Sector: Communications

Sub-Sector: Telecommunications Transport Networks and

Services, Radiocommunications and Submarine

Cables

Industry CPC 752 Telecommunications Services

Classification:

Type of National Treatment (Article 3)

Reservation: Senior Management, Boards of Directors and Entry of

Personnel (Article 6)

Description: Canada reserves the right to adopt or maintain any

measure:

(a) permitting foreign investment in facilities-based telecommunications service suppliers up to no more than a cumulative total of 46.7% of voting shares (based on 20% direct investment and 33.3% indirect investment);

- (b) requiring that facilities-based telecommunications service suppliers be controlled in fact by Canadians;
- (c) requiring that at least 80 percent of the members of the board of directors of facilities-based telecommunications service suppliers be Canadian;
- (d) subjecting facilities-based telecommunications service suppliers that exceeded the permissible cumulative foreign investment level on 22 July 1987 and continue to exceed this level to restrictions.