, its content, supporting documents and any action taken pursuant to the request to further its execution. If the request cannot be executed without breaching the confidentiality requirement, the Requested State shall so inform the Requesting State prior to executing the request, and the Requesting State shall then decide whether the request should be executed.