

## Canadian Embassy

Ambassade du Canada

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Note No.0098

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the negotiations that have been underway since 1971 concerning the conclusion of a long term agreement for the conservation of salmon stocks originating in the Yukon River in Canada and to propose an Agreement between our two Governments comprising the following elements:

- Pursuant to Article XIII of the Pacific Salmon Treaty, done at Ottawa on 28 January 1985 (hereinaster "the Treaty"), Annex I of the Treaty shall be amended as set out in Attachment A and Annex IV shall be amended by the addition of a new Chapter 8, as set out in Attachment B.
- 2. The following Articles of the Treaty shall not apply in relation to Annex IV,
  Chapter 8: