

Nevertheless, in view of the fact that results have been registered in some areas, it was agreed that cooperation already undertaken will be pursued along current lines, as in the area of welding, for example.

A report on progress in cooperation in areas decided on at the Commission's previous meeting is included in Appendix II.

The two delegations also agreed to make greater use of the approach consisting in identifying broader areas of research and technology, with particular emphasis on topics relating to each country's national aims, in accordance with the approach approved by the Joint Commission in its general considerations. In this context, it was agreed to explore further the possibilities for cooperation between university-allied research organizations and/or centres for technology.

The Belgian representatives suggested some projects of research organizations (see Appendix I). These projects were examined and possible participants indicated by the Canadian Delegation (see Appendix II). Canada undertook to see that these projects were submitted for consideration by industrial, provincial and university research organizations likely to be interested.

Belgium will be informed which topics are found suitable for possible cooperative proposals. The Belgian Delegation, for its part, took note of the Canadian proposal regarding catalase (see Appendix III) and will make its response known following consultation with the Belgian authorities and organizations concerned.