

- the enhancement of the CSCE process, including the Conflict Prevention Centre, and mechanisms for conflict prevention and crisis management.<sup>7</sup>

Speaking to a conference held by the Defence Associations of Canada, Brigadier General B.A. Goetze, Director General for International Policy Operations with the Department of National Defence, spoke of the effect of the dissolution of the Soviet Union and other recent changes in the international environment on Canadian arms control policy. Brigadier General Goetze mentioned Canada's concern that the new republics may not be totally committed to the CFE structures and suggested that these structures, initially intended to reduce the military threat, could now play a useful role in encouraging regional stability.<sup>8</sup>

#### PARLIAMENTARY COMMENT

There has been no parliamentary comment on this issue during the 1991-1992 session.

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