mobilizing available private capital for high-risk ventures.

These problems should, of course, be studied in conjunction with DRIE, which has prime responsibility for industrial development.

- 19. This new role involves a major reorientation of trade service activities, whereby they will be more closely integrated than has been the case with scientific and technical services, which are too often seen as far removed from the concerns of heads of posts, as of those responsible for trade services at headquarters.
- 20. In the field of science and technology, particularly transfers of technology, this role consists in aligning trade activity with that of private and public bodies responsible for domestic policies in:
  - a) innovation and production:
    - MOSST policy development and strategies;
    - NRC and DRIE networks linking federal activities with those of the provinces and of private industry;
    - incentive and sectoral policies of other science-based departments and of private agencies;

## b) trade:

- DRIE innovation and investment strategies;
- a policy of promotion (not discouragement or delay) at FIRA;
- a Patents innovation promotion policy;
- tax, competition and security policies;
- encouragement to Canadian consortia
  - to joint ventures
  - to the formation of Canadian trade corporations.

## c) funding/resources:

- PEMD and CSF strategies;