

implementation of cooperation arising from this agreement and may consider issues related to the Agreement on Trade and Commerce between Canada and the Russian Federation of June 19, 1992 and the Agreement for the Promotion and Reciprocal Protection of Investments done at Moscow on November 20, 1989.

The Commission will be headed from the Canadian side by the Minister for International Trade of Canada and from the Russian side by the Minister of Economy of the Russian Federation. The Co-Chairmen of the Commission will agree on its terms of reference and procedures.

The Commission shall meet at regular intervals, as a rule, once a year, with meetings alternating between Canada and Russia.

The Commission shall establish such Committees or working groups as may be necessary. As appropriate, the Commission may invite business representatives of both countries to participate in its activities and in the activities of Committees or working groups created by the Commission.

#### ARTICLE VI

##### ENTRY INTO FORCE, REVISION, TERM AND TERMINATION

1. This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of an exchange of notes confirming that the Parties have completed their respective legal requirements necessary to bring it into force. In the event that the exchange of notes does not take place on the same day, the Agreement shall enter into force on the date of the last note.
2. On the date of the entry into force of this Agreement, the Long Term Agreement between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to Facilitate Economic, Industrial, Scientific and Technical Cooperation signed at Ottawa on July 14, 1976, the Protocol on its extension of October 2, 1986, as well as the Agreement between Canada and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on Cooperation in the Industrial Application of Science and Technology signed at Moscow on January 27, 1971, shall cease to have force as between Canada and the Russian Federation.
3. Except as set out above, nothing in this Agreement terminates or amends the Agreements already in force between the Parties.
4. This Agreement shall remain in force indefinitely, unless either Party provides the other Party with not less than six months' written notice of its intention to terminate the Agreement.
5. At the request of either Party, this Agreement may be revised in full or in part by mutual agreement.
6. The revision or termination of this Agreement shall not affect the validity of arrangements or contracts already concluded under this Agreement or any other bilateral trade and investment agreement.