12. The Contracting States agree that any dispute between them as to whether a measure falls within the scope of this Convention may be brought before the Council for Trade in Services, as provided by paragraph 3 of Article XXII (Consultation) of the General Agreement on Trade in Services, only with the consent of both Contracting States. Any doubt as to the interpretation of this paragraph shall be resolved under paragraph 3 of Article 25 of this Convention or, failing agreement, pursuant to any other procedure agreed to by both Contracting States.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned, duly authorized to that effect, have signed this Protocol.

DONE in duplicate at Alguers, this 36th day of February 1999, in the English, French and Arabic languages, each version being equally authentic.

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