

Article VIIDefinition of Certain Periods of Residence with
Respect to the Legislation of Canada

1. For the purpose of calculating benefits under the Old Age Security Act:
 - (a) if a person is subject to the Canada Pension Plan or to the comprehensive pension plan of a province of Canada during any period of residence in the territory of Dominica, that period shall be considered as a period of residence in Canada for that person as well as for that person's spouse and dependants who reside with him or her and who are not subject to the legislation of Dominica by reason of employment;
 - (b) if a person is subject to the legislation of Dominica during any period of residence in the territory of Canada, that period shall not be considered as a period of residence in Canada for that person and for that person's spouse and dependants who reside with him or her and who are not subject to the Canada Pension Plan or to the comprehensive pension plan of a province of Canada by reason of employment;
 - (c) if a person who is ordinarily resident in the territory of Dominica is present and employed in the territory of Canada and, in respect of that employment, is subject to the Canada Pension Plan or to the comprehensive pension plan of a province of Canada, the period of presence and employment in Canada shall be considered as a period of residence in Canada.
2. Sub-paragraph 1(c) shall apply only in respect of periods after the date of entry into force of this Agreement.