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His Excellency Zygfryd Wolniak today presented his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Poland to Canada.

The ceremony took place at the Supreme Court at 10:00 a.m. The Chief of Protocol, Mr. Henry F. Davis, presented the Ambassador to the Administrator, the Honourable Patrick Kerwin, P.C., Chief Justice of Canada. Mr. Marcel Cadieux, Deputy Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, and Colonel A. G. Cherrier, Assistant Secretary to the Governor-General, were in attendance on the Administrator on this occasion.

Mr. Wolniak served in Ottawa at the Polish Mission from 1950-52. His last appointment, relinquished to assume his present duties, was that of Director of the Department of Afro-Asian Affairs in the Foreign Office in Warsaw. Mr. Wolniak is married and has two children.