

Canadian Embassy

Ambassade du Canada

Washington, August 13, 2002

Note No.0084

Excellency:

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your note of 17 July, 2002, which reads as follows:

I have the honor to refer to recent discussions between our two

Governments regarding the Treaty between the Government of the United States
of America and the Government of Canada on Pacific Coast Albacore Tuna

Vessels and Port Privileges, with annexes, signed at Washington May 26, 1981, as
amended by the Exchange of Notes of October 9, 1997, (the "Treaty") and to
propose one amendment to the Treaty as follows:

Article 1(b) is amended so that it reads in its entirety as follows: