EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA EXTENDING FOR A PERIOD OF FOURTEEN (14) DAYS THE AGREEMENT ON RECIPROCAL FISHERIES, DATED JUNE 15, 1973(1)

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

Ottawa, April 24, 1974

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EXCELLENCY,

I have the honour to refer to the agreement between the Government of Canada and the Government of the United States of America on reciprocal fishing privileges in certain areas off their coasts, done at Ottawa on June 15, 1973.

Paragraph eight (8) of that agreement provides that it shall remain in force until April 24, 1974, and that representatives of the two governments shall consult prior to the expiration of the period of its validity with a view to possible amendment and/or extension.

Such consultation has taken place, and the Government of Canada considers it desirable to extend the agreement for a further period of time. I, therefore, have the honour to propose, on behalf of the Government of Canada, that this agreement be extended for 14 days from April 24, 1974.

I have the honour further to propose that, if acceptable, this note, which is authentic in English and in French, and your Excellency's reply to that effect shall constitute an agreement between our two governments, which shall enter into force on the date of your reply.

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

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His Excellency, The Hon. William J. Porter, Ambassador of the United States of America, Ottawa.

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