Article 130
Settlement of Telecommunications Disputes

1. Each Party shall ensure that suppliers of public telecommunications transport networks or services of the other Party may have timely recourse to its telecommunications regulatory body or dispute settlement body to settle disputes in accordance with its laws and regulations.

2. Each Party shall ensure, in accordance with its laws and regulations, that any supplier of public telecommunications transport networks or services aggrieved by a determination or decision of its relevant telecommunications regulatory body may petition that body for reconsideration of that determination or decision. Neither Party shall permit such a petition to constitute grounds for non-compliance with such determination or decision of the said body unless an appropriate authority suspends or withdraws such determination or decision.

Note: Suppliers of public telecommunications transport networks or services may not petition for reconsideration of administrative rulings, unless it is provided for in a Party's laws and regulations.

3. Each Party shall ensure that any supplier of public telecommunications transport networks or services aggrieved by a final determination or decision of its relevant telecommunications regulatory body may obtain judicial review of such determination or decision by an independent judicial authority. Neither Party shall permit such review to constitute grounds for non-compliance with such determination or decision of the said body unless the relevant judicial authority withholds, suspends or repeals such determination or decision.

Article 131
Relation to International Organizations

The Parties recognize the importance of international standards for global compatibility and inter-operability of telecommunications networks and services, and undertake to promote such standards through the work of relevant international bodies, including the International Telecommunication Union and the International Organization for Standardization.

Article 132
Relationship to Other Chapters

In the event of any inconsistency between this Chapter and Chapter 1 except for Articles 10 and 11, Chapter 7 except for Article 8 of Annex 7, Chapter 12 or the BIT, including any of their Annexes, this Chapter shall prevail to the extent of the inconsistency. In the event of any inconsistency between this Chapter and Articles 10 or 11, or Article 8 of Annex 7, such Articles shall prevail to the extent of the inconsistency.