

**Exchange of notes constituting an agreement concerning negotiations on the line of  
maritime delimitation in the area lying between Jersey and France  
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Her Britannic Majesty's Embassy presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and has the honour to refer to the wish of the British Authorities to negotiate with the French Authorities the line of maritime delimitation in the area lying between Jersey and France, taking account of the proposal to extend the territorial waters around Jersey in conformity with international law. The French authorities were informed of this proposal during the meeting held on 6 January 1993 in London.

The British and French parties agree, following discussions between them during meetings held on 12 August 1993, 29 November 1993 and 12 January 1994, on the following:

1. The British and French parties will begin without delay discussions with the object of fixing a line of maritime delimitation in the area lying between Jersey and France.
2. Such a delimitation will not affect in any way the fishing regime of Granville Bay, as it results from all the various texts agreed on that subject at bilateral and multilateral level.
3. The present Note will not prejudice the positions expressed orally and in writing by each party on the questions raised during the meetings mentioned above.

Her Britannic Majesty's Embassy avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs the assurance of its highest consideration.

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