

ARTICLE XIII

Credits, promotional films and advertising for co-productions shall identify the films as Canada-Russia co-productions when the majority co-producer is Canadian and as Russia-Canada co-productions when the majority co-producer is Russian. It is understood that credits shall be given equal treatment by each party.

ARTICLE XIV

Unless otherwise agreed upon by the competent authorities, audio-visual co-productions shall be entered in international festivals by the country of the majority co-producer.

ARTICLE XV

1. The competent authorities of both countries look favourably upon co-productions undertaken by producers of Canada, the Russian Federation and countries with which Canada or the Russian Federation is linked by a co-production agreement.
2. The proportion of the contribution by the co-producer of the third country shall be not less than twenty (20) percent of the budget for each co-production.
3. The minority co-producers shall be obliged to make an effective technical and creative contribution.

ARTICLE XVI

No restrictions shall be placed on the import, distribution and exhibition of Russian audio-visual works in Canada or Canadian audio-visual works in the Russian Federation other than those contained in the legislation and regulations in force in each of the two countries.

ARTICLE XVII

Should difficulties arise with regard to any aspect of this Protocol, such matters shall be referred to the competent authorities of each country for timely resolution.

ARTICLE XVIII

Approval of a co-production proposal by the competent authorities of both countries is in no way binding upon them in respect of the granting of a licence to show the co-production.

ARTICLE XIX

1. During the term of the present Protocol, an overall balance shall be sought with respect to financial participation as well as creative personnel, technicians, performers and resource technicians (studio and laboratory), taking into account the respective characteristics of each country.
2. The Joint Commission established under Article 11 of the Agreement shall examine if the overall balance sought has been achieved.