



Treaty Series No. 45 (1949)

Exchanges of Notes deleting Newfoundland from the List of Territories covered by the Visa Abolition Agreements

between His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom
and the Danish, Icelandic, Italian, Luxembourg,
Norwegian, Swedish and Swiss Governments

London, 25th–30th April, 1949

*Presented by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to Parliament
by Command of His Majesty*

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EXCHANGES OF NOTES DELETING NEWFOUNDLAND FROM THE LIST OF TERRITORIES COVERED BY THE VISA ABOLITION AGREEMENTS BETWEEN HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE DANISH, ICELANDIC, ITALIAN, LUXEMBOURG, NORWEGIAN, SWEDISH AND SWISS GOVERNMENTS

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No. 1

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to the Danish Ambassador

Your Excellency,

Foreign Office, 25th April, 1949.

IN my note of the 26th October, 1948⁽¹⁾, I had the honour to inform you of the decision of His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom to extend to the territories in the Annex to the note the provisions of the agreement between our two countries for the reciprocal abolition of visas.

2. I have now the honour to state that, in consequence of her entry into the Canadian Confederation, Newfoundland has ceased to be a territory to which the above-mentioned agreement applies, and that the visa requirement for travel to the Island is, therefore, once more in force.

3. In bringing the above to your Excellency's knowledge I have the honour to request you to be so good as to delete Newfoundland from the Annex to my note of the 26th October last and to inform your Government of this deletion.

I have, &c.

(Sd.) ERNEST BEVIN.

[NOTE.—Identical notes were addressed to the Representatives of Iceland⁽²⁾, Italy⁽³⁾, Luxembourg⁽⁴⁾, Norway⁽⁵⁾, Sweden⁽⁶⁾ and Switzerland⁽⁷⁾.]

No. 2

The Danish Ambassador to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs

THE Danish Ambassador presents his compliments to His Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and has the honour to acknowledge the receipt of note No. T 4915/4/378 of the 25th inst., concerning the entry of Newfoundland into the Canadian Confederation, in consequence of which she has ceased to be a territory to which holders of valid Danish passports may travel without previously having obtained a visa.

Count Reventlow begs to add that the contents of the note have at once been transmitted to the Danish Government.

Danish Legation,

London,

30th April, 1949.

[NOTE.—Acknowledgments in similar terms have been received from the Icelandic, Italian, Luxembourg, Norwegian, Swedish and Swiss Representatives in London.]

(1) "Treaty Series No. 80 (1948)," Cmd. 7577.

(2) "Treaty Series No. 77 (1948)," Cmd. 7574.

(3) "Treaty Series No. 81 (1948)," Cmd. 7578.

(4) "Treaty Series No. 82 (1948)," Cmd. 7579.

(5) "Treaty Series No. 78 (1948)," Cmd. 7575.

(6) "Treaty Series No. 79 (1948)," Cmd. 7576.

(7) "Treaty Series No. 76 (1948)," Cmd. 7573.