GENERAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND. THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH CONCERNING DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION

The Government of Canada and the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh (hereinafter referred to as "the Government of Bangladesh"), wishing to strengthen the cordial relations existing between the two countries and moved by the desire to develop mutual cooperation in conformity with the objectives and priorities of economic and social development of Bangladesh, have agreed to the following:

ARTICLE 1

The Government of Canada and the Government of Bangladesh will promote a programme of development cooperation between their two countries, which programme will consist of:

- (a) the sending of expert missions to Bangladesh in order to identify, analyse, appraise and evaluate development projects;
- (b) the sending of Canadian experts, instructors and technicians to provide services in Bangladesh through individuals, institutions of firms contracted by the government of Canada;
- (c) the provision of equipment, materials and training needed for the successful execution of development cooperation projects in Bangladesh; and
- (d) any other form of assistance which may be mutually agreed upon.

ARTICLE II

- 1. In pursuance of the objectives of this Agreement, the Government of Canada and the Government of Bangladesh may conclude subsidiary arrangements in respect of specific projects involving one or several components of the programme described in Article I.
- 2. These subsidiary arrangements shall make specific reference to this Agreement.
- 3. Unless stated otherwise, subsidiary arrangements concerning grants or contributions from the Government of Canada shall be considered as administrative arrangements.

ARTICLE III

Unless otherwise indicated, the Government of Canada shall assume the responsibilities described in Annex "A" and the Government of Bangladesh shall assume