

I shall be glad to have you inform me whether it is the understanding of your Government that the terms of the agreement resulting from the negotiations are as above set forth. If so, it is suggested that January 1, 1945 become the effective date. If your Government concurs in this suggestion the Government of the United States will regard it as becoming effective at such time.

Accept, Sir, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

For the Secretary of State:
STOKELEY W. MORGAN

The Honorable
W. BOSTROM
Minister of Sweden

The Swedish Minister to the Secretary of State

LEGATION OF SWEDEN
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 16, 1944

SIR:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note of December 16, 1944 in which you communicated to me the terms of a reciprocal air transport agreement between Sweden and the United States of America, as understood by you to have been agreed to in negotiations, now terminated, between the Delegations of the Royal Swedish Government and the Government of the United States at the International Civil Aviation Conference in Chicago.

The terms of this agreement which you have communicated to me are as follows:

[For terms of agreement, see U.S. note, above.]

I am instructed to state that the terms of the agreement as communicated to me are agreed to by my Government. Furthermore, I am pleased to add that your suggestion that the agreement become effective on January 1, 1945, is acceptable to my Government.

I avail myself of the occasion to renew to you, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

W. BOSTRÖM

The Honorable
EDWARD R. STETTINIUS, Jr.
Secretary of State