The Secretary of State for External Affairs of Canada to the Ambassador of the United States of America

Ottawa, December 19, 1974

No. FLA-739

Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Note No. 136 of August 14, 1974, in which you propose that the agreement between the United States and Canada concerning the operation of mobile seismic observatories (Project VELA UNIFORM)⁽¹⁾ should be extended for a further three year period from July 1, 1974, to June 30, 1977, in accordance with the understanding outlined in your Note.

I am pleased to inform you that this proposal meets with the approval of the Canadian authorities. Accordingly, I have the honour to confirm that your Note and this reply, which is equally authentic in English and French, shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments regarding this matter which shall enter into force on the date of this reply with effect from July 1, 1974.

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

ALLAN J. MACEACHEN

Secretary of State for External Affairs

His Excellency the Honourable William J. Porter, Ambassador of the United States of America, Ottawa

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⁽¹⁾ Treaty Series 1965 No. 10