

AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC
FOR CO-OPERATION IN THE PEACEFUL
USES OF NUCLEAR ENERGY

**THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF
THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC, (hereinafter referred to as the "State Parties");**

DESIRING to strengthen the friendly relations that exist between the State Parties;

MINDFUL of the advantages of effective co-operation in the peaceful uses of nuclear energy;

RECOGNIZING that the Slovak Republic and Canada are both non-nuclear-weapon States party to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons done at London, Moscow and Washington on July 1, 1968, (hereinafter referred to as the "Treaty") and, as such, have undertaken not to manufacture or otherwise acquire nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices and that each State Party has concluded an agreement with the International Atomic Energy Agency (hereinafter referred to as the "IAEA") for the application of safeguards in connection with the Treaty;

UNDERLINING further that the parties to the Treaty have undertaken to facilitate, and have the right to participate in, the fullest possible exchange of nuclear material, material, equipment and scientific and technological information for the peaceful uses of nuclear energy and that parties to the Treaty in a position to do so may also co-operate in contributing together to the further development of the applications of nuclear energy for peaceful purposes;

INTENDING, therefore to cooperate in the peaceful uses of nuclear energy;

HAVE AGREED as follows:

ARTICLE I

For the purpose of interpreting and carrying out this Agreement:

- (a) The "Agency's Safeguards System" means the safeguards system set out in the IAEA document INFCIRC/66 Rev 2 as well as any subsequent amendments thereto which are accepted by the State Parties;