

**PROTOCOL AMENDING THE AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATION CONCERNING CIVIL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AS AMENDED<sup>(1)</sup>**

The Government of Canada and the Government of the United States of America,

DESIRING to amend the Agreement for Cooperation Concerning the Civil Uses of Atomic Energy between the Government of Canada and the Government of the United States of America signed at Washington on June 15, 1955, as amended by the Agreements signed at Washington on June 26, 1956, June 11, 1960, and May 25, 1962 (herein referred to as the "Agreement"), and supplemented by the Exchanges of Notes of January 28 and 30, 1969, March 18 and 25, 1976, and November 15, 1977;

RECOGNIZING that Canada, a non-nuclear-weapon state, entered into an Agreement with the International Atomic Energy Agency on February 21, 1972, for the Application of Safeguards in connection with the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons;

RECOGNIZING that the United States, a nuclear-weapon state, as that term is defined in the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, intends in the near future to enter into a safeguards agreement with the International Atomic Energy Agency for the application of safeguards in the United States;

Have agreed as follows:

**ARTICLE 1**

The preamble of the Agreement is amended by:

- (a) replacing the word "several" in the first sentence with "many";
- (b) replacing the phrase "their respective atomic energy programs" in the seventh sentence with "their peaceful atomic energy programs"; and
- (c) deleting the penultimate sentence.

**ARTICLE 2**

Article I of the Agreement is amended by changing the termination date to read "January 1, 2000".

**ARTICLE 3**

The Agreement is amended by inserting the following new Article after Article I:

*"ARTICLE I BIS—Coverage of Safeguards"*

"Cooperation under this Agreement shall require the application of safeguards:

<sup>(1)</sup> Treaty Series 1955 No. 15