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The American Ambassador to the Pakistani Minister of External Affairs

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Karachi, January 15, 1963

Excellency :

I have the honor to refer to conversations between representatives of our two governments concerning the loan of the vessel " USMS *Mission Santa Clara* " T-AO-132 by the Government of the United States to the Government of Pakistan and to confirm the following understandings reached between our governments on this subject.

1. The Government of the United States will lend the said vessel to the Government of Pakistan for the period set out below.

2. The Government of Pakistan will retain possession of, and will use, the vessel subject to the terms and conditions of this note and of the Mutual Defense Assistance Agreement between our two governments signed at Karachi on May 19, 1954, and agreements amendatory or supplementary thereto.²

3. The period of the loan for the vessel shall be five years from the date of its delivery to the Government of Pakistan. Six months before the termination of this period, however, the two governments will, if the Government of Pakistan requests, consult as to the advisability and feasibility of extending the loan for an additional period to be agreed upon, but not to exceed five years. The government of the United States may, however, request the return of the vessel at an earlier date if such action is necessitated by its own defense requirements. In this event, the Government of Pakistan will promptly return the vessel to the Government of the United States.

4. The vessel, together with its available on-board spares and allowances, including consumable stores and fuel, will be delivered to the Government of Pakistan

¹ Came into force on 16 January 1963 by the exchange of the said notes.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 202, p. 301, and Vol. 280, p. 368.