positions) is required before drawing conclusions on an appropriate course of action beyond the status quo. In light of ongoing work at the OECD, this paper suggests certain limited Canadian objectives in the area of merger control in the future NAFTA work programme:

- convergence of certain procedural requirements;
- exchange of information between enforcement agencies;
- elimination of discriminatory provisions; and
- establishment of work program to review options for reducing the potential for jurisdictional conflict.