EXCHANGE OF NOTES (JULY 27, 1953) BETWEEN CANADA AND MEXICO CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT FOR AIR SERVICES BETWEEN AND BEYOND THEIR RESPECTIVE TERRITORIES.

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The Canadian Ambassador to Mexico to the Mexican Minister of External Relations

## CANADIAN EMBASSY

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## EXCELLENCY:

I have the honour to refer to the recent discussions held in Mexico City between officials of our respective governments relating to the establishment of air services between Canada and Mexico.

Both our governments being parties to the Convention on International Civil Aviation opened for signature at Chicago on the seventh day of December 1944; (¹) desiring to conclude an Agreement for the purpose of establishing air services between and beyond Mexican and Canadian territories, and considering that as a result of the above mentioned discussions a mutually satisfactory Agreement was reached, its terms in the English language are as follows:

## ARTICLE I

For the purpose of this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) the term "the Convention" means the Convention on International Civil Aviation opened for signature at Chicago on the seventh day of December 1944, and includes any Annex adopted under Article 90 of that Convention and any amendment of the Annexes or Convention under Articles 90 and 94 thereof:
- (b) the term "aeronautical authorities" means, in the case of Mexico, Secretaria de Comunicaciones y Obras Publicas, Direccion de Aeronautica Civil, and any person or body authorized to perform any functions presently exercised by the said Secretaria de Communicaciones y Obras Publicas, Direccion de Aeronautica Civil, or similar functions, and in the case of Canada, the Minister of Transport, the Air Transport Board and any person or body authorized to perform any functions presently exercised by the said Minister or Board or similar functions:
- (c) the term "designated airline" means an airline which one contracting party shall have designated, by written notification to the other contracting party, in accordance with Article 3 of this Agreement, for the operation of agreed services on the routes specified in such notification:

<sup>(1)</sup> Treaty Series 1944, No. 36.