PROTOCOL TO EXTEND FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS THE TRADE AGREE-MENT BETWEEN CANADA AND THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA SIGNED AT OTTAWA ON OCTOBER 8, 1963.

PROTOCOL

In connection with the expiration of the Trade Agreement between Canada and the People's Republic of Bulgeria concluded in Ottawa October 8, 1963, the Government of Canada and the Government of the People's Republic of Bulgaria, desiring to expand and diversify further trade between the two countries on the basis of mutual advantage, have agreed as follows:

- (1) The Trade Agreement between Canada and Bulgaria of October 8, 1963°°, with the exception of Article VII, is hereby extended for a period of three years from October 8, 1966.
- (2) The Trade Agreement may be extended for a further period if both contracting parties agree to enter negotiations for such extension before July 7, 1969.
- (3) This Protocol shall enter into force provisionally from the date of signature. It shall be ratified by both contracting parties as soon as possible and it shall enter into force definitively on the date of exchange of the instruments of ratification, which shall take place in Ottawa. This Protocol shall remain in force concurrently with the extended Canada-Bulgaria Trade Agreement as provided for in paragraph (1) above.

⁽¹⁾ Canada Treaty Series 1965 No. 3.