

ARBITRATION

Agreement and exchange of notes signed at Washington February 13, 1924, extending convention of May 2, 1908
Senate advice and consent to ratification February 26, 1924
Ratified by the Netherlands March 22, 1924
Ratified by the President of the United States April 2, 1924
Ratifications exchanged at Washington April 5, 1924
Entered into force April 5, 1924
Proclaimed by the President of the United States April 7, 1924
Expired March 25, 1930

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AGREEMENT

The Government of the United States of America and Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands, desiring to extend for another five years the period during which the Arbitration Convention concluded between them on May 2, 1908,¹ and extended by the Agreement concluded between the two Governments on May 9, 1914,² and further extended by the Agreement concluded between the two Governments on March 8, 1919,³ shall remain in force, have respectively authorized the undersigned, to wit:

Charles Evans Hughes, Secretary of State of the United States of America,
and

Jonkheer Dr. A. C. D. de Graeff, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands at Washington,
to conclude the following Agreement:

ARTICLE I

The Convention of Arbitration of May 2, 1908, between the Government of the United States of America and Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands, the duration of which by Article III thereof was fixed at a period of five years from the date of the exchange of ratifications, which period, by the Agreement of May 9, 1914, between the two Governments was extended for five years from March 25, 1914, and was extended by the Agreement between them of March 8, 1919, for the further period of five years from March 25,

¹ TS 519, *ante*, p. 62.

² TS 617, *ante*, p. 67.

³ TS 641, *ante*, p. 71.