

by non-proliferation and safeguards commitments to a third state, and within the jurisdiction of Canada, also be made subject to the Agreement.

I note that pursuant to the foregoing, 500 tonnes of natural uranium in the form of UF₆ held in Springfields by BNFL, in 1985, will be made subject to the 1959 Agreement, as amended, in two stages — 250 tonnes on April 1, 1985 and 250 tonnes on August 1, 1985. Under the same terms and conditions, equivalent quantities of nuclear material, held by ENL at Port Hope, Ontario, will simultaneously be made subject to the Agreement.

I have the honour to propose, with regard to future arrangements for further quantities of natural UF₆ to be made subject to the transfer of non-proliferation and safeguards obligations provided for in this Exchange of Letters, that the communications on this subject be confided to the appropriate Canadian and Euratom administrative authorities.

I have the honour to inform you that pursuant to Article IX of the 1959 Agreement, as amended, Euratom hereby gives its consent for the retransfer to the USA of the material held in Canada that will be made subject to the Agreement.

If the foregoing is acceptable to Canada, I have the honour to propose that this Exchange be regarded, in the case of this particular transaction, as satisfying the requirement for prior written agreement as set out in paragraph 5 of the Exchange of Letters of November 20.

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