

Treaty Series No. 53 (1966)

## 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

further prolonging the Agreement of 20 January 1961 concerning the Establishment and Operation of Space Vehicle Tracking Stations in the United Kingdom

London, 19 July 1966

[The Agreement entered into force on 19 July 1966]

Presented to Parliament by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs
by Command of Her Majesty
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BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM
OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FURTHER PROLONGING THE AGREEMENT OF 20 JANUARY 1961
CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF
SPACE VEHICLE TRACKING STATIONS IN THE UNITED
KINGDOM

No. 1

The United States Chargé d'Affaires to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs

No. 4

Embassy of the United States of America, London, July 19, 1966.

Sir.

I have the honor to refer to the Agreement between our two Governments effected by the Exchange of Notes signed at London on January 20, 1961,(1) concerning a cooperative program for the establishment and operation of Space Vehicle Tracking Stations in the United Kingdom. By the Exchange of Notes of January 17 and February 8, 1966(2) the Agreement was extended to July 19, 1966.

The United States Government proposes that the validity of the Agreement shall be further extended without change from July 20, 1966 to December 31, 1966.

If the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of the United Kingdom, I suggest that this Note and Your Excellency's reply to that effect shall together constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force from today's date.

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

PHILIP KAISER.

<sup>(1) &</sup>quot;Treaty Series No. 21 (1961)", Cmnd. 1341. (2) "Treaty Series No. 24 (1966)", Cmnd. 2970.

Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to the United States Chargé d'Affaires

> Foreign Office, London, S.W.I, 19th July, 1966.

Sir.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Note No. 4 of the 19th of July, 1966, which reads as follows:

[As in No. 1]

In reply, I have the honour to inform you that the above proposal is acceptable to the Government of the United Kingdom who agree that your Note together with this reply shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force on today's date.

I have the honour to be, with high consideration,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,
(For the Secretary of State)
E. G. WILLAN.

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