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No. 1.

*M. Probst to Sir Edward Grey.—(Received July 9.)*

*Légation de Suisse, Londres,  
le 5 Juillet, 1907.*

M. le Secrétaire d'État,

PAR note en date du 28 Juin dernier son Excellence le Ministre de Sa Majesté Britannique à Berne a notifié à mon Gouvernement l'accession de la Fédération Australienne à la Convention Internationale du 20 Mars, 1883, pour la protection de la propriété industrielle, telle qu'elle a été modifiée par l'Acte Additionnel du 14 Décembre, 1900.

Aucune date spéciale n'ayant été indiquée pour l'entrée en vigueur de la Convention en ce qui concerne la Fédération Australienne, il y a lieu d'appliquer les dispositions de l'Article XVI révisé de la Convention, aux termes duquel cette dernière produit ses effets un mois après la notification faite par le Conseil Fédéral Suisse aux autres États Unionistes. Il en résulte que la Convention entrera en vigueur quant à la Fédération Australienne le 5 Août prochain.

En vous demandant de vouloir bien consentir à me donner acte de ce qui précède, je vous prie, &c.

(Signé)                   PROBST.

(Translation.)

Sir,

*Swiss Legation, London, July 5, 1907.*

By a note dated the 28th June last, His Britannic Majesty's Minister at Berne notified to my Government the accession of the Australian Commonwealth to the International Convention of 20th March, 1883, for the protection of industrial property, as modified by the Additional Act of 14th December, 1900.

No special date having been indicated for the coming into force of the Convention so far as regards the Commonwealth of Australia, the stipulations of Article XVI of the revised Convention will apply, whereby the latter will take effect one month after the date of the notification made by the Swiss Federal Council to the other States parties to the Union. The Convention will accordingly come into force as regards the Australian Commonwealth on the 5th August next.

In requesting that you will favour me with an acknowledgment of this communication, I beg, &c.

(Signed)                      PROBST.

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No. 2.

*Sir Edward Grey to M. Probst.*

Sir,

*Foreign Office, July 15, 1907.*

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your note of the 5th instant respecting the accession of the Commonwealth of Australia to the International Convention of 20th March, 1883, for the protection of industrial property, as modified by the Additional Act of 14th December, 1900.

I have not failed to note that, in accordance with Article XVI of the revised Convention, the accession of the Commonwealth of Australia will take effect one month after the date of its notification by the Swiss Federal Council to the other States parties to the Union, viz., on the 5th August next.

In thanking you for this communication, I have &c.

(Signed)                      E. GREY.

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