

AGREEMENTBETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF UKRAINE
ON TRADE AND COMMERCE

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF UKRAINE
(hereinafter referred to collectively as "Parties" and
individually as "Party"),

CONVINCED that the development of bilateral trade in goods
and services will contribute to mutual understanding and
cooperation between the people of Canada and of Ukraine;

CONSCIOUS that trade and commercial relations are
essential elements of the bilateral relationship between Canada
and Ukraine;

RECOGNIZING that the economic restructuring and progress
towards a market-based economy in Ukraine is creating
additional possibilities for expanded bilateral trade;

NOTING Canada's status as a contracting party of the
General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT);

LOOKING FORWARD to the accession of Ukraine to the GATT on
terms to be agreed between Ukraine and the GATT CONTRACTING
PARTIES;

RECALLING the Long Term Agreement to Facilitate Economic,
Industrial, Scientific and Technical Co-operation done on July
14, 1976,⁽¹⁾ the Agreement for the Avoidance of Double Taxation on
Income done on June 13, 1985⁽²⁾ and the Agreement for the
Promotion and Reciprocal Protection of Investments done on
November 20, 1989;⁽³⁾

REAFFIRMING their desire to further expand commercial
relations in accordance with the principles and conditions of
the Final Act signed in Helsinki on August 1, 1975, and other
documents of the Conference on Security and Co-operation in
Europe, notably the Document of the Bonn Conference on Economic
Co-operation convened in accordance with the relevant
provisions of the Concluding Document of the Vienna Meeting of
the Conference on Security and Co-operation in Europe,

(1) Canada Treaty Series 1976 N° 9

(2) Canada Treaty Series 1986 N° 29

(3) Canada Treaty Series 1991 N° 31