

7. *INTER-AMERICAN RADIOCOMMUNICATIONS CONVENTION
AND INTER-AMERICAN ARRANGEMENT CONCERNING
RADIOCOMMUNICATIONS*

The Cuban Secretary of State, in a note dated the 23rd of February, 1940, notified the Canadian Government that on the 29th of November, 1939, the Brazilian Government had deposited instruments of ratification of the Inter-American Radiocommunications Convention and the Inter-American Arrangement concerning Radiocommunications, signed at Havana on the 13th of December, 1937, in accordance with the provisions of Article 23 of the said Convention, with the reservations listed in the Appendix to the Convention.

8. *NORTH AMERICAN REGIONAL BROADCASTING AGREEMENT*

The Cuban Secretary of State, in a note dated the 29th of March, 1940, notified the Canadian Government that the instrument of ratification by Mexico of the North American Regional Broadcasting Agreement, signed at Havana on the 13th of December, 1937, had been deposited with the Cuban Government on the 29th of March, 1940.

The Agreement under its terms was not to become valid until ratified by Canada, Cuba, Mexico and the United States. The ratification by Mexico was the last required to make the Agreement valid. In addition to the above-named countries the Agreement has also been ratified by Haiti.

Except for the provisions of certain sections of various Parts of the Agreement (*see* Part VI), it comes into operation one year after the final ratification.

The excepted provisions referred to above, which have gone into effect immediately upon the Agreement becoming valid, require an exchange of certain notifications and the forwarding of certain information at specific periods of time within the year.

9. *AMENDMENT OF TREATY FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF
PEACE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT
BRITAIN, SIGNED AT WASHINGTON, 15th SEPTEMBER,
1914*

Negotiations are taking place between the Canadian Government and the Government of the United States with a view to adopting an amendatory treaty to the Treaty for the Advancement of Peace between the United States and Great Britain, which was signed at Washington on the 15th September, 1914. It is expected that the amendatory treaty will be along the lines of the amendatory treaty recently entered into between the Union of South Africa and the United States.