

ANNEX B

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF COSTA RICA

The Government of Costa Rica or its Agencies shall provide and pay for

1. *Accommodation*

- (a) normal hotel expenses, including meals, for the Canadian personnel and their dependents until they are able to obtain permanent accommodation, as well as for the period immediately prior to departure, after vacating their permanent accommodation;
- (b) subject to article (c) below, housing containing basic furnishings of the standard equivalent to that normally accorded a civil servant of the Government of Costa Rica of comparable rank and seniority;
- (c) where the duration of any stay by Canadian personnel in Costa Rica has been determined by the Government of Canada to be less than six months, suitable hotel or temporary accommodation, three meals a day and normal related services;

2. The cost of hotel or other suitable temporary living quarters plus meals for Canadian personnel, but not for their dependents, at a level that is normally accorded a civil servant of the Government of Costa Rica of comparable rank and seniority, while travelling on duties arising from their assignment;

3. *Transportation*

- (a) between the point of entry and the place of residence of Canadian personnel and their dependents, on their arrival in Costa Rica at the commencement of their assignment,
- (b) between the place of residence and point of departure from Costa Rica, of the Canadian personnel and their dependents, on the completion of their assignment,
- (c) for all official journeys, including transportation between the place of residence of the Canadian personnel and his place of work wherever these two locations are not in close proximity. Such transportation will be of a similar standard to that normally accorded a civil servant of the Government of Costa Rica of comparable rank and seniority. In the event that the Canadian personnel have their own motor vehicles, and use them in lieu of official transportation, they shall be paid allowance per kilometer at appropriate rates as are normally payable to civil servants of the Government of Costa Rica,
- (d) between the points of entry and departure in Costa Rica and the final destination of the professional and technical equipment and of the personal and household effects of the Canadian personnel and their dependents. Such transportation costs shall include, where applicable, customs' clearance and temporary warehousing in relation to arriving shipments and export packing and temporary warehousing in relation to departing shipments.