

## ARTICLE 17

The exchanges of information and materials and exchanges of visits by individuals and delegations provided for in this Agreement are subject to the laws and regulations of Canada and the USSR.

Financial and other conditions of the exchanges will be agreed by the Parties during the establishment of the two-year Programmes or will be agreed directly between appropriate Canadian and Soviet organizations.

To facilitate arrangements for exchanges and visits, both Governments agree that:

- (a) Visitors under this Agreement will be provided, as a rule not less than thirty days in advance, with a provisional programme agreed upon through diplomatic channels or by appropriate organizations; whenever possible plans for reciprocal visits will be agreed simultaneously;
- (b) Applications for visas for visitors will be submitted as far in advance as possible and in accordance with the regulations of each country;
- (c) The size of delegations to be exchanged and the length of their stay will normally be agreed in advance;
- (d) Each Party shall have the right to include in its delegations interpreters or representatives of its Embassy within the agreed number of the delegates. The number of interpreters or representatives of Embassies in each delegation shall be agreed in advance;
- (e) In cases where other mutually acceptable arrangements do not exist, or have not been agreed in advance, visitors under this Agreement will arrange to pay their own expenses, including those incurred in international travel, internal travel, and their living expenses during the visit;
- (f) Both Parties will endeavour to facilitate visits to appropriate agencies other than the principal host agency when such visits are requested and are possible.

## ARTICLE 18

The visits and exchanges provided for in this Agreement do not preclude other visits and exchanges outside the scope of this Agreement. To the extent possible and when appropriate, both Parties will keep each other informed of such visits and exchanges.

## ARTICLE 19

Both Governments will encourage and facilitate the fulfilment of exchange agreements which may be concluded between designated agencies of the contracting Governments; such agreements may be deemed to be annexed to this Agreement if the contracting Governments so agree. Such exchange agreements shall be consistent with the provisions of this Agreement and the Mixed Commission may review their implementation in accordance with the terms of Article 16.