

(2) Capital requirements shall include:

- (a) All direct and indirect costs of the design, development, acquisition, construction and establishment of the INMARSAT space segment, of the acquisition of contractual rights by means of lease, and of other property of the Organization.
- (b) Funds required for operating, maintenance and administrative costs of the Organization pending availability of revenues to meet such costs, and pursuant to Article VIII(3).
- (c) Payments by Signatories pursuant to Article XI.

(3) Interest at a rate to be determined by the Council shall be added to any amount unpaid after the scheduled date for payment determined by the Council.

(4) If, during the period up to the first determination of investment shares on the basis of utilization pursuant to Article V, the total amount of capital contributions which Signatories are required to pay in any financial year exceeds 50 per cent of the capital ceiling established by or pursuant to Article IV, the Council shall consider the adoption of other arrangements, including temporary debt financing, to permit those Signatories which so desire to pay the additional contributions in subsequent years by instalments. The Council shall determine the rate of interest to apply in such cases, reflecting the additional costs to the Organization.

Article IV

Capital Ceiling

The sum of the net capital contributions of Signatories and of the outstanding contractual capital commitments of the Organization shall be subject to a ceiling. This sum shall consist of the cumulative capital contributions made by Signatories pursuant to Article III, less the cumulative capital repaid to them pursuant to this Agreement, plus the outstanding amount of contractual capital commitments of the Organization. The initial capital ceiling shall be 200 million US dollars. The Council shall have authority to adjust the capital ceiling.

Article V

Investment Shares

(1) Investment shares of Signatories shall be determined on the basis of utilization of the INMARSAT space segment. Each Signatory shall have an investment share equal to its percentage of all utilization of the INMARSAT space segment by all Signatories. Utilization of the INMARSAT space segment shall be measured in terms of the charges levied by the Organization for use of the INMARSAT space segment pursuant to Article 19 of the Convention and Article VIII of this Agreement.

(2) For the purpose of determining investment shares, utilization in both directions shall be divided into two equal parts, a ship part and a land part. The part associated with the ship where the traffic originates or terminates shall be attributed to the Signatory of the Party under whose authority the ship is operating. The part associated with the land territory where the traffic originates or terminates shall be attributed to the Signatory of the