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

CANADIAN EMBASSY

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SIR,

I have the honour to refer to your note of March 9 in which you proposed the conditional cancellation of the reciprocal interim arrangement embodied in the exchange of notes June 25, August 20, 1947 between the Government of Canada and the Government of the United States of America under which mobile radio transmitting stations licensed by the United States Government or Canadian Government could be carried from the territory in which they are licensed into the territory of the other country, without being removed from the vehicles in which such equipment is installed, on condition that this equipment be sealed in such a manner as to prevent its operation while in the territory of the latter country. The condition would be that the Canadian Government may retain the sealing requirement as regards radio transmitting equipment not covered by the recently concluded "Convention Between the United States of America and Canada Relating to the operation by Citizens of Either Country of Certain Radio Equipment or Stations in the Other Country signed at Ottawa February 8, 1951" designed to supersede the interim arrangement referred to above.

I am instructed to state that the terms of this arrangement are acceptable to my Government, and that your note and this reply thereto shall constitute the terms of an understanding on the subject between the two Governments.

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

For the Ambassador:

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