

BRITISH EMBASSY,
WASHINGTON, D.C.,
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My Lord,

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With reference to my despatch No. 1259 of the 11th November, 1939, I have the honour to transmit to Your Lordship herewith copies of a note with enclosures from the State Department proposing certain additions and amendments to their draft of a Treaty of Establishment, Commerce, Navigation and Consular Rights between the United States and India. In acknowledging this note, I have informed the Secretary of State that copies would be transmitted to the Government of India.

I have the honour to be,
with the highest respect,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient,
humble servant,
(For the Ambassador)

(SGD) N.M. BUTLER.

The Right Honourable

The Viscount Halifax, K.G., CB:AR:NT
etc., etc., etc.