or From the Secretary of State of the United States to the Canadian Minister at Washington

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

WASHINGTON, December 28, 1937.

SIR,-I have the honour to refer to your Note No. 241 of December 3, 1937, in which you were good enough to set forth for the consideration of this Government the draft of a new rule which is to take the place of the existing

Rule 14 under the Patent Act of Canada.

I have pleasure in informing you that, when the Canadian Patent Office adopts the rule set forth in your above-mentioned note, residents of Canada whose names are entered on the register of attorneys permitted to practice before the Patent Office of Canada will be accorded the right of registering in the register of attorneys permitted to practice before the United States Patent Office under the rules of that Office. No further amendment of these

rules will be necessary.

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

For the Secretary of State:

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