RURAL RECONSTRUCTION

Exchange of notes at Canton June 27, 1949, modifying and extending agreement of August 5, 1948
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The American Minister to the Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs

AMERICAN EMBASSY Canton, June 27, 1949

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EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the Agreement between our two Governments constituted by the exchange of notes dated August 5, 1948, providing for the establishment of a Sino-American Joint Commission on Rural Reconstruction in China.

My Government proposes that the Agreement be extended until the date of termination of the Economic Aid Agreement between our two Governments concluded July 3, 1948,² and that references in the exchange of notes to Section 407 of the China Aid Act of 1948,³ be deemed to include reference to Section 12 of Public Law 47, 81st Congress.⁴

This note and Your Excellency's reply accepting the above proposal will constitute an agreement between our two Governments.

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

Lewis Clark

His Excellency

Dr. George Yeh,

Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs,

Canton.

¹ TIAS 1848, ante, p. 841.

² TIAS 1837, ante, p. 827.

³ 62 Stat. 158.

⁴ 63 Stat. 55.