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## EXTERNAL AFFAIRS APPOINTMENTS

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Don Jamieson, announces the following appointments:

André Couvrette, 44, originally from Montreal, to be Chief of Protocol. Mr. Couvrette (BA, Collège Jean de Brébeuf, Montreal, LL.L. University of Montreal) joined External Affairs in 1957 and has served abroad in Rome, Lagos, Paris and in Dakar where he was Ambassador and concurrently accredited to Mali, Mauritania, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, and High Commissioner to The Gambia. Since October 1977 he has been Ambassador to Lebanon.

He replaces James R. Barker, who has been appointed Ambassador to Greece.

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Brigadier General (ret.) Michael Francis Doyle, 54, originally from Montreal, to be Deputy Chief of Protocol. Brigadier General (ret.) Doyle (McGill University, Montreal) was Director General, Organization and Manpower, National Defence Headquarters, Ottawa, before his retirement in December 1976.

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