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Export and Investment Promotion Planning System

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Projects or portion of projects which are still in the planning stage and for which Canadian companies might have reasonable prospects.

ii) Project Name: ERASILSAT III AND IV Approximate Value: \$ 150 Financing Source: 023 EDC For further info. please contact: EMBASSY TLX: 061-1296

iii) Project Name: ILS/MLS - DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM Approximate Value: \$ 20 Financing Source: 011 CIDA For further info. please contact: 023 EDC EMBASSY TLX: 061-1296

iv) Project Name: TELEPHONE NETWORK EXPANSION (RURAL TELEPHONY)

Approximate Value: \$ 10

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Financing Source: 024 BC For further info. please contact: EMBASSY TLX: 061-1296

The Trade Office reports that the following factors influence Canadian export performance in this market for this sector (sub-sector).

- there are import restrictions which can present significant problems
- the degree of import duty protection of local industry tends to be moderate

In the Trade Office's opinion, Canadian export performance in this sector (sub-sector) in this market is lower than optimum mainly because of:

- non-tariff protectionist measures which are difficult to overcome
- other factor(s) described by the Trade Office as follows: IN MANY CASES SUCCESS WITH OPPORTUNITIES BEING EXPLORED BY CON COMPANIES, WILL DEPEND UPON GOVERNMENT DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES.

Some Canadian exporters to this market in this sector(sub-sector) have enjoyed success previously as a result of a variety of factors which the trade office reports to include:

- aggressive marketing on the part of Canadian Exporters
- participation in trade missions
- use of Canadian Government export promotion activities
- the presence of CIDA programs which have opened the market to Canadian companies
- competitive export pricing for this market
- strong sectoral capability in Canada
- the availability of competitive Canadian financing