

8. Having taken note of the above both Contracting Parties reserve the right to open, at any time, discussions on any of the matters dealt with in the above statement, in conformity with Article XIII, paragraph 1 and Article XVIII of the Agreement.

*IV—Article XV.* Finally, in relation to Article XV of the Agreement, it is understood that:

9. The location and number of representatives and staff of the designated airline of each Contracting Party would be established on the basis of a mutually recognized need to meet present requirements and subsequent growth in traffic.

If your Government agrees with the above statements and shares in the understanding of my Government as stated therein in relation to Articles IX, XI, XIII and XV of the Air Transport Agreement between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Polish People's Republic signed at Ottawa on May 14, 1976, I have the further honour to propose that this Note, which is equally authentic in English and French, and your reply to that effect in Polish, shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments, which shall be applied provisionally as of the date of your reply and enter into force on the same date as the said Air Transport Agreement.

Accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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