

and conditions as it may specify.

2. The Requested Party shall, to the extent requested, keep confidential a request, its contents, supporting documents and any action taken pursuant to the request except to the extent necessary to execute it.

3. The Requesting Party shall not disclose or use information or evidence furnished for purposes other than those stated in the request without the prior consent of the Requested Party.

CHAPTER III - FINAL PROVISIONS

ARTICLE 22

SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

Any difficulties arising from the implementation of this Treaty shall be settled through the diplomatic channel.

ARTICLE 23

OTHER ASSISTANCE

1. This Treaty shall not derogate from obligations subsisting between the Parties whether pursuant to other treaties, arrangements or otherwise, or prevent the Parties providing or continuing to provide assistance to each other pursuant to other treaties, arrangements or otherwise.

2. This Treaty shall apply to any requests presented after its entry into force even if the relevant acts or omissions occurred before that date.

ARTICLE 24

ENTRY INTO FORCE

This Treaty shall enter into force on the first day of the second month after the date on which the Parties have notified each other through the diplomatic channel that their legal procedures have been complied with.