- (i) "territory" means:
 - in respect of Canada, the territory of Canada, as well as those maritime areas, including the seabed and subsoil adjacent to the outer limit of the territorial sea, over which Canada exercises, in accordance with international law, sovereign rights for the purpose of exploration and exploitation of the natural resources of such areas;
 - (ii) in respect of The Republic of Croatia, the territory of The Republic of Croatia, as well as those maritime areas, including the seabed and subsoil adjacent to the outer limit of the territorial sea, over which The Republic of Croatia exercises, in accordance with international law, sovereign rights for the purpose of exploration and exploitation of the natural resources of such areas.

ARTICLE II

Promotion and Protection of Investments

- Each Contracting Party shall encourage the creation of favourable conditions for investors of the other Contracting Party to make investments in its territory.
- 2. Each Contracting Party shall accord investments or returns of investors of the other Contracting Party
 - (a) fair and equitable treatment in accordance with principles of international law, and
 - (b) full protection and security.

ARTICLE III

Establishment of Investment

- Each Contracting Party shall permit establishment of a new business enterprise
 or acquisition of an existing business enterprise or a share of such enterprise
 by investors or prospective investors of the other Contracting Party on a basis
 no less favourable than that which, in like circumstances, it permits such
 acquisition or establishment by:
 - (a) investors or prospective investors of any third state;
 - (b) its own investors or prospective investors.

ARTICLE IV

Treatment of Established Investment

- Each Contracting Party shall grant to investments and returns of investors of the other Contracting Party treatment no less favourable than that which, in like circumstances, it grants to investments and returns of:
 - (a) investors of any third State;
 - (b) its own investors.