

## AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES

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*The American Minister to the Minister of Foreign Affairs*

LEGATION OF THE  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
REYKJAVIK, January 27, 1945

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EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to our negotiations for the conclusion of a reciprocal air transport agreement between the United States of America and Iceland.

It is my understanding that these negotiations, now terminated, have resulted in the following agreement:

### AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND ICELAND RELATING TO AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES

Having in mind the resolution signed under date of December 7, 1944, at the International Civil Aviation Conference in Chicago, Illinois, for the adoption of a standard form of agreement for provisional air routes and services, and the desirability of mutually stimulating and promoting the sound economic development of air transportation between the United States and Iceland, the two Governments parties to this arrangement agree that the establishment and development of air transport services between their respective territories shall be governed by the following provisions:

#### ARTICLE 1

The contracting parties grant the rights specified in the Annex hereto necessary for establishing the international civil air routes and services therein described, whether such services be inaugurated immediately or at a later date at the option of the contracting party to whom the rights are granted.

#### ARTICLE 2

(a) Each of the air services so described shall be placed in operation as soon as the contracting party to whom the rights have been granted by