EXCHANGE OF NOTES (APRIL 14 AND 19, 1937) REGARDING THE ANGE OF NOTES (APRIL 14 ALL CONVENTION TO BE DRAWN ACCEPTANCE BY CANADA OF A CONVENTION TO BE DRAWN UP AT THE CAPITULATIONS CONFERENCE AT MONTREUX

The High Commissioner for Canada in London to the President of the Capitulations Conference

OFFICE OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR CANADA

LONDON, 14th April, 1937

SIR,

I have the honour on behalf of the Government of Canada to inform your I have the honour on behalf of the Capitulations Conference, that in view of lack Excellency, as President of the Covernment of Canada have not Excellency, as President of the Capitulations of Canada have not conda of any interest special to Canada, the Government of Canada have not condition of any interest special to Canada, the present Conference to be necessary of any interest special to Canada, the present Conference to be necessary, and sidered Canadian representation in the present drawn up at Montreux which sidered Canadian representation in the process drawn up at Montreux which is will accept the provisions of any Convention drawn up at Montreux which is will accept the provisions of any Convention drawn up to instituted which is signed and ratified in respect of other members of the British Commonwealth

This acceptance by the Government of Canada is naturally on the under. of Nations. This acceptance by the Government of Convention the same rights as those standing that Canada can claim under the Convention the same rights as those States in whose respect it has been signed and ratified.

I request your Excellency that copies of this note be communicated to all I request your Excellency that copies orded in the archives of the Con, the delegations at the Conference and recorded in the archives of the Con, I have, etc., ference.

VINCENT MASSEY

The President of the Capitulations Conference to the High Commissioner for Canada in London

MONTREUX, 19th April 1937.

SIR,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 14th April I have the honour to acknowledge too frank a you were good enough to in which, on behalf of the Government of Canada, you were good enough to in which, on behalf of the Government of Conference, of the reasons for the inform me, as President of the Capitulations Conference, of the present Conference Government of Canada not being represented at the present Conference.

In compliance with the wish expressed in the last paragraph of your letter In compliance with the wish expressed at on all the delegations and have I have circulated copies of your communication to all the delegations and have given instructions that it shall be recorded in the archives of the Conference.

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