

DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE

No. ACA-081

The Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade presents its compliments to the Embassy of Japan and has the honour to propose to the Embassy of Japan that Article 5 of the Rules of Procedure annex of the Common Statement of Policy on Film, Television and Video Co-Production, which was signed July 20th, 1994, by the governments of Canada and Japan, be amended to include the following paragraph:

"At the request of both co-producers and subject to the approval of the competent authorities, only one copy of the final protection and reproduction material need be made for those productions which are qualified as low budget productions by the competent authorities. In such cases, the material will be kept in the territory of the majority coproducer. The minority co-producer will have access to the material at all times to make the necessary reproductions, in accordance with the terms and conditions concluded by the co-producers."

This note verbale and the Note in reply thereto from the Embassy of Japan shall constitute an amendment agreed upon by the Government of Canada and the Government of Japan, to enter into force on the date of the Note in reply.

The Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of Japan the assurances of its highest consideration.

Ottawa, August 23, 1995

EMBASSY OF JAPAN IN CANADA

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The Embassy of Japan presents its compliments to the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade and, under instructions from its home Government, has the honour to inform the Department that the Government of Japan has no objection to the amendment as outlined in the Department's Note No. ACA-081 dated August 23, 1995.

This Note along with Note No. ACA-081, shall constitute an amendment agreed upon by both the Government of Japan and the Government of Canada, to enter into force on the date noted below.

The Embassy of Japan avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade the assurances of its highest consideration.

OTTAWA
September 6, 1995