EXPORTS OF POTATOES FROM CANADA

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The Canadian Ambassador to the Secretary of State

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Sir,

I have the honour to refer to the discussions which have taken place between the representatives of the Government of Canada and of the Government of the United States of America regarding the problems which would confront the Government of the United States in the operation of its price support and other programmes for potatoes if the imports of Canadian potatoes, during this current crop year, were to continue to be unrestricted. After careful consideration of the various representations which have been made to the Canadian Government on this subject, the Canadian Government is prepared to:

- 1. Include Irish potatoes in the list of commodities for which an export permit is required under the provisions of the Export and Import Permits Act.
- 2. Withhold export permits for the movement of table stock potatoes to the United States proper, excluding Alaska.
- 3. Issue export permits for the shipment of Canadian certified seed potatoes to the United States, but only under the following circumstances:
- (a) Export permits will be issued to Canadian exporters for shipments to specified States in the United States and such permits will only be granted within the structure of a specific schedule. The schedule is designed to direct the shipment of Canadian certified seed potatoes into those States where there

¹ Not printed.