

3. The information shall include:
 - (a) the name, date and place of birth of the sentenced person;
 - (b) the person's address, if any, in the receiving State;
 - (c) a statement of facts upon which the sentence was based; and
 - (d) the nature, duration and date of commencement of the sentence.
4. If the sentenced person has expressed an interest to the receiving State, the transferring State shall, on request, communicate to that State the information referred to in Paragraph 3.
5. The sentenced person shall be informed, in writing, of any action taken by the transferring State or the receiving State under the preceding paragraphs, as well as any decision taken by either State on a request for transfer.

ARTICLE 5

Requests and Replies

1. Requests for transfer and replies shall be made in writing.
2. Requests shall be addressed by the Relevant Authority of the requesting State to the Relevant Authority of the requested State. Replies shall be communicated through the same channel.
3. For the purposes of Paragraph 2 of this Article, the Relevant Authority shall be
 - for Canada:**
the Solicitor General of Canada; and
 - for the Arab Republic of Egypt:**
the Minister of Justice.
4. The requested State shall promptly inform the requesting State of its decision whether or not to agree to the requested transfer.
5. Either Party may refuse the transfer of a prisoner without the need to provide any explanation. The sentencing State shall have the right to refuse all requests from the receiving State involving drug or terrorist offences.
6. In making its decision, each Party shall consider all factors that may contribute to the offender's social reintegration.