

2. Such consultations shall begin within a period of sixty (60) days of the date of receipt of such a request, unless otherwise agreed by the Contracting Parties.

ARTICLE XX

1. The provisions set out in Articles VII, VIII, IX, XI, XIII, XIV, XV, XVII, XVIII and XIX of this Agreement shall be applicable also to charter flights operated by an air carrier of one Contracting Party into or from the territory of the other Contracting Party and to the air carrier operating such flights.

2. The provision of paragraph 1 of this Article shall not affect national laws and regulations governing the right of air carriers to operate charter flights or the conduct of air carriers or other parties involved in the organization of such operations.

ARTICLE XXI

1. If either of the Contracting Parties considers it desirable to modify any provision of the present Agreement, or its Annex, it may request consultations with the other Contracting Party. Such consultations, which may be between the aeronautical authorities and which may be through discussion or by correspondence, shall begin within a period of sixty (60) days from the date of the request.

2. Any modifications of the Agreement agreed pursuant to such consultations shall come into force on the date on which the Contracting Parties have informed each other in writing that the formalities constitutionally required therefor in their respective countries have been complied with.

3. Any modification of the Annex agreed pursuant to such consultations shall come into force when it has been confirmed by an exchange of diplomatic notes.

ARTICLE XXII

1. If any dispute arises between the Contracting Parties relating to the interpretation or application of this Agreement, the Contracting Parties shall in the first place endeavour to settle it by negotiation.

2. If the Contracting Parties fail to reach a settlement by negotiation, they may agree to refer the dispute for decision to some person or body, or either Contracting Party may submit the dispute for decision to a Tribunal of three arbitrators, one to be nominated by each Contracting Party and the third to be appointed by the two arbitrators. Each of the Contracting Parties shall nominate an arbitrator within a period of sixty (60) days from the date of receipt by either Contracting Party from the other of a notice through diplomatic channels requesting arbitration of the dispute and the third arbitrator shall be appointed within a further period of sixty (60) days. If either of the Contracting Parties fails to nominate an arbitrator within the period specified, or if the third arbitrator is not appointed