ARTICLE XVI

No restrictions shall be placed on the import, distribution and exhibition of Israeli film and videotape productions in Canada or Canadian film and videotape productions in Israel other than those contained in the legislation and regulations in force in the two countries.

Moreover, the contracting parties affirm their desire to foster by all available means the distribution in each of their respective countries of film and videotape productions from the other country.

ARTICLE XVII

The competent authorities shall examine the implementation of this Agreement as necessary in order to resolve any difficulties arising out of its application. They will consider possible amendments with a view to developing film and videotape production co-operation in the best interests of both countries.

A joint Commission is established to look after the implementation of this Agreement. A meeting of the Joint Commission shall take place in principle once every two years and it shall meet alternately in the two countries. However, it may be convened for extraordinary sessions at the request of one or both competent authorities, particularly in the case of major amendments to the legislation or the regulations governing the film and videotape production industries, or where the application of the Agreement presents serious difficulties.

ARTICLE XVIII

Retroactive to October 1, 1984, the present Agreement shall come into force on the day on which the contracting parties have notified each other of the completion of their respective Constitutional procedures replacing the Agreement between Canada and Israel on Film Relations of March 29, 1978.