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Mr. Michael Kergin
Charge d'affaires a.i.
Embassy of Canada
501 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20001

Dear Mr. Kergin:

I have the honor to refer to discussions between officials of the Governments of Canada and the United States of America concerning cooperation between Canada and the United States of America on the application of non-proliferation assurances to Canadian uranium transferred from Canada to the United States of America for enrichment and fabrication into fuel and which will be retransferred to Taiwan for use in nuclear reactors for the generation of electricity on Taiwan and to your letter of February 24, 1993. Pursuant to these discussions, the Government of Canada proposed the terms and conditions set forth in the Annex to that letter to govern that cooperation.

The foregoing is acceptable to the Government of the United States of America, and I agree that your letter of February 24, 1993 with the Annex, which are authentic in English and French (separately dated February 23, 1993), and my reply shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments which enters into force on the date of this letter and shall remain in force indefinitely, unless terminated by either Party upon six months' notice to the other Party. The Annex shall constitute an integral part of this Agreement.

Please accept the assurance of my highest consideration.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Richard J. K. Stratford".

Richard J. K. Stratford
Deputy Assistant Secretary for
Nuclear Energy and
Energy Technology Affairs