

WHEAT

Exchanges of notes at Washington March 18, 20, and 25, April 9, May 3, and June 3, 1946, amending memorandum of agreement of April 22, 1942

Entered into force June 3, 1946

Expired upon expiration of memorandum of agreement of April 22, 1942

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*The Secretary of State to the Argentine Chargé d'Affaires ad interim*¹

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

WASHINGTON,

Mar 18 1946

SIR:

I have been requested by the International Wheat Council to invite your Government to signify its acceptance of the following recommendation adopted by that Council at its Eleventh Session held in Washington on 27th February 1946:

“The International Wheat Council hereby recommends to the Governments of Argentina, Australia, Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States of America that:

(a) since it has been decided to invite the representatives of Belgium, Brazil, China, Denmark, France, India, Italy, the Netherlands, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and Yugoslavia to become members of that Council; and

(b) since it has also been decided to establish a preparatory committee for the purpose of reviewing the Draft Convention with a view to submitting it, as amended by the Council in the light of the recommendations of that Committee, to the international wheat conference referred to in paragraph 3 of the Memorandum of Agreement;

the Memorandum of Agreement, approved by the Governments of Argentina, Australia, Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States of America on 27th June 1942,² be amended by the deletion of paragraphs 5, 6, 7, and 8 thereof and the substitution therefor of the following as paragraph 5 of that Memorandum:

¹ *Mutatis mutandis* to the Australian Minister, the Canadian Ambassador, and the British Ambassador.

² EAS 384, *ante*, vol. 3, p. 704. The memorandum of agreement was initialed Apr. 22, 1942, and entered into force June 27, 1942.

'5. The International Wheat Council, referred to in Article VII of the Draft Convention, shall remain in being pending the conclusions of the international wheat conference referred to in paragraph 3 above or until such time as the governments represented on that Council may determine.' ”

Upon notification by this Government to the Governments of Argentina, Australia, Canada, and the United Kingdom that each of the five Governments has signified its approval, the Memorandum of Agreement will be deemed to be so amended.

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

JAMES F. BYRNES

The Honorable

Señor Don LUIS S. LUTI,

Minister Counselor,

Chargé d'Affaires ad interim of Argentina.

The Argentine Chargé d' Affaires ad interim to the Secretary of State

EMBAJADA
DE LA
REPÚBLICA ARGENTINA
D. E. No. 102

WASHINGTON, April 9, 1946

EXCELLENCY:

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your note of March 18th, 1946, which refers to the deletion of paragraphs 5, 6, 7, and 8 of the Memorandum of Agreement approved by the Governments of Argentina, Australia, Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States of America on 27th June 1942, and to the substitution of paragraph 5 of such Memorandum by the one set forth on Your Excellency's note.

My Government will consider such amendments of the above mentioned Memorandum, as entering into force upon being notified that the other four Governments have expressed their approval.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

L. S. LUTI

His Excellency the Secretary of State

Mr. JAMES F. BYRNES,

Washington, D.C.

The Australian Counsellor to the Secretary of State

AUSTRALIAN LEGATION
WASHINGTON 8, D.C.

No. 93/46

20th March, 1946

SIR:

I have the honour to acknowledge your letter of March 18th, addressed to Sir Frederic Eggleston, who has now left Washington, inviting the Gov-

ernment of the Commonwealth of Australia to signify its acceptance of the following recommendation adopted by the International Wheat Council at its Eleventh Session held in Washington on 27th February, 1946:

[For text of recommendation, see U.S. note, p. 70.]

I have been directed by my Government to inform you that the recommendation in question has been approved by the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia.

I have the honour to be, With the highest consideration, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN OLDHAM
Counsellor

The Honorable
JAMES F. BYRNES,
*Secretary of State of the United States,
Washington, D.C.*

The Canadian Ambassador to the Secretary of State

CANADIAN EMBASSY
AMBASSADE DU CANADA

WASHINGTON, D.C.,
March 25, 1946

No. 105

SIR:

I have the honour to refer to your note of March 18, 1946, in which, at the request of the International Wheat Council, you invited my government to signify its acceptance of a recommendation adopted by the Council at its Eleventh Session held in Washington on the 27th February, 1946.

I am now instructed to inform you that the recommendation is acceptable to the Government of Canada, both with respect to (a) the invitation to representatives of the specified additional countries to become members of the International Wheat Council and (b) the amendment of the Memorandum of Agreement of June 27, 1942, to the effect that the International Wheat Council shall remain in existence pending the conclusions of the international wheat conference referred to in the Memorandum of Agreement, or until such time as the governments represented on the Council may determine.

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

THOMAS A. STONE
For the Ambassador

The Honourable JAMES F. BYRNES,
*Secretary of State,
Washington, D.C.*

The British Ambassador to the Acting Secretary of State

Ref. 667/12/46.
No. 271

SIR,

I have the honour to acknowledge your note of March 18th, 1946, in which, at the request of the International Wheat Council, you invited my Government to signify its acceptance of the following recommendation adopted by that Council at its Eleventh Session held in Washington on February 27th, 1946:

[For text of recommendation, see U.S. note, p. 70.]

I have the honour to inform you that His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom accepts the recommendation of the International Wheat Council and agrees that the Memorandum of Agreement referred to in this resolution shall be amended accordingly.

I have the honour to be, with the highest consideration, Sir,
your most obedient, humble servant,

HALIFAX

3rd May, 1946

The Honourable

DEAN ACHESON,

*Acting Secretary of State of the
United States,
Washington, D.C.*

*The Secretary of State to the Argentine Chargé d' Affaires ad interim*³

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

WASHINGTON

June 3, 1946

SIR:

I wish to report that the member nations of the International Wheat Council, namely, Argentina, Australia, Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States of America, have unanimously agreed to the recommendation adopted by the Council at its Eleventh Session held in Washington on February 27, 1946, and have agreed that the Memorandum of Agreement is amended accordingly.

³ *Mutatis mutandis* to the Australian Chargé d'Affaires ad interim, the Canadian Ambassador, and the British Chargé d' Affaires ad interim.

The recommendation follows:

[For text of recommendation, see U.S. note, p. 70.]

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

For the Secretary of State:

WILLIAM L. CLAYTON

The Honorable

Senor DON LUIS S. LUTI

Minister Counselor

Chargé d' Affaires ad interim of Argentina