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

Ottawa, October 16, 1978.

No. GNT-355

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to your Note No. 275 of September 29, 1978, concerning the emplacement of two data link transmitters and connecting cable in the bed of the St. Marys River in Ontario, as part of a cooperative experimental electronic-magnetic aid to navigation subsystem intended to enhance existing monitoring of vessel traffic flow in the River.

I am pleased to inform you that the Government of Canada accepts the proposals set forth in your Note and the Annex thereto. The Government of Canada further agrees that your Note and the Annex thereto, together with this reply, which is authentic in English and French, shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments which will enter into force on the date of this Note (with effect from September 1, 1977) and remain in force until May 31, 1980.

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

DON JAMIESON, Secretary of State for External Affairs.

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