THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE AMBASSADOR OF CANADA

Washington, May 10, 1973

EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to your note of May 10, 1973 proposing that the Agreement on the North American Air Defense Command effected by the exchange of notes of May 12, 1958,⁽¹⁾ and continued by the exchange of notes of March 30, 1968⁽²⁾, be extended without alteration in its present terms and conditions for a period of two years, from May 12, 1973.

I am pleased to inform you that my Government concurs in the proposal set forth in your note. My Government further agrees with your proposal that your note and this reply shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments effective today.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

RUFUS Z. SMITH For the Secretary of State

His Excellency Marcel Cadieux, Ambassador of Canada.

⁽¹⁾ Treaty Series 1958 No. 9

⁽²⁾ Treaty Series 1968 No. 5.