

AMITY, COMMERCE, AND NAVIGATION (JAY TREATY)

*Treaty signed at London November 19, 1794, with annexed letter dated at Philadelphia September 5, 1793, and with additional article Senate advice and consent to ratification, with a condition, June 24, 1795*¹

*Ratified by the President of the United States, with a condition, August 14, 1795*¹

Ratified by Great Britain October 28, 1795

Ratifications exchanged at London October 28, 1795

Entered into force October 28, 1795

Proclaimed by the President of the United States February 29, 1796

Article 3 supplemented by explanatory article of May 4, 1796,² and terminated in part by War of 1812

*Article 5 supplemented by explanatory article of March 15, 1798*³

*Articles 6 and 7 supplemented by convention of January 8, 1802*⁴

Article 12 suspended by additional article

Articles 11–27 expired October 28, 1807

*Articles 1 and 3*⁵ *annulled June 18, 1812*⁶

Articles 2, 4–8, and 28 terminated upon fulfillment of their terms

8 Stat. 116; Treaty Series 105⁷

TREATY OF AMITY, COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION, BETWEEN HIS BRITANNICK MAJESTY;—AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, BY THEIR PRESIDENT, WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THEIR SENATE

His Britannick Majesty and the United States of America, being desirous by a Treaty of Amity, Commerce and Navigation to terminate their Differ-

¹ The Senate gave its advice and consent “on condition that there be added to the said treaty an article, whereby it shall be agreed to suspend the operation of so much of the 12th article, as respects the trade which his said Majesty thereby consents may be carried on, between the United States and his islands in the West Indies, in the manner, and on the terms and conditions therein specified.” See additional article, p. 33.

² TS 106, *post*, p. 34. See also footnote 1, *post*, p. 34.

³ TS 107, *post*, p. 36.

⁴ TS 108, *post*, p. 38.

⁵ Art. 3, as far as it relates to Indians, appears to remain in force between the United States and Canada. See *American Journal of International Law*, 1929, p. 645, for Supreme Court decision in case of *Karnuth v. United States*.

⁶ Date of U.S. declaration of war.

⁷ For a detailed study of this treaty, see 2 Miller 245.