

AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA
AND
THE UNITED NATIONS
CONCERNING THE PRIVILEGES, IMMUNITIES AND OTHER FACILITIES
OF UNITED NATIONS OFFICIALS SERVICING THE SECRETARIAT
OF THE MULTILATERAL FUND FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION
OF THE 1987 MONTREAL PROTOCOL ON SUBSTANCES
THAT DEplete THE OZONE LAYER

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA and THE UNITED NATIONS,
hereinafter referred to as the "Parties";

WHEREAS in accordance with the decision taken by the first meeting of the States Parties to the Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer (Helsinki, 26-28 April, 1989), United Nations Environment Programme, hereinafter referred to as "UNEP", has been requested to carry out secretariat functions for the Secretariat of the Vienna Convention and 1987 Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer;

WHEREAS in accordance with the decisions taken by the States Parties to the 1987 Montreal Protocol at their second meeting (London, 27-29 June 1990) and their fourth Meeting (Copenhagen, 23-25 November 1992) and by the Executive Committee of the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol at its first meeting in Montreal (19-21 September 1990), the Government of Canada offered to host the Secretariat of the Multilateral Fund and to cover any additional costs of its location and operation in Canada, relative to the cost associated with UNEP Headquarters and to adjust these costs on an annual basis;

WHEREAS the Multilateral Fund has been made operative by the Executive Committee from 1 January 1991;

WHEREAS the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations to which Canada has been a party since 22 January 1948, applies to United Nations officials servicing the Secretariat of the Multilateral Fund;

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has agreed to ensure the availability of all the necessary facilities for United Nations officials to perform their functions in connection with the Multilateral Fund; and

WHEREAS the Government of Canada and the United Nations desire to conclude an Agreement to regulate matters resulting from the establishing in Montreal and operating in Canada of the Secretariat of the Multilateral Fund;

HAVE AGREED as follows: