

- (c) in the case of lending of exhibits, the place where the exhibits are located in the Requested State, the person or class of persons who will have custody of the exhibits in the Requesting State, the place to which they will be removed, any tests to be conducted and the date by which they will be returned;
  - (d) in the case of making detained persons available to the Requesting State, the persons or class of persons who 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.
3. If necessary and to the extent possible, requests for assistance shall contain the following information:
    - (a) the name, nationality and location of the person or persons who are the subject of the investigation or proceeding;
    - (b) details concerning any particular procedure the Requesting State wishes the executing authorities to follow and the reasons therefor.
  4. If the Requested State is of the opinion that the information contained in the request is insufficient to enable the request to be executed, it may request additional information.
  5. Requests shall be made in writing. In urgent cases, a request may be made orally, but shall be confirmed in writing promptly thereafter.

## ARTICLE 16

### Central Authorities

For the purposes of this Treaty, all requests and replies to them shall be transmitted and received by the central authorities, which shall communicate directly with each other. For Canada, the central authority shall be the Minister of Justice or the officials designated by that Minister; for Romania, the central authority shall be the Department of Justice.

## ARTICLE 17

### Confidentiality

1. After consulting the Requesting State, the Requested State may request that the information or evidence provided or the source of this information or evidence remain confidential or be disclosed or used only except subject to such terms and conditions as it may specify.
2. The Requested State shall, to the extent requested, keep confidential a request, its contents, supporting documents and any action taken in furtherance of the request. If the request cannot be executed in accordance with this confidentiality requirement, the Requested State shall notify the Requesting State prior to executing the request. The Requesting State shall then decide whether the request should be executed.