The Royal Netherlands Embassy has the honour to refer to its Note of 27 November 2007 to the Department of State and the Department of State Note of 27 July 2007 relating to the Air Transport Agreement between the United States of America and the Kingdom of the Netherlands in respect of Aruba Relating to Air Transport Between Aruba and the United States of America, signed at Washington September 18, 1997 (the “Agreement”).

The Embassy confirms that the Kingdom of the Netherlands has now complied with its constitutional requirements concerning the removal from the Agreement of the provisions relating to regulation of computer reservation systems, the proposal to delete Annex III to the Agreement. Therefore by this Note the Agreement shall officially entry into force.

The Embassy would highly appreciate if the Department of State acknowledge receipt of this affirmative Note.

The Royal Netherlands Embassy avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Department of State the assurances of its highest consideration.

Washington, DC
28 April 2008
The Department of State acknowledges receipt of diplomatic note dated April 28, 2008, from the Royal Netherlands Embassy concerning the completion by the Kingdom of the Netherlands of its constitutional requirements for entry into force of the amendment concerning removal of provisions relating to regulation of computer reservation systems (Annex III) from the Air Transport Agreement between the United States of America and the Kingdom of the Netherlands in respect of Aruba Relating to Air Transport Between Aruba and the United States of America, signed at Washington September 18, 1997.

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