

PLANTATION RUBBER INVESTIGATIONS

*Exchange of notes at Tegucigalpa June 18 and 28, 1943, extending
agreement of February 28, 1941
Entered into force July 1, 1943*

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The American Ambassador to the Minister of Foreign Affairs

EMBASSY OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
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EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the Cooperative Agreement for Plantation Rubber Investigations in Honduras, which was signed on February 28, 1941,¹ in the English and Spanish languages, by the Ministro de Fomento, Agricultura y Trabajo of the Republic of Honduras and the Acting Secretary of Agriculture of the United States of America.

Subparagraph (b) of paragraph III of the agreement provides as follows:

“(b) That this agreement shall take effect on the date on which made and entered into, as shown in the first paragraph on page one, and expire on the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and forty-one, but the same may be renewed from year to year thereafter, not extending, however, beyond the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and forty-three, at the option of the Department of Agriculture of the United States, which option shall be expressed in writing by the said Department of Agriculture of the United States at least one month before the date upon which this agreement would otherwise expire.”

It is the understanding of the Government of the United States of America that the agreement above-mentioned has continued in force up to this time.

I have the honor to inform Your Excellency that it is the desire and option of the Department of Agriculture of the United States of America that the agreement should continue in force after June 30, 1943, and should remain

¹ EAS 358, *ante*, p. 932.