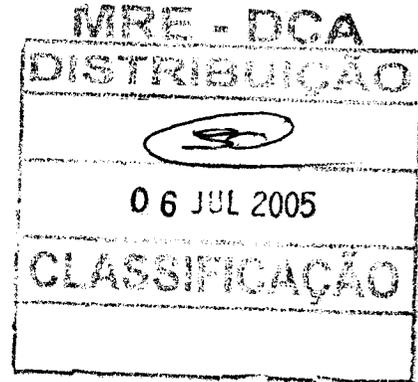


Brasília July 6, 2005.

No.: 213

Honorable Ambassador Celso Amorim
Minister of Foreign Affairs

Dear Mr. Minister:



I have the honor to refer to the Diplomatic Note no. 113 of June 25, 1999 which extended the terms of the Bilateral Agreement for Dependents of Diplomatic and Consular Personnel to July 8, 2005. Considering that paragraph 8 of the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Brazil allows for subsequent extensions for an equal period of time, by concurrence of both parties, I hereby request a renewal of the agreement for an additional six (6) years, from July 9, 2005 to July 8, 2011.

The terms of the original agreement will apply, as will any letters of implementation or clarification which have been or may be exchanged between the two Parties.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew the assurance of my highest consideration.

Frank J. Manganiello
Acting Deputy Chief of Mission

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DIPLOMATIC NOTE



Translation

No. C/001/DIMU BRAS EUA

Brasília, July 8, 2005

Mr. Ambassador:

Considering that paragraph 8 of the Agreement Relating to the Employment of Dependents of Official Government Employees, concluded on July 8, 1987, by the Governments of the Federative Republic of Brazil and the United States of America, stipulates that the original six-year period of validity may be extended for an equal period of time with the understanding or concurrence of the parties; and

Considering the positive results that this Agreement is producing for both countries and, with reference to Embassy note No. 213 of July 6, 2005, I hereby accept, on behalf of the Federative Republic of Brazil, the renewal of the Agreement for an additional six years, under the same terms.

In that regard, the validity of the above-mentioned Agreement shall be extended from July 9, 2005, to July 8, 2011.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest consideration.

[Signature]

Samuel Pinheiro Guimarães
Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs

His Excellency
John Danilovich,
Ambassador of the United States of America,
Brasília, D.F.