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## INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SUPPORT INVENTORY

- As DMT mentioned in his December letter, a review of international business support programs is being led by this department. This International Business Support Inventory, once completed, will offer a greater appreciation of both overall efforts and resources currently dedicated to international business.
- An analysis of the input received will provide a basis to identify and eliminate areas of overlap and duplication with the aim of ensuring a more judicious dispersement and usage of increasingly tight resources.
- In addition to DFAIT, 16 other government departments and crown agencies are participating in the inventory exercise. A summary and analysis of the information will be forthcoming once all data has been submitted.
- A summary of DFAIT input for the inventory exercise is now available. Should you wish to obtain a copy please contact the Trade Commissioner Service Strategic Planning Division TFX.

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