



Treaty Series No. 26 (1949)

Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the United Kingdom
of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
and the Government of Greece

further modifying the Agreement of the
26th November, 1945, regarding
Air Services in Europe

Athens, 21st March, 1949

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

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EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF GREECE, FURTHER MODIFYING THE AGREEMENT OF 26th NOVEMBER, 1945, REGARDING AIR SERVICES IN EUROPE

Athens, 21st March, 1949

No. 1

His Majesty's Ambassador at Athens to the Greek Minister for Foreign Affairs

British Embassy,

Monsieur le Ministre,

Athens, 21st March, 1949.

I have the honour to refer to the Agreement between His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Royal Hellenic Government for Air Services in Europe signed in Athens on 26th November, 1945,⁽¹⁾ and to inform you that His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom propose that the Agreement should be amended by the addition of the following new sentence to Paragraph (2) of Article 3:—

“Fuel and lubricating oils taken on board aircraft of the designated airlines of one contracting party in the territory of the other contracting party, being intended solely for use by or in such aircraft and remaining on board the aircraft at the last airport of call before departure from that territory, shall be exempt in that territory from customs duties, inspection fees and similar duties or charges, even though such supplies be used by such aircraft on flights in that territory.”

2. If the Royal Hellenic Government agree to these proposals I have the honour to suggest that the present Note and your Excellency's reply to that effect shall be regarded as constituting an Agreement on this matter between the two Governments which shall be deemed to have entered into force as from 26th November, 1945.

I avail, &c.

(Sd.) C. J. NORTON.

No. 2

The Greek Minister for Foreign Affairs to His Majesty's Ambassador at Athens

Royal Ministry for Foreign Affairs,

Your Excellency,

Athens, 21st March, 1949.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Excellency's Note of to-day's date which reads as follows:—

[As in No. 1.]

2. In reply I have the honour to inform your Excellency that the Royal Hellenic Government agree to the proposals contained in your Note and will regard that Note and the present reply as constituting an agreement on this matter between the two Governments which shall be deemed to have entered into force from 26th November, 1945.

I avail, &c.

(Sd.) C. S. TSALDARIS.

⁽¹⁾ “Treaty Series No. 10 (1948),” Cmd. 7348.