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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 amending the Agreement of
15 February 1960, on the setting up of
a Ballistic Missile Early Warning System
in the United Kingdom

London, 18 June 1979

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BALLISTIC MISSILE EARLY WARNING SYSTEM IN THE
UNITED KINGDOM

No. 1

*The Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs to the
Minister in the United States Embassy at London*

*Foreign and Commonwealth Office
London*

18 June 1979

Sir

I have the honour to refer to recent discussions between representatives of the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of the Government of the United States of America concerning paragraphs 3(d) and 7 of the Memorandum annexed to the Notes exchanged at London on the 15th February, 1960⁽¹⁾, on the setting up of a Ballistic Missile Early Warning Station in the United Kingdom, as amended by Notes exchanged at London on the 26th of November 1968⁽²⁾, and the 3rd of October 1974⁽³⁾.

As a result of these discussions I have the honour to propose that in each of those paragraphs '15 years' shall be amended to read '20 years'.

If the above proposal is acceptable to the Government of the United States of America, I have the honour to suggest that this Note and your reply to that effect shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments.

I have the honour to convey
to you Sir the assurance of my
high consideration.

(For the Secretary of State)

P. H. MOBERLY

⁽¹⁾ Treaty Series No. 24 (1960), Cmnd. 1034.

⁽²⁾ Treaty Series No. 21 (1969), Cmnd. 3898.

⁽³⁾ Treaty Series No. 34 (1975), Cmnd. 5936.

No. 2

*Minister in the United States Embassy at London to the Secretary of State
for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs*

*Embassy of the United States of America
London*

18 June, 1979

No. 32

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your note of today's date which reads as follows:

[As in No. 1]

In reply I have the honor to inform you that the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of the United States of America, which therefore agrees that your note and this reply shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments.

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

EDWARD J. STREATOR

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