

Excellency:

I have the honor to refer to the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Canada Governing the Operation of Pilotage Services on the Great Lakes, with Memorandum of Arrangements, effected by exchange of notes at Ottawa August 23, 1978, and March 29, 1979, as amended.<sup>(1)</sup>

I have the honor to propose on behalf of the Government of the United States of America that section 3 (c) of the Memorandum of Arrangements be amended to read as follows:

"c. District 3

(1) Dispatching -- by Western Great Lakes Pilots Association

(2) Pilot Boats -- by Western Great Lakes Pilots Association" and that Section 5, b, (3) of the Memorandum of Arrangements be amended to read as follows:

"(3) District 3

Western Great Lakes Pilots Association will provide all services related to furnishing pilotage in

His Excellency

Derek H. Burney,

Ambassador of Canada.

(1) Canada Treaty Series 1979 No. 10