

The United States Coast Guard and the Canadian Department of Transport are authorized to make supplementary agreements and implementing arrangements concerning the details of the transfer and use of the equipment arranged above.

If the foregoing is acceptable to the Government of Canada, I have the honor to propose that this note and your Excellency's note in reply to that effect shall constitute an agreement between our two governments regarding this matter effective from the date of your Excellency's reply, and which shall remain in force until terminated by either government giving six months' notice in writing of its intention to terminate the agreement.

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

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