

ARTICLE 8

Funding

1. Cooperation shall be subject to the availability of funds and to the applicable laws and regulations, policies and programmes of the European Community and Canada. Financing will be on the basis of an overall matching of funds between the Parties.
2. Each Party shall provide funds for the direct benefit of:
 - for the European Community, citizens of one of the European Community Member States or persons recognised by a Member State as having official status as permanent residents.
 - for Canada, its own citizens and permanent residents as defined by Canadian law.
3. Costs incurred by or on behalf of the Joint Committee shall be met by the Party to whom the respective member who has incurred the cost is responsible. Costs, other than those of travel and subsistence, that are directly associated with meetings of the Joint Committee, shall be met by the host Party.

ARTICLE 9

Entry of personnel

Each Party shall take all reasonable steps and use its best efforts to facilitate entry to and exit from its territory of personnel, students, material and equipment of the other Party engaged in or used in cooperation under this Agreement in accordance with their respective laws and regulations.

ARTICLE 10

Other agreements

1. This Agreement is without prejudice to cooperation which may be taken pursuant to other agreements between the Parties.
2. This Agreement is without prejudice to existing or future bilateral agreements between individual Member States of the European Community and Canada in the fields covered herein.