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Exchange of Notes

prolonging the Monetary Agreement of 1st November, 1945 between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Czechoslovak Republic

London, 4th November, 1948

Presented by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to Parliament by Command of His Majesty

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EXCHANGE OF NOTES PROLONGING THE MONETARY AGREEMENT OF 1st NOVEMBER, 1945 BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK REPUBLIC

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No. 1

Mr. Ernest Bevin to the Czechoslovak Ambassador

Your Excellency, Foreign Office, 4th November, 1948. I HAVE the honour to propose that, in pursuance of arrangements discussed by Representatives of the two Governments in London, the Monetary Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Czechoslovak Republic signed in London on 1st November 1945(1), and which in accordance with Article 9 will terminate on 4th November, 1948, unless the Contracting Governments agree otherwise, shall be prolonged for a period of two months after the latter date, provided, however, that the provisions of sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph (i) of Article 2 of the said Agreement shall not apply during the proposed extended period.

2. If the Czechoslovak Government agree to this proposal I have the honour to suggest that the present Note and your reply to that effect shall be

regarded as constituting an agreement between the two Governments.

I have, &c. (Sd.) ERNEST BEVIN.

No. 2

The Czechoslovak Chargé d'Affaires to Mr. Ernest Bevin

Czechoslovak Embassy,

Sir,

9, Grosvenor Place, 4th November, 1948.

In the absence of the Ambassador I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your note of to-day's date proposing that, in pursuance of the arrangements discussed by Representatives of the two Governments in London, the Monetary Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Czechoslovak Republic signed in London on 1st November, 1945, and which in accordance with Article 9 will terminate on 4th November, 1948, unless the Contracting Governments agree otherwise, shall be prolonged for a period of two months after the latter date, provided, however, that the provisions of sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph (i) of Article 2 of the said Agreement shall not apply during the proposed extended period.

In reply I have the honour to inform you that the Government of the Czechoslovak Republic accept this proposal of the Government of the United Kingdom and will regard your note and this reply as constituting an agreement

between the two Governments.

I have, &c. (Sd.) E. GOLDSTÜCKER.

(1) "Treaty Series No. 8 (1945)," Cmd. 6694.

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