The Ambassador of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the Secretary of State for External Affairs of Canada

(Translation)

Ottawa, December 22, 1975

## EXCELLENCY.

I have the honour of acknowledging the receipt of your Note of the following content:

(See Canadian Note dated December 22, 1975)

I have the honour to inform you that the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics has agreed to consider your Note of December 22, 1975 and the present reply as an agreement between the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the Government of Canada on the matter in question. This agreement shall enter into force on the date of this Note.

Accept, Excellency, the assurance of my highest consideration.

A. YAKOVLEV Ambassador

The Honourable Allan J. MacEachen, Secretary of State for External Affairs Ottawa