

**AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ESTONIA
CONCERNING YOUTH EXCHANGES**

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA and THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ESTONIA, hereinafter referred to as “the Parties”,

DESIRING to promote close co-operation between their countries;

WISHING to encourage mobility and exchanges of youth; cooperation and partnership between the two countries; and the enhancement of excellence and competitiveness of educational institutions and businesses, especially small and medium businesses, in the two countries;

WISHING to develop opportunities for their young citizens to complement their post-secondary education, to acquire work experience, and to improve their knowledge of the other country’s languages, culture and society, and thus to promote mutual understanding between the two countries;

CONVINCED of the value of facilitating such youth exchanges;

HAVE AGREED on the following provisions:

ARTICLE 1

The Parties agree to simplify and facilitate the administrative procedures applicable to young citizens of one country who intend to enter and stay in the territory of the other country to complement their post-secondary education, to obtain employment or practical workplace experience, or to improve their knowledge of the other country’s languages, culture and society.