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Excellency.

I have the honour to refer to Ambassador Ender's Note No. 55 of March 19. 1979 and to the current discussions between representatives of our two Governments concerning support of activities of the United States of America at the Churchill Range as well as at other facilities of the National Research Council of Canada.

I wish to advise that the Government of Canada accepts the proposals set forth in the Ambassador's Note, together with the suggested amendments, and agrees that the Ambassador's Note, together with this reply and the Annex thereto incorporating the suggested amendments, which are authentic in English and French, shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force today with effect from July 1, 1979, and remain in force until June 30, 1982 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 assurances of my highest consideration.

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