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*The Secretary of State for External Affairs of Canada to the Ambassador of the United States of America*

Ottawa, July 30, 1976

No. ECS-913

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to your Note No. 120 of June 8, 1976, concerning the continued use of the Churchill Research Range by the United States for the purposes of sounding rocket launchings and other peaceful scientific activities.

I am pleased to inform you that the Government of Canada accepts the proposals set forth in your Note and agrees that your Note, together with this reply, which is authentic in English and French, shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force today with effect from July 1, 1976 and remain in effect until June 30, 1979, unless terminated by either Government on three months' written notice to the other or unless extended for additional periods by mutual agreement of our two Governments.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

ALLAN J. MACEACHEN

Secretary of State  
for External Affairs

His Excellency Thomas O. Enders,  
Ambassador of the United States of America,  
Ottawa.