

- (1) The Korean government will designate as inquiry points in Korea the Overseas Investment Information Center of the Export-Import Bank of Korea and the SMEPC. The Korean government will also designate the Foreign Information Center in the Korean Consulate General in Toronto (primarily for information from governmental sources) and the KOTRA branch office and KDB office located in Toronto (for commercial and company-specific information) as inquiry points in Canada.

The designated inquiry points will prepare and publish information materials on Korea's foreign investment regimes and related procedures and will assist Canadian companies in acquiring necessary information. The inquiry points will also function as match-maker for joint ventures.

- (2) The Canadian government will designate the Investment and Technology Bureau of DFAIT in Ottawa and the Commercial/Economic Division of the Canadian Embassy in Seoul as inquiry points.

d. Both governments will invite their respective national trade and investment promotion entities to intensify their coordination efforts, with particular emphasis on small and medium-sized companies interested in investment and joint ventures.

e. Both sides will make their best efforts to assist the activities of business groups involving private sectors of both countries, including the Canada-Korea/Korea-Canada Business Council. It is the expectation of both sides that these entities will contribute to the facilitation of relevant information exchange and thus to enlarging the investment and joint venture opportunities.

3. In order to provide a consultative mechanism between the two governments aimed at accelerating mutual investment and joint ventures, a Subcommittee on Industrial Cooperation will be established under the Special Partnership Working Group during its extended period.

a. The Subcommittee will be mandated to: