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Appendix 2

Summary in English

Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Official Letter of 8 April 1982 to the National Tax Board in response to the Board's inquiry for a statement on the question of immunity for the Soviet airline company Aeroflot.

In the response to the Board it is initially stated that Aeroflot is to be regarded as a government-owned company. Thereafter and regarding the question of State immunity it is found that Aeroflot should probably not be considered to enjoy such immunity, since its acts are commercial (*jure gestionis*) and not public (*jure imperii*). However, it is also noted that Swedish case-law on State immunity is very scarce, why statements have to be made with a certain reservation.