

- 21. If such a need exists, how in your view could it best be met (e.g., the establishment of one or more centres within or outside the federal government; the coordination of current or of extended activities of existing agencies)?
  
- 22. Do you have easy access to specific futures studies in areas related to yours and made by
  - a) other government departments and agencies;
  - b) non-governmental organizations in Canada;
  - c) organizations outside of Canada.
  
- 23. If this access is not satisfactory, how would you propose to improve it (e.g., the creation of a Canadian information centre and relaying station with which you would be linked; assignment of this responsibility for gathering and diffusing information to an existing agency)?
  
- 24. Are your senior managers involved in periodic discussions of medium-term and long-term threats and opportunities within the scope of your mission with colleagues working in related areas in other governmental and non-governmental organizations?
  
- 25. If such systematic discussions take place, would you describe how they are organized and indicate whether they have led to a better mutual understanding of these threats and opportunities.
  
- 26. If such discussions do not take place, do you think that there is a need for them and if so, how should they be organized?

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