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The Secretary of State for External Affairs to the Acting High Commissioner for the Union of South Africa

DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

No. 23 Ottawa, June 28, 1949.

SIR,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Note of June 27, and to confirm that the Canadian Government will agree to a temporary suspension of the margins of preference on unmanufactured logs under tariff sub items 279(a) (i) and (ii) which are guaranteed to Canada by virtue of the Trade Agreement of 1932 between the Union and Canadian Governments, on the understanding—

(See Note No. I)

"(a) that such temporary suspension free entry into the Union of South Africa."

The Canadian Government agrees that your Note and this reply shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments in this matter with effect from the 1st January, 1949.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

b) Que la suspension provisoire des préférences ne s'applique que dans le cas du bois requis pour des fins industrielles déterminées et admis

que votre répense favorable formulée en termes analogues soient considérées comme constituent à cet franch entre nes deux Convernements, un accord avant

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enloged and the secretary of State for External Affairs.