

12. *Taxes*

Each Government shall, to the extent permitted by its federal legislation, grant relief from all taxes or customs duties on materials and equipment used in the construction, operation or maintenance of the two mini Loran-C Transmitters in Canada. In particular, Canada shall grant remission of customs duties and excise taxes on goods imported and federal sales and excise taxes on goods purchased in Canada, specifically for the purpose of these facilities, which are to be used in the construction, maintenance or operation of these facilities. Canada shall also grant refunds by means of drawback of the customs duty paid on goods imported by Canadian manufacturers specifically for the purpose of these facilities and used in the manufacture or production of goods purchased by or on behalf of the United States and to become the property of the United States in connection with the establishment, maintenance and operation of the facility.

13. *Electro Magnetic Compatibility*

The mini Loran-C stations shall be operated in accordance with the Table of Frequency Allocations, Article 5 of the Radio Regulations (Geneva, 1959) and Footnote No. 166 thereto. Should interference problems arise the U.S.C.G. and the C.C.G. will cooperate in resolving such problems through the application of all reasonable and practicable technical measures.

If the mini Loran-C emissions cause harmful interference to other radio services outside the band 90-110 kHz, the U.S.C.G. shall shut down the interfering station(s) upon request of the C.C.G. until the interference is mitigated. During shutdown, brief transmissions will be permitted for testing purposes. At its expense the U.S.C.G. shall take reasonable technical measures necessary to resolve such problems including the installation of station modifications for the elimination of interference.

The United States Government agrees to cooperate with Canada in finding suitable replacement frequencies for any existing or planned Canadian frequency assignments displaced by Loran-C transmissions of these stations.

14. *Immigration and Customs Regulations*

Each Government will take the necessary steps, in accordance with its immigration and customs legislation and regulations, and subject to such controls as are mutually agreed by the Cooperating Agencies, to facilitate the admission into its territory of such personnel, with their personal possessions, as may be assigned by the other Government to participate in the cooperative program.

15. *Security*

The Government of Canada shall take reasonable measures to protect the two Loran-C transmitting installations at St. Marys River, Ontario, from vandalism and the entry into the installation sites of unauthorized personnel.

16. *Agreement between Cooperating Agencies*

Subsidiary arrangements for the purpose of implementing this Agreement may be entered into by the Cooperating Agencies. Such subsidiary arrangements may be modified by the Cooperating Agencies as necessary from time to time, within the authorization and purposes of the present Agreement.

17. *Protection of Wildlife and Objects of Historical Interest*

No game, fish or wildlife shall be taken or molested by members of the construction force or personnel on the station staff, except as permitted by Canadian law.