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Canadian Delegation to the Stockholm Conference on Copyright

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Paul Martin, P.C., announced today the appointment of the Canadian Delegation to attend a Conference which will be meeting in Stockholm from June 12-July 14 to consider revisions to the Berne Convention on Copyright and related matters. The Delegation will be headed by the Canadian Ambassador to Sweden, Mr. A.J. Andrew, and will consist of the following delegates: Mr. Jean Miquelon, Q.C., Deputy Registrar General of Canada; Mr. Jean Richard, M.P.; Mr. Roy M. Davidson, Department of the Registrar General. Advisers to the Delegation are: Mr. Jacques R. Alleyn, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation; Mr. Jean-Charles Bonenfant, Librarian of the Provincial Legislature, Province of Quebec; Mr. A.A. Keyes, National Film Board; Mr. Roy C. Sharp, Q.C., Canadian Copyright Institute; Mr. Guy Fournier, Canadian Labour Congress. Professor Bruce C. McDonald of the Faculty of Law at Queen's University has been named Secretary to the Delegation.

In addition to considering matters that have affected copyright protection since the Convention was last revised in 1948, the Conference is expected to examine the desirability of establishing an International Intellectual Properties Organization whose function will be to keep member states abreast of all developments affecting the protection that can be afforded intellectual property.