

- (ii) a year in which a contribution has been made to the Canada Pension Plan and commencing on or after January 1, 1966 shall be accepted as twelve months of contributions under the legislation of Portugal;
- (iii) a month commencing on or after January 1, 1966 which would be a month of residence for the purposes of the Old Age Security Act and in relation to which no contribution has been made under the Canada Pension Plan shall be accepted as a month of contributions under the legislation of Portugal.

5. If a person does not satisfy the conditions required for entitlement to old age benefits except through totalizing of periods as covered in paragraph 3, the competent institution of the Party or Parties in question shall calculate the amount of the pension in conformity with the provisions of the legislation administered by it, directly and exclusively on the basis of the periods accomplished under such legislation.

6. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, where the total of credited periods is not equal to at least ten years, Canada will not be liable to pay any old age benefit under this Article, and when this period is not equal to at least twenty years, Canada will not be liable to pay any old age benefit by virtue of this Article, in the territory of Portugal.

7. If the sum of the benefits to be paid by the competent institutions of both Parties does not attain the minimum established by the legislation of Portugal, the individual resident in Portugal shall be entitled to a supplement equal to the difference and this shall be paid by the competent authority of Portugal.

CHAPTER 2

SPOUSE'S ALLOWANCE

ARTICLE XIII

1. The legislation of Canada applicable in respect of the Spouse's Allowance under this Article shall, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, be the Old Age Security Act excepting subsection 17.1(1) of that Act.

2. If a person is not entitled to the Spouse's Allowance because he has not satisfied the residence requirements under the legislation of Canada, then, provided that he has resided in the territories of the Parties in aggregate, for at least ten years, after the age specified and determined within the administrative arrangements, in accordance with the Old Age Security Act, Canada shall pay to that person an amount of Spouse's Allowance, calculated in conformity with the legislation of Canada.

3. The Spouse's Allowance is payable only in the territory of Canada.