

No. 07/018

The Embassy of the United States of America presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and has the honor to refer to recent discussions between representatives of our two governments regarding United States military and civilian personnel who may be temporarily present in Belize in connection with ship visits, training, exercises, humanitarian activities, and other activities as mutually agreed. As a result of these discussions, the Embassy proposes that the United States and Belize agree to extend the current agreement relating to the temporary presence of United States military and civilian personnel in Belize in conjunction with mutually agreed activities, which was effected by an exchange of notes dated September 4, 2001, and April 24, 2002, and which will expire by its terms on April 23, 2007, for six months with effect from April 24, 2007.

If the foregoing is acceptable to the Government of Belize, the Embassy proposes that this note, together with the Ministry's reply to that effect, shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments, which shall enter into force on the date of the Ministry's reply.

The Embassy of the United States of America avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Government of Belize the assurances of its highest consideration.

Embassy of the United States of America,
Belmopan, March 20, 2007.



The reply of the Government of Belize should read as follows:

(Complimentary opening) and refers to the Embassy's note (number 07/018, dated March 20, 2007) which reads as follows: (quote U.S. note in its entirety.) The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has the further honor to inform the Embassy of the United States of America that the proposal set forth in the Embassy's note (number 07/018, dated March 20, 2007) are acceptable to the Government of Belize and to confirm that the Embassy's note and this note shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments, which shall enter into force on the date of this note.

(Complimentary closing)

I, the undersigned Consular Officer of the United States of America, duly commissioned and qualified, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and faithful copy of the original copy this day exhibited to me, the same having been carefully examined by me and compared with the said original copy and found to agree therewith word for word and figure for figure.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the American Embassy General at Belmopan City, Belize this _____

10th day of April 20 07

Cynthia Gregg

CYNTHIA GREGG
CONSUL



MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS & FOREIGN TRADE

P.O. Box 174
Belmopan, BELIZE, C.A.
Tel: (501) 822-2322 or 822-2167
Fax: (501) 822-2854
E-mail: belizemfa@btl.net



Our Reference: FA/BR/17/07 (47)

NOTE NO. 207

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade of Belize presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America and has the honour to refer to the Embassy's note no. 07/18 of March 20, 2007 which reads as follows:

"The Embassy of the United States of America presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and has the honor to refer to recent discussions between representatives of our two governments regarding United States military and civilian personnel who may be temporarily present in Belize in connection with ship visits, training, exercises, humanitarian activities, and other activities as mutually agreed. As a result of those discussions, the Embassy proposes that the United States and Belize agree to extend the current agreement relating to the temporary presence of United States military and civilian personnel in Belize in conjunction with mutually agreed activities, which was effected by an exchange of notes dated September 4, 2001, and April 24, 2002, and which will expire by its terms on April 23, 2007, for six months with effect from April 24, 2007.

If the foregoing is acceptable to the Government of Belize, the Embassy proposes that this note, together with the Ministry's reply to that effect, shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments, which shall enter into force on the date of the Ministry's reply.

The Embassy of the United States of America avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Government of Belize the assurances of its highest consideration."

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade of Belize has the further honor to inform the Embassy of the United States of America that the proposal set forth in the Embassy's note no. 07/18 of March 20, 2007 is acceptable to the Government of Belize and to confirm that the Embassy's note and this note shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments, which shall enter into force on the date of this note.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade of Belize takes this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the United States of America the assurances of its highest consideration.

**Embassy of the United States of America
Belmopan**



Friday, March 30, 2007