

- (e) All provisions in the NORAD Agreement, and its supporting documents concerning the administration, discipline, internal organization, training and status of forces, shall apply.
- (f) The financing and cost-sharing of expenditures connected with the Planning Group shall be arranged by mutual consent between appropriate agencies of our two Governments.

Our Governments shall consult on the implementation of the agreement herein proposed. These consultations shall involve senior officials of relevant Canadian and United States federal departments and/or federal agencies and invited members of the Planning Group and be held as necessary and with the agreement of our Governments. Each Government shall determine the composition of its national representation. Our Governments shall endeavour to use existing forums, such as the Permanent Joint Board on Defence, as the basis for these consultations.

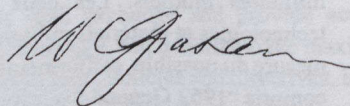
Nothing in the present agreement shall be interpreted as amending the NORAD Agreement.

The agreement herein will remain in force for a period of two years during which its terms may be reviewed at any time at the request of either Government. It may be terminated by either Government or extended by agreement of both Governments, following three months' written notice to the other.

If your Government concurs in the consideration and provisions set forth herein, I have the honour to propose that this Note, which is equally authentic in English and French, and your reply to that effect, shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments, which will enter into force on the date of your reply.

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

Sincerely,



William Graham