

technicians who are in ongoing training programs. In this regard, the German delegation would appreciate that arrangements be made to accommodate this program and a Canadian partner be identified and its name communicated to its Embassy in Ottawa.

e) Study at work program

The study at work program of the Canadian Government implemented with the assistance of the Deutsch-Kanadische Gesellschaft (DKG) is of real importance in the linguistic learning process and in the understanding of the Canadian culture by the German participants. The Central Labour Office of the Federal Republic of Germany participates in the organization of this exchange program.

The German delegation expressed its pleasure regarding open work permits now available to young Germans who have a job offer or who are likely to find work in Canada.

4. Arts

Both parties have emphasized the vast possibilities that exist for artistic exchange between free countries.

In this area, the State/Government assistance role is primarily supportive, it may also encourage corporate sponsorship.

The two parties informed each other of a series of projects being planned, in which the Goethe Institute plays an important part.

Both parties noted with satisfaction that a residence permit agreement for the Goethe Institute's personnel in Canada had been concluded.

5. Media and Culture

Each side will continue to provide interested institutions with books.

Films, videos and television are of increasing importance for the presentation and the diffusion of culture. Each side was congratulated for the participation of its interested organizations in the International Film Festivals of the other side. The Agreement on the economic relations of film, signed on September 25, 1978 facilitates the co-production of feature films as well as of documentaries and animated films.

The cooperation between the "Institute fur Film und Bild in Wissenschaft und Unterricht" (FWK) and the National Film Board of Canada could be increased.