

TECHNICAL AVIATION MISSION

Exchange of notes at Panama March 31, 1949

Entered into force April 14, 1949

*Extended by agreement of April 14 and May 8, 1953*¹

Expired December 31, 1960

63 Stat. 2478; Treaties and Other
International Acts Series 1932

The American Ambassador to the Minister of Foreign Affairs

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EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to the civil aviation agreement between the United States of America and the Republic of Panama signed at Panama City on March 31, 1949.² Article XIV of this Agreement states that, "The Government of the United States of America will supply, subject to the availability of suitable personnel and appropriated funds for the purpose, a civil aviation mission to aid the Government of the Republic of Panama in the development of its civil aviation, including technical assistance, if such a mission is requested by the Government of Panama."

Upon notification to my Government of the ratification by the Government of the Republic of Panama of the general aviation agreement, the Government of the United States of America will endeavor, if requested by the Government of the Republic of Panama, to furnish a technical aviation mission under the following conditions:

(1) The assignment of the United States civil aviation mission to Panama shall be subject to the availability of suitable personnel and appropriated funds for the purpose.

(2) The mission shall function in an advisory capacity to appropriate Ministers of the Government of the Republic of Panama and will work with personnel of the Republic of Panama concerned with civil aviation on a co-operative basis for the purpose of assisting in improving and developing civil aviation facilities and services in Panama.

(3) The Government of the United States of America shall designate, subject to the approval of the Government of the Republic of Panama, a

¹ 4 UST 1574; TIAS 2824.

² TIAS 1932, *ante*, p. 857.