

2. In the application of paragraph 1, where, in accordance with the legislation of Cyprus, a woman claims an old age pension, the competent institution of Cyprus shall take into account, where appropriate, creditable periods completed by her husband under the legislation of either Party.
3. If a person is not entitled to a funeral grant solely on the basis of the creditable periods under the legislation of Cyprus, that person's right to funeral grant shall be determined through the totalizing of creditable periods as provided in this Agreement.

PART IV

ADMINISTRATIVE AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Article XIV

1. The competent authorities and institutions responsible for the application of this Agreement:
 - (a) shall, to the extent permitted by the legislation which they administer, communicate to each other any information necessary for the application of this Agreement;
 - (b) shall lend their good offices and furnish assistance to one another with regard to the determination or payment of any benefit under this Agreement or the legislation to which this Agreement applies as if the matter involved the application of their own legislation;