REPORT 4B 87/10/28 QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 87 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

TRACKING:

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

POST : 533-SYDNEY

AUSTRALIA

QUARTER: 1

001-AGRI & FOOD PRODUCTS & SERVICE

PLANNED PARTICIPATION AT THE ROYAL EASTER SHOW (10-21 APRIL) TO CREATE GREATER AWARENESS OF CANADIAN LIVESTOCK AND GENETIC MATERIALS.

009-FOREST PRODUCTS, EQUIP, SERVICES

PLANNED PARTICIPATION AT THE APPITA (TECHNICAL ASSOCIATION OF THE AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND PULP AND PAPER INDUSTRY) APRIL 27 - MAY 1, CONFERENCE.

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016-INDUSTRIAL MACHIN, PLANTS, SERV.

QUEBEC HORIZONTAL MISSION TO AUSTRALIA TO
PROMOTE CROSS-SECTION OF INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT.

013-CONSUMER PRODUCTS
PEMD SALES MISSION FROM THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
PLANNED TO PRIMARILY PROMOTE CONSUMER GOODS.

O10-MINE, METAL, MINERAL PROD & SRV
PUBLICATION OF REGULAR COMMERCIAL NEWS LETTER
EVERY THREE MONTHS WITH EACH ISSUE HAVING A
SPECIFIC SECTOR AS ITS MAIN FEATURE ARTICLE.

AS A RESULT OF INFORMATION BOOTH AT THE ROYAL EASTER SHOW, RECEIVED 93 ENQUIRIES WHICH WERE ACTIONED. IN ADDITION, COUNTLESS ENQUIRIES HANDLED AT STAND PROMOTING CANADIAN LIVESTOCK AND GENETIC MATERIALS.

THE THREE CANADIAN COMPANIES PARTICIPATING AT THIS CONFERENCE WERE ABLE TO GET A GOOD INSIGHT INTO THE AUSTRALIAN PULP AND PAPER INDUSTRY AND ARE HOPEFUL OF APPOINTING AGENTS/DISTRIBUTORS IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

AS A DIRECT RESULT OF MISSION A NUMBER OF COMPANIES WERE ABLE TO MAKE DIRECT SALES AS WELL AS APPOINT AGENTS/DISTRIBUTORS.

AS A RESULT OF MISSION; TWO COMPANIES HAVE MADE SIGNIFICANT SALES TO THE AUSTRALIAN MARKET AND THREE OTHERS ARE HOPEFUL OF APPOINTING AGENTS IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

THE JUNE ISSUE OF THE COMMERCIAL NEWS FEATURED AS ITS MAIN ARTICLE "MINING MERITS FROM CANADA" GENERATING GREAT INTEREST IN CANADA AS A SOURCE OF MINING EQUIPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY.