

when required, be granted free of charge and with the utmost speed.

- 13.3 Unless otherwise specified in relevant Arms Control Arrangements, the Netherlands Government may at any time and without having to explain its decision notify the Canadian Government that any proposed member of the Canadian Team is not acceptable.

#### 14 SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

- 14.1 If any dispute arises between the Parties relating to the interpretation or application of this Agreement, the Parties shall in the first place endeavour to settle it by negotiation between themselves.
- 14.2 If the Parties fail to reach a settlement by negotiation, the dispute may at the request of either Party be submitted for decision to a tribunal of three arbitrators, one to be named by each Party and the third to be agreed upon by the two arbitrators thus chosen, provided that the third arbitrator is not a national of either Party. Each of the Parties shall designate an arbitrator within a period of sixty (60) days from the date of receipt by either Party from the other Party of a Diplomatic Note requesting arbitration of the dispute and the third arbitrator shall be agreed upon within a further period of sixty (60) days. If either of the Parties fails to designate its own arbitrator within a period of sixty (60) days or if the third arbitrator is not agreed upon within the period indicated, the President of the International Court of Justice may be requested by either Party to appoint an arbitrator or arbitrators.
- 14.3 The Parties undertake to comply with any decision made under paragraph 2 of this Article

#### 15. SECURITY OF INFORMATION

In the event of termination of this Agreement, the Parties shall, where possible, return all classified information transferred through the cooperation between the Parties under this Agreement. If the Return of classified information is not possible, the Parties shall continue to safeguard the information.

#### 16. FINAL PROVISIONS

- 16.1 As regards the Kingdom of the Netherlands, this Agreement shall apply to the Kingdom in Europe only.
- 16.2 This Agreement may be amended or supplemented at any time through exchange of notes.

I have the honour to propose that, if the foregoing is acceptable to your Government, this Note and your reply to that effect shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force on the date on which both Governments have informed each other that the formalities constitutionally required therefore have been complied with. This Agreement shall continue in force until terminated by either Government on three months' notice in writing to the other. Pending entry into force, the Agreement shall be