

V *General Questions:*

(a) The sending institution shall provide the receiving institution with final information about visiting scientists (biographical data, information about scientific themes and research, etc.) not later than two months before the arrival of each scientist. On notification that the receiving institution will accept the scientist, the sending institution shall ensure that visas are applied for and that the usual details concerning dates of departure and itineraries are provided not later than fourteen days before the proposed date of departure for the other country.

(b) Visa applications shall be made through normal channels. All other correspondence dealing with this exchange shall be carried on between the foreign divisions of the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R. and the National Research Council of Canada.

I would suggest that, if the above proposals are acceptable to the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R., this letter and the Academy's reply constitute a working arrangement between the two institutions which shall be effective from the date of their reply.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,
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