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*The Ambassador of Canada to the Secretary of State
of the United States of America*

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Mr. Secretary,

I have the honour to refer to your Note of May 3, 1985 which refers to the conclusion of discussions between officials of our two Governments concerning the amendment of the St. Lawrence Seaway Tariff of Tolls in connection with the division of toll revenue between the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation in the United States and the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority in Canada and the implementation of administrative changes in the St. Lawrence Seaway Tariff of Tolls, and further to the signature by the two Seaway entities of the Memorandum of Agreement enclosed with your Note.

I have the further honour to inform you that these proposals are acceptable to the Government of Canada and to confirm that your Note, together with the enclosed Memorandum of Agreement, and this reply, which is authentic in English and French, shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force on the date of this Note.

Accept, Mr. Secretary, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

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For the Ambassador

The Honourable George Shultz,
Secretary of State
Washington, D.C.