

PART V
TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS

ARTICLE 32

**Consideration of Previous Events and Periods
and Transitional Provisions**

1. Any creditable period completed before the date of entry into force of this Agreement shall be taken into account for the purpose of determining the right to a benefit under this Agreement.
2. Subject to paragraph 4, no provision of this Agreement shall confer any right to receive payment of a benefit for a period before the date of entry into force of this Agreement.
3. Subject to paragraph 2, a benefit, other than a death benefit or a funeral grant, shall be payable under this Agreement in respect of events which happened before the date of entry into force of this Agreement.
4.
 - (a) Any right to a benefit acquired by a person in accordance with the provisions of the *Agreement on Social Security between Canada and the Kingdom of Norway*, done at Oslo 12 November 1985, shall be maintained.
 - (b) Any claim to a benefit made but not finally adjudicated at the date upon which this Agreement comes into force, shall be adjudicated according to the provisions of the *Agreement on Social Security between Canada and the Kingdom of Norway*, done at Oslo 12 November 1985, if this gives a more favourable result.
5. Unless otherwise provided in this Agreement, a benefit which has been withheld because a person is resident in the territory of the other Party shall, on application by the person concerned, be granted or re-established with effect from the date of entry into force of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 33

Termination of the Agreement of 12 November 1985 and Recalculation of Benefits

1. With the entry into force of this Agreement, the *Agreement on Social Security between Canada and the Kingdom of Norway* and its Final Protocol, done at Oslo on 12 November 1985, shall be terminated.