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HIS EXCELLENCY JAROSLAV TAUER TODAY PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL HIS LETTERS OF CREDENCE AS ENVOY EXTRAORDINARY AND MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA TO CANADA. THE CEREMONY TOOK PLACE AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE AT 11:30 A.M. THE CHIEF OF PROTOCOL, MR. H.F. FEAVER PRESENTED THE MINISTER TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL. MR. HENRY F. DAVIS, ACTING ASSISTANT UNDER-SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AND MR. ESMOND BUTLER, SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL WERE IN ATTENDANCE ON THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL ON THIS OCCASION. THE MINISTER WAS ACCOMPANIED BY:

MR. PAVEL PAVLIK - FIRST SECRETARY

COLONEL VOJTECH DUCHEK - MILITARY AND AIR ATTACHE

MR. MILOSLAV CECH, - SECOND SECRETARY

MAJOR BOHUMIL SUCHY - ASSISTANT MILITARY AND AIR ATTACHE

MR. LADISLAV SOSKA - THIRD SECRETARY

MR. EUGEN REISIG - THIRD SECRETARY

MR. JAROSLAV NOVAK - THIRD SECRETARY

DR. TAUER WAS BORN AT BECHYNE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA ON MAY 20, 1915. HE IS A GRADUATE OF CHARLES UNIVERSITY IN PRAGUE. HE JOINED THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE IN 1951 AND SERVED IN ITALY AS COMMERCIAL ATTACHE FROM 1952 TO 1955. HE ATTENDED VARIOUS ECONOMIC CONFERENCES AS HEAD OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATION. IN 1959 DR. TAUER JOINED THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS IN THE CAPACITY OF ENVOY EXTRAORDINARY AND MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY.

DR. TAUER IS MARRIED AND HAS TWO CHILDREN.