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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. PEARSON:

Re draft Letters Patent governing the office
of Governor General

As mentioned over the telephone this morning
I am returning the Instrument herewith with the follow-
ing suggestions:

1. to make sure that my signature appears
where X is marked above "Canada"
2. to have words "Emperor of India" deleted
after King George's name

*and attention of Secretary of State
drawn to this for all future use etc*

I agreed to deletion of words "under Our
Great Seal of Canada"; also to change of date from
first day of September 1947 to first day of October
1947.

-- I attach hereto, as requested by Mr. St. Laurent,
a letter agreeing to foregoing recommendations. I am also
quite agreeable to letter to Sir Alan Lascelles along line
of draft and if letter is prepared I will sign.

August 6, 1947