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The Ambassador of the United States of America
The Secretary of State for External Affairs
to the Ambassador of the United States of America
EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

Ottawa, December 30, 1947

Ottawa, March 8, 1947

No. 30

I have the honor to refer to your Note No. 596 of March 3 and to inform you that the Canadian Government concurs in the suggestion of the United States Government that March 1, 1947, be designated as the effective date of the agreement between Canada and the United States set forth in the supplementary Exchange of Notes regarding the disposal of the trade oil facilities of the Canal project signed at Ottawa, November 7 and December 30, 1946. It is agreed that your Note and this reply shall fix March 1, 1947, as the effective date of the agreement between the two Governments relative to the disposal of the Canal crude oil facilities.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurance of my highest consideration.

I. B. FRANKSON

Secretary of State for External Affairs
Embassy of the United States of America

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Ottawa, March 5, 1947

No. 556

Sir,

I have the honor to refer to your Note No. 108 of December 30, 1946, in which you informed me that the Canadian Government was agreeable to certain proposals which had been made by the United States Government with regard to the disposition of the trade oil facilities of the Canal project, which had been transmitted to you by my Note No. 596 of November 7, 1946. In the exchange of notes in question it was provided that the agreement should become effective at a date mutually to be agreed upon.

I have now been instructed to inform you that the United States Government suggests March 1, 1947, as the effective date of the agreement. If it is agreeable to the Canadian Government, it is proposed that this date be fixed in that case shall fix March 1, 1947, as the effective date of the agreement between the Canadian and American Governments relative to the disposal of the Canal Crude oil facilities.

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

RAY AUSTINSON