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## Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the United States of America

applying the Agreement of 10 February 1961 to additional United States Defence Areas in the Turks and Caicos Islands

London, 15 June 1972

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## **EXCHANGE OF NOTES**

BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA APPLYING THE AGREEMENT OF 10 FEBRUARY 1961 TO ADDITIONAL UNITED STATES DEFENCE AREAS IN THE TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS

No. 1

The Ambassador of the United States of America to the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs

No. 14

Embassy of the United States of America, London.

Your Excellency,

June 15, 1972.

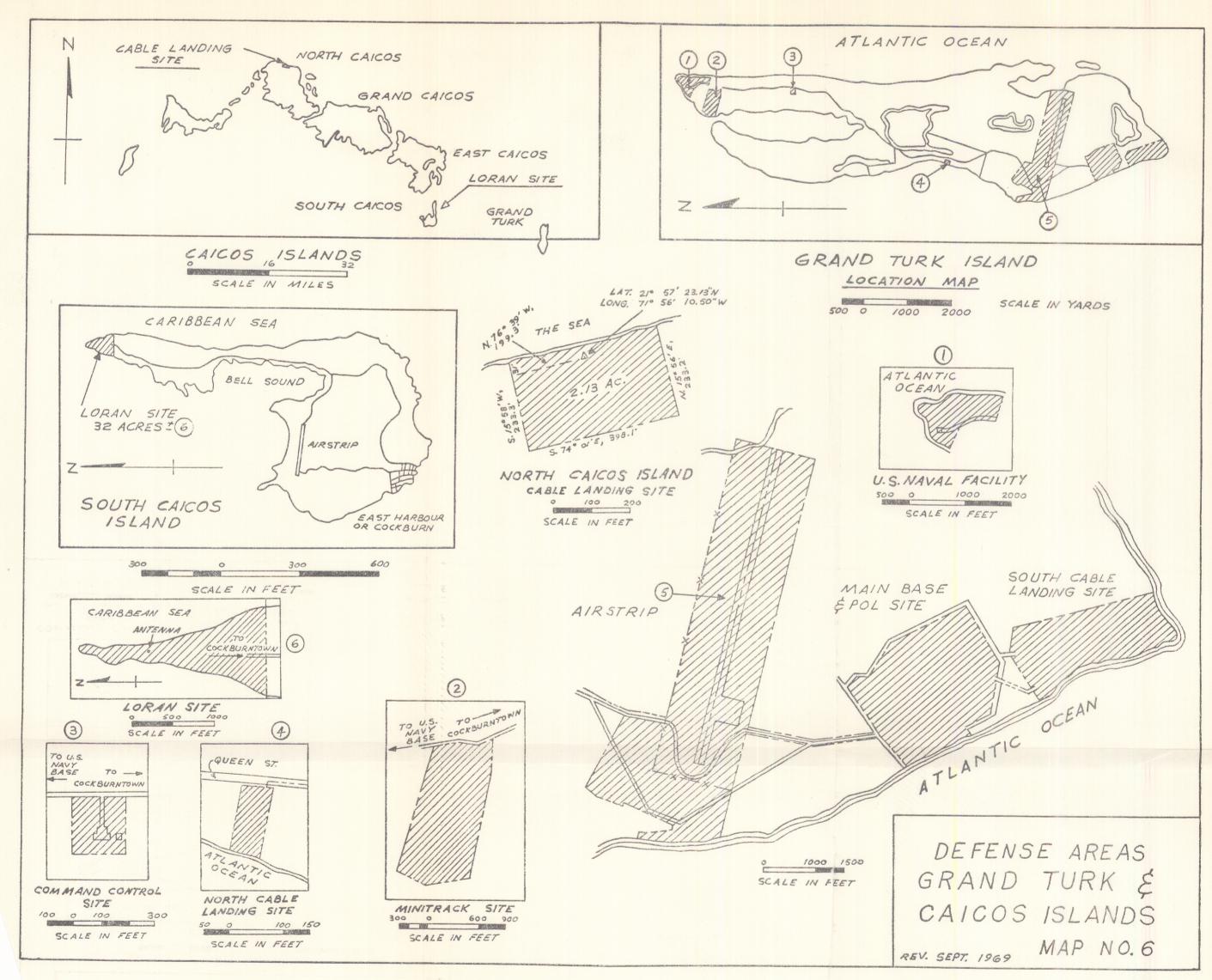
I have the honor to refer to the discussions between representatives of the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland concerning the status of the United States Hydrograpic Office Survey Station "Bottle" on North Caicos Island and of the Long Range Aid to Navigation (LORAN) Station operated by the United States Coast Guard on South Caicos Island, Turks and Caicos Islands.

In order that these may be added to the other United States facilities as defense areas for the purposes of the Agreement between the Government of the Federation of The West Indies and the Government of the United States of America concerning United States defense areas in the Federation of The West Indies, signed at Port of Spain on the 10th of February 1961,(1) (hereinafter referred to as "the 1961 Agreement"), I have the honor to propose that the map annexed to this Note shall supersede and replace the existing map No. 6 attached to Annex F to the 1961 Agreement and become an integral part of that Agreement.

If the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, I have the honor to suggest that this Note, together with the map annexed thereto, and Your Excellency's reply to that effect, shall be regarded as constituting an Agreement between the two Governments which shall enter into force on this day's date.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

WALTER ANNENBERG.



The Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs to the Ambassador of the United States of America

> Foreign and Commonwealth Office, London, S.W.1.

> > N. B. J. HUIJSMAN.

Your Excellency,

15 June, 1972.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Note No. 14 of today's date which reads as follows:—

## [As in No. 1]

In reply I have the honour to inform you that the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, who therefore agree that Your Excellency's Note, together with the map annexed thereto and the present reply, shall constitute an Agreement between the two Governments which shall enter into force on this day's date.

I have the honour to be,
with the highest consideration,
Your Excellency's obedient Servant,
(for the Secretary of State)

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