EXCHANGE OF NOTES (June 15, 1955) BETWEEN CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF CERTAIN RADAR STATIONS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, ONTARIO AND NOVA SCOTIA

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The Ambassador of the United States of America to Canada to the Secretary of State for External Affairs

UNITED STATES EMBASSY

OTTAWA, June 15, 1955.

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SIR:

I have the honour to refer to recent discussions in the Permanent Joint Board on Defence concerning a recommendation by the United States Air Force, concurred in by the Royal Canadian Air Force, that certain radar stations be established in British Columbia, Ontario and Nova Scotia to augment the radar extension in the southern part of Canada.

As indicated during these discussions, the United States Government is prepared to undertake the responsibility for the construction and operation of these stations, with such Canadian participation as may be desired by the Canadian Government, and I have been instructed to seek the Canadian Government's authorization to proceed on mutually agreeable terms.

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

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