

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

UNITED STATES EMBASSY,  
OTTAWA, Ontario, Canada,  
January 17, 1957.

No. 178.

Sir:

I have the honor to refer to your Note No. 13 of January 16, 1957, proposing certain conditions under which the Canadian Government will permit the use of the Haines Cut-Off Road by the United States Army for the winter maintenance of the Haines-Fairbanks pipeline.

I am pleased to inform you that the United States Government concurs in the conditions as set forth in your note.

My Government further agrees with your proposal that your note and this reply shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments effective today.

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

LIVINGSTON T. MERCHANT.

The Honorable  
Lester B. Pearson,  
Secretary of State for External Affairs,  
Ottawa.