

Kenya Extradition Treaty-Exchange of Notes with the United States

May 14, 1965 and August 19, 1965, Date-Signed

August 19, 1965, Date-In-Force

Agreement effected by exchange of notes Dated at Nairobi May 14 and August 19, 1965; Entered into force August 19, 1965.

The Kenyan Ministry of External Affairs to the American Embassy

The Ministry of External Affairs of the Republic of Kenya presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America and has the honour to refer to the following Agreement of a legal nature which was entered into originally between the United Kingdom and the United States of America, signed at the place and date specified below, and subsequently extended to the territory of Kenya prior to her Independence on 12th December 1963.

The Ministry of External Affairs wishes to state that in the interest of continuity of treaty relations with the United States of America the Government of Kenya is willing to continue the application of the above Agreement to the territory of the Republic of Kenya beyond the two- year period stipulated in Kenya's Declaration to the United Nations Secretary-General on the devolution of pre-Independence treaty rights and obligations on Kenya (a copy enclosed), pending the negotiation of a new Agreement on this subject directly between the Government of Kenya and the United States.

An affirmative reply from the Government of the United States of America to the Kenya Government's proposals contained in this Note shall be regarded as constituting an Agreement between the two countries.

The Ministry of External Affairs of the Republic of Kenya avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the United States of America the assurances of its highest consideration.

The American Embassy to the Kenyan Ministry of External Affairs

The Embassy of the United States of America presents its compliments to the Ministry of External Affairs of the Republic of Kenya and has the honor to refer to the Ministry of External Affairs' note dated May 14, 1965, which proposes the continued application of the December 22, 1931 extradition treaty.

The Government of the United States confirms that the extradition treaty of December 22, 1931 shall continue in force between the United States and the Republic of Kenya, pending the negotiation of a new agreement on this subject directly between the Government of the United States and the Government of Kenya. Accordingly the note of May 14, 1965, from the Ministry of External Affairs of the Republic of Kenya and the present note shall constitute an

agreement between the two governments on the subject.

The Embassy of the United States of America avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of External Affairs of the Republic of Kenya the assurances of its highest consideration.

SIGNATORIES: NAIROBI.

14th May 1965.

THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Nairobi.

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Nairobi, August 19, 1965