

Canada shall not be liable for injuries to Newfoundland veterans while undergoing training. In the case of the death of a trainee the D.V.A. will forward the remains to the trainee's home, unless otherwise instructed, and expenses incurred will be paid by the D.V.A., recoverable from the Newfoundland Government.

7. It is understood that all trainees will return to Newfoundland on completion of training, as set forth in Order-in-Council 7032 of November, 1945. Any expenses incurred in enforcing the trainee's return shall be recoverable from the Newfoundland Government.

8. It is understood that Newfoundland trainees accepted under the agreement will conform, where applicable, to all rules and regulations laid down by the Department of Labour and D.V.A. for the administration of vocational training.

9. The Newfoundland Government understands that accommodation in most Canadian training centres is taxed to the limit and that there are many on the waiting list for admission. D.V.A. however, in making arrangements for Newfoundland candidates will give every possible consideration to their training needs consistent with these limiting conditions.

It is understood that, if your Government concurs in the arrangements outlined above, this letter and your reply will be regarded as constituting agreement between the two Governments on the subject.

Yours sincerely,

J. S. MACDONALD,
High Commissioner for Canada.

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*The Commissioner for Home Affairs and Education of Newfoundland to the
High Commissioner for Canada in Newfoundland*

DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS

St. John's, Newfoundland, 27th February, 1946.

Dear Sir,

Your letter No. 2, of the 14th February, containing the terms of an arrangement under which a limited number of ex-Service personnel from Newfoundland would be accepted for vocational training in Canadian Schools, has been considered by the Commission of Government, and I am directed to inform you that the Newfoundland Government agrees to the arrangement which your Government has proposed.

With respect to paragraph 5 we should be glad if the Department of Veterans Affairs would notify our Department of Civil Re-establishment fairly promptly of any advances on account of indigence recoverable from the Newfoundland Government. It is assumed that the Department of Veterans Affairs will make these advances only in such circumstances as that Department would make advances to Canadian personnel.

It is agreed that your letter and this reply will be regarded as constituting an arrangement between the two Governments on the subject, and on behalf of the Commission of Government I should be glad if you would convey to your Government our appreciation of the interest which they have taken and the courtesy which they have shown in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

A. J. WALSH,
Commissioner for Home Affairs and Education.

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