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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
YUGOSLAVIA**

**Exchange of notes constituting an agreement relating to
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and 11 November 1980**

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**Échange de notes constituant un accord relatif aux opé-
rateurs radioamateurs de l'autre pays. Belgrade,
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EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND YUGO- SLAVIA RELATING TO ALIEN AMATEUR RADIO OPER- ATORS

I

No. 60

The Embassy of the United States of America presents its compliments to the Federal Secretariat for Foreign Affairs and has the honor to refer to the positive outcome of consultations with the Secretariat and competent Yugoslav authorities relating to the possibility of concluding an agreement between the two Governments on the reciprocal granting of authorizations to permit licensed amateur radio operators of either country to operate their stations in the other country, in accordance with the provisions of article 41 of the International Radio Regulations, Geneva, 1959,² and has the honor to propose the conclusion of such an agreement.

Pursuant to section 303(l)(2) and 310(a) of the Communications Act of 1934 as amended (47 U.S.C. 303(l)(2), 310(a)), the Government of the United States of America is prepared to conclude an agreement with respect to this matter as follows:

A. An individual who is licensed by his Government as an amateur radio operator and who operates an amateur radio station licensed by such Government shall be permitted by the other Government, on a reciprocal basis and subject to the conditions stated below, to operate such station in the territory of such other Government.

B. The individual who is licensed by his Government as an amateur radio operator shall, before being permitted to operate his station as provided for in paragraph A, obtain from the appropriate administrative agency of the other Government an authorization for that purpose.

C. The appropriate administrative agency of each Government may issue an authorization, as prescribed in paragraph B, under such conditions and terms as it may prescribe, including the right of cancellation at the convenience of the issuing Government at any time.

The Embassy proposes that this note and the reply note of the Secretariat indicating the concurrence of the Government of Yugoslavia be considered as constituting an agreement between the two Governments, such an agreement to be in force as of the date of the reply note from the Government of Yugoslavia and to be subject to termination by either Government giving six months' notice, in writing, of its intention to terminate.

¹ Came into force on 11 November 1980, the date of the note in reply, in accordance with the provisions of the said notes.

² International Telecommunications Union, *Radio Regulations*, Geneva, 1959.

The Embassy of the United States of America avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Federal Secretariat for Foreign Affairs of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia the assurances of its highest consideration.

Belgrade, October 31, 1980

Embassy of the United States of America

II

No. 456023

The Federal Secretariat for Foreign Affairs of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America and, with reference to the Embassy's Note No. 60 of 31 October 1980, has the honour to inform of the acceptance of the proposal of the Government of the United States for the conclusion of the Agreement between the two Governments on the Reciprocal Granting of Authorizations to Permit Licensed Amateur Radio Operators of either Country to Operate Their Stations in the Other Country.

In this connection, the Federal Secretariat for Foreign Affairs has the honour to inform that Regulations on the Manner of the Use and Conditions Under Which Radio Stations can be Imported into the Country and Used, and taken Abroad (The Official Gazette of the SFRY, No. 48/1978) are in force in the SFR of Yugoslavia, which stipulate that foreign nationals will be issued an authorization permitting them to operate their amateur radio stations, on the basis of reciprocity. Since the United States has confirmed the existence of terms of reciprocity by the above-mentioned Note, the SFR of Yugoslavia will consider that the terms of reciprocity in relation to the United States have been fulfilled as of the date of the receipt of this Note.

The Federal Secretariat for Foreign Affairs avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the United States of America the assurances of its high consideration.

Beograd, 11 November 1980

To the Embassy of the United States
of America
Beograd
