ARTICLE 27  
ENTRY INTO FORCE  

1. Each of the Contracting Parties shall notify the other in writing through appropriate channels of the completion of the procedures required by its law for the bringing into force of this Agreement.

2. The Agreement shall enter into force on the date of receipt of the later of these notifications and shall thereupon have effect:

   a) with regard to taxes withheld at source, in respect of amounts paid or credited on or after the first day of January next following the date upon which the Agreement enters into force; and

   b) with regard to other taxes, in respect of taxable years beginning on or after the first day of January next following the date upon which the Agreement enters into force.