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Excellency:

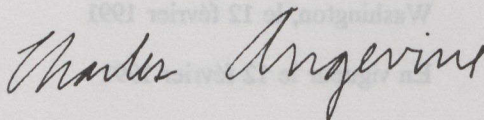
I have the honor to refer to the Exchange of Notes between the Government of Canada and the Government of the United States of America which constitutes an agreement concerning the operation of pilotage services on the Great Lakes (with a Memorandum of Arrangements).

I further have the honor of proposing that a consultation provision be inserted in the Memorandum of Arrangements after paragraph 7, as paragraph 7,bis. The text of this proposed provision is appended.

If this provision is agreeable, I propose that this note, together with the consultation provision and your reply, shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments on this matter that shall enter into force from the date of your reply.

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

Charles Angevine
For the Secretary of State



His Excellency

Derek H. Burney,

Ambassador of Canada.