

St. John River Reference Amendment
July 7, 1952

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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, July 7, 1952

Dear Madam:

In order to determine whether the waters of the Saint John River system could be more beneficially conserved and regulated, the Governments of Canada and the United States referred the matter to the International Joint Commission on September 28, 1950, for investigation and report.

The two Governments have now agreed that the Reference to the Commission on this matter should be expanded by amending the second paragraph to read as follows:

"It is desired that the Commission shall determine and recommend, in its judgment, what projects for the conservation and regulation of the waters of the Saint John River system above tidewater near Fredericton, New Brunswick, would be practical in the public interest."

Yours sincerely,

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