

MUTUAL RECOGNITION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL
FOR CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT
OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL ("the Parties");

RECOGNIZING that market access between the territories of the Parties will be enhanced if the Parties mutually recognize test results and certifications undertaken in the context of conformity assessment procedures;

RECOGNIZING that in order to establish this mutual recognition, each Party must have confidence in the reliability of conformity assessment procedures of the other Party;

BEARING IN MIND the obligations of the Parties as Members of the World Trade Organization ("WTO") and being aware of their obligations under the *WTO Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade*, done at Marrakesh on 15 April 1994;

RECOGNIZING that an agreement for mutual recognition of the results of conformity assessment procedures is of particular interest to equipment suppliers;

HAVE AGREED as follows: