

The Chilean Minister to Canada to the Secretary of State for External Affairs of Canada

CHILEAN LEGATION

No. 32 Ottawa, October 9, 1942.

SIR,-I have the honour to refer to your Note No. 4 of September 23, in relation to the Trade Agreement between Chile and Canada and the indicated references to Art. IX of said Agreement.

After having consulted with my Government, they communicate me that the National Congress did not have the opportunity to ratify the Agreement in its ordinary sessions, which have just finished, but that it shall be ratified in the next extraordinary session. Meanwhile the Government of Chile would agree to extend for one year the provisional application of the Agreement, which coincides with the kind suggestion of your Government.

The moment I receive the necessary documentation I shall have the honour to get in touch with you.

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

DR. EDO GROVE, Minister for Chile.

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DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

No. 7 Ottawa, October 12, 1942.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to your Note No. 32 of October 9 concern ing the extension of the provisional application of the Trade Agreement between Canada and Chile. In your note you state that the Government of Chile would agree to extend the provisional application of the Agreement for a period of one year as from October 15, 1942.

The Canadian Government also agrees to an extension of this period. I understand that my Note No. 4 of September 23, your Note No. 32 of October 9, and this reply constitute an agreement between our two Governments on the extension of the provisional application of the Trade Agreement.

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

N. A. ROBERTSON, For the Secretary of State for External Affairs