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## **TELEGRAM**

From THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR DOMINION AFFAIRS

To THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, CANADA

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CIRCULAR D. 344

LONDON, July 14, 1940.

Circular D. 344. Most Secret. Following for your Prime Minister, Begins:

## Anglo-French Relations.

1. My telegram Circular D. 337, paragraph 3. Previded they agree to reciprocity we are accepting the French Government's proposal that representative should remain here, pessibly to be described as agent of French Government in London. We are prepared to send representative in similar capacity to France but matter is open to review if French Government move into enemy occupied territory.

## United States of America.

2. His Majesty's Ambassador at Washington has been informed confidentially by the State Department, that the United States economic proposals at Havana will not include a large-scale inter-American cartel for handling surpluses, but proposals for extension of loans by the United States Government Export and Import Bank may be made to assist Latin American countries to indebted buyers and hold surpluses where loss of export markets is felt severely. Ends.

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Rec'd Ottawa 9.00 a.m.

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