- (b) discriminatory measures of any kind to the flow of waterborne cargoes through maritime cargo terminals or to the use of such terminals.
- 3. Each Party shall, on the basis of reciprocity with the other Party, permit the establishment and operation of offices to act as shipping and port agents for the merchant vessels of the other Party and for merchant vessels chartered by persons of the other Party.

ARTICLE X

TERMS OF PAYMENTS

- 1. Subject to the laws and regulations in force in Canada and the Republic of Lithuania, all payments in respect of trade between the two countries shall be made on terms mutually agreed upon by the persons party to the commercial contracts governing that trade.
- 2. Neither Party shall require persons subject to their jurisdiction to engage in barter or countertrade transactions as a condition of bilateral trade between Canada and the Republic of Lithuania.

ARTICLE XI

TRADE-RELATED FINANCE

The Parties shall endeavour to enhance the relationship between Export Development Corporation of Canada, or its successor or successors, and the Bank of Lithuania, or its successor or successors, especially in relation to financing trade in capital goods, services, and commodities based on reasonable assessments of commercial risk and, where appropriate, based on sovereign risk guarantees.

ARTICLE XII

LAW APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS AND SETTLEMENT OF COMMERCIAL DISPUTES

1. Neither Party shall interfere with the freedom of persons subject to its jurisdiction to agree with persons of the other Party on the choice of law to govern the conclusion and performance of contracts between them.