

Notification effected by an Exchange of Notes (21st December, 1928, 1st February, 1929), extending to Canada as from the 21st December, 1928, the Convention between His Majesty and the Czechoslovak Republic relative to Legal Proceedings in Civil and Commercial Matters, signed at London the 11th November, 1924.

From the British Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to the Czechoslovak Minister to Great Britain

FOREIGN OFFICE, S.W.I.,

21st December, 1928.

No. T. 13943/13943/371

SIR,—I have the honour, at the request of His Majesty's Government in Canada, to notify you that His Britannic Majesty desires, in accordance with article 14(2) of the Anglo-Czechoslovak Civil Procedure Convention of November 11, 1924, to extend the convention to that Dominion.

2. I have the honour to inform you that the authorities to whom judicial and extrajudicial acts and commissions rogatoires should be transmitted are, where action is to be taken in any Province in Canada, the Attorney General of such Province; in the North West Territories, the Commissioner of the North West Territories; and in the Yukon Territory, the Gold Commissioner of that territory. The language in which communications to such authorities and translations are to be made is English, except in the Province of Quebec where they may be made either in English or in French.

3. The Governments of the Provinces of Ontario, Manitoba, Nova Scotia, Alberta and of the Yukon Territory have intimated that to ensure their due execution commissions rogatoires to be executed in their territories should contain full and complete interrogatories.

4. In requesting that you will be so good as to acknowledge this communication on behalf of your Government, I have the honour to suggest that the exchange of notes thus constituted should be regarded as placing the matter on formal record, and that the extension of the terms of the convention to the Dominion of Canada should be considered as coming into force from the date of this note.

I have, etc.,

AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN.

Monsieur JAN G. MASARYK, C.B.E.,
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