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The proposal for an airport at Windsor, Ontario, to serve the metropolitan area of Detroit and Windsor, was discussed today in Ottawa at an informal meeting of Canadian and United States officials. This meeting was suggested by the United States Government and was purely exploratory in nature.

It was agreed that the proposal warranted further consideration but that additional detailed studies were necessary before decisions could be reached. Joint studies will be made immediately of the problems involved, including the organization, finance, location and administration of the proposed airport,

It is expected that further informal meetings will take place to consider the results of these studies.

Representatives from the United States included:

Mr. Martin L. Leacock

- Assistant Attorney General, State of Michigan.

Hr. Walter E. Vashak - Assistant Corporation Counsel, City of Detroit.

Mr. E.V. Fryhoff

- Director, Detroit Metropolitan Aviation Authority.

Mr. C.V. Burnett

- Manager, City of Detroit Airport.