2. If the ordinary partial pension amounts to more than ten percent but not more than twenty percent of the corresponding ordinary full pension, a person specified in (a)(i) of Article 3 or his survivor who does not reside in the territory of Switzerland or who is permanently leaving Switzerland may select the pension paid or a lump-sum. This selection shall be made during the course of the procedure to determine the pension if the entitled person is staying outside Switzerland when the insured event occurs, or shall be made when leaving Switzerland, if the entitled person already received a pension in the territory of Switzerland.

3. In the case of a married couple, where both spouses have been insured under the Swiss insurance, the lump-sum instead of a pension under the Swiss old-age insurance shall be paid only when both persons are entitled to a Swiss pension.

4. When the lump-sum has been paid out by the Swiss insurance, no further claims can be asserted against that insurance in respect of previous contributions paid.

5. Paragraphs 1, 2 and 4 of this Article shall apply mutatis mutandis to ordinary pensions under the Swiss invalidity insurance, provided that the entitled person has achieved the age 55 years and no further verification of the fulfillment of the requirements concerning the invalidity of that person is foreseen.

Article 19
Extraordinary pensions

1. A person specified in (a)(i) of Article 3 or his survivor shall be under the same conditions as Swiss nationals entitled to receive a Swiss extraordinary survivors' pension, invalidity pension or old age pension which replaces an extraordinary survivors' or invalidity pension if, immediately before the date from which they claim the extraordinary pension, they have resided in the territory of Switzerland for a continuous period of not less than five years.

2. In the application of paragraph 1 of this Article:

(a) no account shall be taken of any period during which the persons concerned were exempted from the Swiss old-age, survivors' insurance and the invalidity insurance; and

(b) a period of residence in the territory of Switzerland shall not be regarded as interrupted if the absence from Switzerland is not more than three months in any calendar year. The period of three months may be extended in exceptional cases.

PART IV
MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Article 20
Administrative collaboration

1. The competent authorities of the Contracting States shall:

(a) agree on the administrative measures necessary for the implementation of this Agreement;

(b) designate liaison agencies for the implementation of this Agreement; and

(c) communicate to each other, as soon as possible, all information about changes to their respective legislation insofar as those changes affect the scope and the implementation of this Agreement.

2. The competent authorities and competent institutions of the Contracting States, within the scope of their respective authorities, shall provide any assistance necessary for the implementation of this Agreement. This assistance shall be provided free of charge.

Article 21
Exemption or Reduction
of Fees or Charges and Legalization

1. Insofar as the legislation and other relevant laws and regulations of a Contracting State contain provisions on an exemption or reduction of fees or charges, including administrative and consular fees for documents to be submitted under the legislation of that Contracting State, those provisions shall also apply to documents to be submitted in the application of this Agreement and the legislation of the other Contracting State.

2. Documents which are presented for the purpose of this Agreement and the legislation of a Contracting State shall not require legalization or any other similar formality by diplomatic or consular authorities.