

### ARTICLE 13

#### Proceeds of Crime

1. The Requested State shall, upon request, endeavour to ascertain whether any proceeds of a crime are located within its jurisdiction and shall notify the Requesting State of the results of its inquiries.
2. When pursuant to paragraph 1 of this Article, suspected proceeds of crime are found, the Requested State shall take such measures as are permitted by its law to restrain, seize and confiscate such proceeds.
3. The proceeds of crime confiscated pursuant to a request made under this Treaty, shall accrue to the Requested State unless it otherwise agreed.

### ARTICLE 14

#### Compensation and Enforcement of Fines

The Requested State shall, to extent permitted by its law, assist in compensating the victims of crime and in collecting fines imposed in criminal prosecutions.

## PART III: PROCEDURE

### ARTICLE 15

#### Contents of Requests

1. Requests for assistance shall indicate, in all cases:
  - (a) the name of the competent authority conducting the investigation or proceedings to which the request relates;
  - (b) the nature of the investigation or proceedings and include a summary of the relevant facts and a copy of the applicable laws;
  - (c) the purpose for which the request is made and the nature of the assistance sought;
  - (d) the need, if any, for confidentiality and the reasons therefor; and
  - (e) any time limit within which compliance with the request is desired.
2. Requests for assistance shall also contain the following information:
  - (a) in the case of requests for the taking of evidence, search and seizure or the location, restraint or forfeiture of proceeds of crime, a statement indicating the basis for belief that evidence or proceeds of crime may be found in the territory of the Requested State;
  - (b) in the case of requests to take evidence from a person, a statement as to whether sworn or affirmed statements are required, and a description of the subject matter of the evidence or statement sought;