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The Department of External Affairs announced today that Dr. J. J. McCann, Minister of National Revenue, will head the Canadian delegation to the Third World Health Assembly, which opens in Geneva on Monday, May 8.

The Assembly will discuss the programme of the World Health Organization for 1951 and will also study the operation of WHO's regional organizations, membership applications from Indonesia and Viet Nam, and the Annual Budget of WHO.

Dr. H. A. Ansley, Director of Health Services of the Department of National Health and Welfare, and Dr. Leonard Miller, Deputy Minister of Health for Newfoundland, will also be members of the delegation. Mr. E. A. Cote of the Office of the Canadian High Commissioner in London and Mr. N. F. H. Berlis of the Canadian Permanent Delegation to the European Office of the United Nations in Geneva, will be advisers to the delegation.