

EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA EXTENDING THE TERMS OF THE AGREEMENT ON AIR DEFENCE AND RELATED CO-OPERATION SIGNED JUNE 12, 1961.

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The Secretary of State of the United States of America to the Ambassador of Canada

June 25, 1970

EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the Agreement on Air Defense and Related Cooperation effected by an Exchange of Notes of June 12, 1961⁽¹⁾, and to the recent discussions between representatives of our two governments concerning that Agreement. I now propose, on behalf of the Government of the United States, that our two governments agree that an approximate balance in the value of our contributions under that Agreement was reached as of January 1, 1970. I further propose that your government agree to continue to be responsible, through July 31, 1971, for the manning, operation, maintenance, and the financial responsibilities relating thereto, of the twelve radar stations, set out in Part I of the enclosed Memorandum of Understanding, which remain of the sixteen taken over by your government under the Agreement of June 12, 1961. In consideration of the above undertaking by the Government of Canada, I propose that the Government of the United States, in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in Part II of the Memorandum of Understanding, furnish 66 F-101 B/F aircraft and related support equipment to the Government of Canada, receiving in return 58 CF-101 aircraft.

I also have the honor to inform you that it is the understanding of my government that the eleven other Pinetree radar stations which remain of those established pursuant to the Agreement effected by the Exchange of Notes of August 1, 1951⁽²⁾, will continue to be operated in accordance with the terms of that 1951 Agreement.

Accordingly, I propose that this Note, your reply and the terms set out in the annexed Memorandum of Understanding shall constitute an Agreement between our two governments effective from the date of your reply.

For the Secretary of State
GEORGE S. SPRINGSTEEN

Annexed: Memorandum of Understanding

His Excellency Marcel Cadieux,
Ambassador of Canada.

⁽¹⁾ Treaty series 1961 No. 5

⁽²⁾ Treaty Series 1951 No. 31