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and
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avant le lever du soleil, de certaines stations de radio à bande
ordinaire de fréquences — AM (avec diagramme). Ottawa,
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EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT ¹
BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND
CANADA RELATING TO PRE-SUNRISE OPERATION OF
CERTAIN STANDARD (AM) RADIO BROADCASTING
STATIONS

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EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Ottawa, March 31, 1967

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Sir:

I have the honor to refer to discussions which have taken place between representatives of the Government of the United States of America and representatives of the Government of Canada relating to pre-sunrise operation of certain standard (AM) radio broadcasting stations. Those representatives have proposed a reciprocal understanding with respect to this matter in the following terms, which are acceptable to the Government of the United States of America.

Pursuant to Section A, Subsection 6, of Annex 2 of the North American Regional Broadcasting Agreement, the Governments of the United States of America and Canada agree to permit, bilaterally, certain AM broadcasting stations to operate for a limited period of time prior to local sunrise, at least during the winter months, using all or part of their authorized daytime facilities in accordance with the criteria as set forth below:

Program transmission by standard broadcast stations with authorized daytime facilities from 6:00 a.m. local standard time to local sunrise (pre-sunrise operation) will be permitted subject to the following provisions:

The privilege of pre-sunrise operation would not extend to:

¹ Came into force on 12 June 1967 by the exchange of the said notes.