

MILITARY OBLIGATIONS OF CERTAIN PERSONS HAVING DUAL NATIONALITY

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The American Ambassador to the Minister of Foreign Affairs

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EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to inform you that the Government of the United States of America, desirous of resolving the difficulties which those persons who are nationals of both countries encounter as a result of their military obligations in our two countries, considers that it would be both desirable and opportune to conclude an agreement in the following terms:

1. It will be considered that citizens of the United States of America who are also French citizens have fulfilled their military obligations in France during the war of 1939–1945 if they have fulfilled the same obligations in the armed forces of the United States and can prove the fact by an official document from the United States authorities.

2. It will be considered that French citizens who are also citizens of the United States of America have fulfilled their military obligations to the United States during the war of 1939–1945 if they have fulfilled the same obligations in the French armed forces and can prove the fact by an official document from the French authorities.

3. Interested persons will be granted a period of two years from the date on which this agreement is concluded in which they may clarify their status by the production of the above-mentioned documents.

4. Each of the two governments will deliver to the citizens of the other government who have volunteered in its armed forces during the war of 1939–1945 a certificate designed to permit them to clarify their status in regard to their country.

¹ TIAS 1876, *post*, p. 1294.