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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 89

FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

POST :534-CANBERRA

SECTOR :004-DEFENCE PROGRAMS, PRODUCTS, SERV

AUSTRALIA

PLANNING:

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

SUB-SECTOR: ALL SUB-SECTORS

REACHING AGREEMENT W/AUSTL ON CLOSER COOP BETWEEN CON & AUST GREATER CDN INDUSTRY ACCESS TO AUSTLN DEFENCE MARKET

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

DETERMINE EQUIP SALES OPP FOR CDN SUPPLIERS OF MARINE DEF EQ SALES FOR CON COMPANIES

OBTAIN LATEST AUSTLN ASSESSMENT OF CRV-7 ROCKETS CONTRACT FOR BRISTOL AEROSPACE

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

- QUARTER: 1 Support of Saint John Shipbuilding & several systems suppliers to participate in ANZAC Ship Program. - Monitoring of Dept of Transport and Communications Nat'l Aeronautical Info Processin g System North-East Brisbane Project.
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QUARTER: 4 -----

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAINED IN COLORIDA

Meetings held with both competing consortia. Good level of interest for several Canadian companies including SJSL established. Contract awarded to MDA.

Australian Defence has purchased 15 LAVs through FMS. Team visiting Canada and USA with a view to buying additional vehicles.

Design competition won by Germany:Blohm & Voss MEKO design. Successful AIDEX exh., reported separately, indicates excellent def.opp., although we can expect bias on frigate to suppliers already participating in MEKO series.

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