

ENGINEERING STANDARDS APPLICABLE TO ALLOCATION OF STANDARD BROADCASTING STATIONS (540-1600 KCS.)

*Exchange of notes at Washington December 24, 1947, and April 1, 1948*¹

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Regional Broadcasting Agreement of November 15, 1950*²

62 Stat. 2652; Treaties and Other
International Acts Series 1802

The Secretary of State to the Canadian Ambassador

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

WASHINGTON

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EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to discussions in Atlantic City, New Jersey, between representatives of the Government of Canada and representatives of the Government of the United States concerning the matter of a mutual understanding as to engineering standards applicable to the allocation of standard broadcasting stations in the band of frequencies extending from 540 to 1600 kilocycles.

As a result of those discussions, the Government of the United States agrees to enter into an arrangement with the Government of Canada, effective as of the date of their reply, permitting the mutual application of the following engineering standards which will be considered as amending those engineering standards already in effect between the United States and Canada by virtue of provisions set forth in the North American Regional Broadcasting Agreement signed at Habana, Cuba, on December 13, 1937,³ as continued in application by the terms of the Interim Agreement (Modus Vivendi, Washington, February 25, 1946.)⁴

¹ For two graphs enclosed in U.S. note, see 62 Stat. 2655-6 or pp. 4-6 of TIAS 1802.

² 11 UST 413; TIAS 4460.

³ TS 962, *ante*, vol. 3, p. 503.

⁴ TIAS 1553, *ante*, vol. 4, p. 38.