

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

**BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT OF  
THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN  
AND NORTHERN IRELAND**

**CONCERNING COOPERATION IN TRANSPORTATION**

Having benefited from the activities conducted under the Memorandum of Understanding between our respective Departments, dated November 9, 1981, as subsequently renewed for two years from 1981, 1983 and 1985, respectively; and

Having decided in principle to continue it in effect indefinitely and to facilitate further cooperation and the interchange of staff;

The participating Departments have reached the following understanding:

- (i) The Memorandum will continue in effect without lapse and will remain in effect indefinitely subject to six months written notice of termination by either participating Department.

- (ii) The termination of the Memorandum will not affect the validity or duration of the specific activities already initiated under its terms, and not yet completed at the time of termination.
- (iii) Paragraph B of Section 1 of the Memorandum is amended to read as follows:

"encouraging informal collaboration and cooperation in research, including the exchange of research findings, joint studies, the common use of laboratory and other facilities and the interchange of staff between appropriate research organizations and between the offices and Administrations of the participating Departments".

Signed at Washington, D.C., in duplicate, this ninth day of March 1988.

For the Department of Transportation  
of the United States of America

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