

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to your note of proposing that the agreement on North American Air Defence Command effected by the exchanges of notes of May 12, 1958, and continued by exchange of notes of March 30, 1968, be extended without alteration in its present terms and conditions for a period of two years from May 12, 1973.

I am pleased to inform you that my Government concurs in the proposal set forth in your note. My Government further agrees with the proposal that your note and this reply shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments effective to-day.

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