

**AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE  
GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA RELATING TO AIR SERVICES**

The Government of Canada and the Government of Australia, hereinafter referred to as the Contracting Parties,

BEING parties to the Convention on International Civil Aviation opened for signature at Chicago, on the 7th day of December, 1944,

DESIRING to conclude an agreement on air services, supplementary to the said Convention,

HAVE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE I

*Definitions*

For the purpose of this Agreement, unless otherwise stated:

- (a) "Aeronautical Authorities" means, in the case of Canada, the Minister of Transport and the National Transportation Agency of Canada and, in the case of Australia, the Minister for Transport and Communications and the Secretary to the Department of Transport and Communications or, in both cases, any other authority or person empowered to perform the functions currently exercised by the said authorities;
- (b) "Agreed services" means scheduled air services on the routes specified in the Annex to this Agreement for the transport of passengers and cargo;
- (c) "Agreement" means this Agreement, the Annex attached thereto, and any amendments to the Agreement or to the Annex;
- (d) "Cargo" includes mail;
- (e) "Convention" means the Convention on International Civil Aviation opened for signature at Chicago on the seventh day of December 1944 and includes any Annex adopted under Article 90 of that Convention and any amendment of the Annexes or of the Convention under Articles 90 and 94 thereof so far as those Annexes and amendments have been adopted by both Contracting Parties;