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*The Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany to the Secretary of
State for External Affairs of Canada*

Ottawa, January 23, 1974

Translation

EXCELLENCY,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Note of January 23, 1974 together with Annexes A and B in English and French, in which you propose on behalf of your Government to negotiate an agreement between the Governments of Canada and of the Federal Republic of Germany. The German version of your Note reads:

(See Canadian Note of January 23, 1974 with Annexes A and B)

I have the honour to inform you that my Government has agreed to the proposals contained in your Note. Your Note, together with Annexes A and B, and this Note in reply thus constitute an agreement between our two Governments having effect from January 1, 1974.

Accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

RUPPRECHT VON KELLER

His Excellency,
Mitchell Sharp,
Secretary of State for External Affairs,
Ottawa.