

be deemed to be wages on the basis of which unemployment insurance is payable under such law of another state or of the Federal government. No such arrangement shall be entered into unless it contains provision for reimbursement to the fund for such of the benefits paid under this article on the basis of such wages and provision for reimbursement from the fund for such benefits paid under such other law on the basis of wages for insured work, as the Executive Director finds will be fair and reasonable to all affected interests; and]

[(4)] (3) Contributions due under this article with respect to wages for insured work shall for the purposes of Section 15 of this article be deemed to have been paid to the fund as of the date payment was made as contributions therefor under another state or Federal unemployment insurance law, but no such arrangement shall be entered into unless it contains provisions for *the* [such] reimbursement to the fund of [such] *those* contributions and the actual earnings thereon as the Executive Director finds will be fair and reasonable as to all affected interests.

(b) Reimbursements.—Reimbursements paid from the fund pursuant to paragraph (3) of subsection (a) of this section shall be deemed to be benefits for the purpose of all sections of this article. The Executive Director is authorized to make to other state or federal agencies and to receive from [such] *those* other state or federal agencies[,] reimbursements from or to the fund, in accordance with arrangements entered into pursuant to subsection (a) of this section.

(c) Cooperation between agencies.—The administration of this article and of other state and Federal unemployment insurance and public employment service laws will be promoted by cooperation between this State and [such] *the* other states and the appropriate federal agencies in exchanging services, and making available facilities and information. The Executive Director is therefore authorized to make [such] *whatever* investigations, secure and transmit [such] *whatever* information, make available [such] *those* services and facilities and exercise [such of the] *whatever* other powers provided herein with respect to the administration of this article as he deems necessary or appropriate to facilitate the administration of any [such] unemployment insurance or public employment service law, and in like manner[,] to accept and utilize information, services and facilities made available to this State by the agency charged with the administration of any [such] other unemployment insurance or public employment service law.

(d) Foreign governments.—To the extent permissible under the laws and Constitution of the United States, the Executive Director is authorized to enter into or cooperate in arrangements whereby facilities and services provided under this article and facilities and services provided under the unemployment insurance law of any foreign government [,] may be utilized for the taking of claims and the payment of benefits under the Unemployment Insurance Law of this State or under a similar law of [such] *that* government.

(e) *Combining wage credits.*—*The Executive Director shall participate in any arrangements for the payment of compensation on the basis of combining an individual's wages and employment covered under this Act with his wages and employment covered under the unemployment compensation laws of other states which are approved by the United States Secretary of Labor in consultation with the*