Insofar as they are not inconsistent with this proposal, the provisions of the agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty regarding the status of their forces, signed on June 19, 1951, shall govern the relations between the Governments of Canada and the Federal Republic of Germany as receiving and sending states with respect to members of the German air force present in Canada pursuant to this proposal and the status' rights and obligations of such force and its members.

If the foregoing is acceptable to the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany, I propose that this note and your reply to that effect shall constitute an agreement between our Governments, to become effective on the date of your reply.

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

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