the Agreement was in force, for the duration of these contracts; provided that in no case shall the Agreement continue to apply to such contracts for a period longer than 15 years after the termination of this Agreement.

Accept. Sir. renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

L. A. H. SMITH Commissioner for Canada

The Hon. Robert L. Bradshaw, JP, Premier of St. Christopher-Nevis-Anguilla, Basseterre, St. Christopher