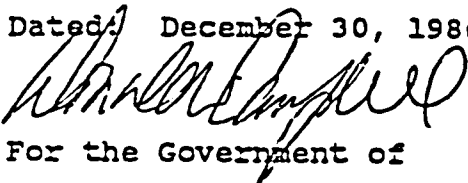


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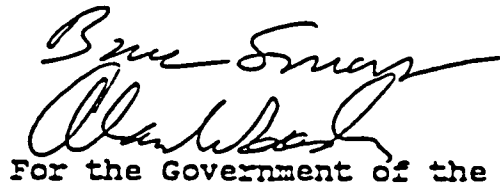
Promptly after implementation of this Understanding both Governments agree to notify the GATT Secretariat that a mutually satisfactory settlement has been reached in the dispute concerning the countervailing duty proceeding by the United States of America on certain softwood lumber products from Canada.

Dated: December 30, 1986



For the Government of

Canada:



For the Government of the

United States of America: