

possible, operating the stations located in its country on a cost reimbursable basis, if so requested.

15. Taxes

Each Government shall, to the extent permitted by its Federal legislation, grant relief from all taxes or customs duties on materials and equipment used in the construction, maintenance or operation of the Loran-C transmitter, monitor and control stations. In particular, Canada shall grant remission of customs duties and excise taxes on goods imported specifically for the purpose of these facilities, and Federal sales and excise taxes on goods purchased in Canada specifically for the purpose of these facilities, which are or are to become property of the United States and are to be used in the construction, maintenance or operation of these facilities. Canada shall also grant refund by way of drawback of the customs duty paid on goods imported by Canadian manufacturers specifically for the purpose of these facilities and used in the manufacture or production of goods purchased by or on behalf of the USCG and to become the property of the USCG in connection with the construction, maintenance and operation of the facilities. An exemption certificate must be signed and accompany all such goods when used in this project.

Further to para. 10, Operation and Maintenance, printed circuit boards, modules, components, etc., repaired in the U.S. will be allowed duty and tax free re-entry into Canada.

Items will be identified by part number only and not by serial number.

16. Electromagnetic Compatibility

Commissioning by the CCG of the Loran-C transmitting station of Fox Harbour will be subject to the determination of its electromagnetic compatibility with Canadian telecommunications services. The USCG will provide, on request any available technical data, specifications and operational details, of the Loran-C transmitter type, as are deemed necessary to carry out the analysis of its compatibility, assuming the Fox Harbour transmitter is substantially identical to those solid state transmitters presently on USCG inventory. The USCG shall, on request and at a mutually agreed upon cost, assist the CCG in the investigation of, and development of planned solutions to, harmful interference to Canadian telecommunications services where such interference is caused by emission from the Fox Harbour Loran-C transmitting station. Should frequency changes to Canadian radio stations be required to mitigate incompatibilities verified by on-the-air testing of Loran-C transmitting stations, the USCG and the CCG will cooperate in determining alternative compatible assignments.

17. Safety Standards

Further to para. 10, Operation and Maintenance, the USCG will provide, on request and without charge, available technical data relating to safety standards for operation and maintenance of Loran-C transmitting stations.