- (c) providing information, documents and records;
- (d) providing objects, including lending exhibits;
- (e) search and seizure:
- (f) taking evidence and obtaining statements;
- (g) authorizing the presence of persons from the Requesting State at the execution of requests;
- (h) making detained persons available to give evidence or assist investigations;
- facilitating the appearance of witnesses or the assistance of persons in investigations;
- (j) taking measures to locate, restrain or forfeit the proceeds of crime; and
- (k) any other form of assistance not prohibited by the law of the Requested State.

ARTICLE 2

Execution of Requests

- 1. Requests for assistance shall be executed promptly in accordance with the law of the Requested State and, insofar as not prohibited by that law, in the manner specified by the Requesting State.
- 2. The Requested State shall, upon request, inform the Requesting State of the date and place of execution of the request for assistance.
- 3. The Requested State shall not refuse to execute a request on the ground of bank secrecy.

ARTICLE 3

Contents of Requests

- 1. In all cases, requests for assistance shall indicate:
 - the competent authority conducting the investigation, prosecution or proceedings to which the request relates;
 - (b) the nature of the investigation, prosecution or proceedings, and include a summary of the facts and a copy of the applicable laws;
 - (c) the purpose of the request and the nature of the assistance sought;
 - (d) the degree of confidentiality required and the reasons therefor; and
 - (e) any time limit within which the request should be executed.