ARTICLE 8

Definition of Certain Periods of Residence With Respect to the Legislation of Canada

- 1. For the purpose of calculating the amount of 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 presence or residence in Uruguay, that period shall be considered as a period of residence in Canada for that person as well as for that person's spouse and dependents who live with him or her and who are not subject to the legislation of Uruguay by reason of employment;
 - (b) if a person is subject to the legislation of Uruguay during any period of presence or residence in Canada, that period shall not be considered as a period of residence in Canada for that person and for that person's spouse and dependents who live 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 or self-employment.

2. In the application of paragraph 1:

- (a) a person shall be considered to be subject to the Canada Pension Plan or to the comprehensive pension plan of a province of Canada during a period of presence or residence in Uruguay only if that person makes contributions pursuant to the plan concerned during that period by reason of employment or self-employment; and
- (b) a person shall be considered to be subject to the legislation of Uruguay during a period of presence or residence in Canada only if that person makes compulsory contributions pursuant to that legislation during that period by reason of employment.