

Media Advisory

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Media representatives are advised that International Trade Minister Pierre Pettigrew will travel to Victoria and Vancouver from November 22 to 24 to participate in a series of meetings and activities.

In Victoria, the Minister will participate in the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade's annual Diplomatic Forum, where he will discuss various issues and provide an update on the recent developments at the WTO Conference in Doha, Qatar. He will then meet with British Columbia Minister of Forests Mike de Jong. In Vancouver, Mr. Pettigrew will meet with representatives from the B.C. Softwood Lumber Trade Council and will be the guest speaker at the Vancouver Board of Trade. Minister Pettigrew also intends to visit a lumber mill in the Vancouver area, along with Environment Minister David Anderson.

Media opportunities:

Event: Vancouver Board of Trade Conference lunch

Date: Friday, November 23, 2001

Time: 12:45 p.m. - Speech (open to media)
2:00 p.m. - Media availability

Location: Hyatt Regency Hotel
Regency Ballroom
655 Burrard Street
Vancouver, B.C.

Event: Visit to Squamish Lumber Division of Interfor (photo opportunity)

Date: Friday, November 23, 2001

Time: 4:30 p.m.

Location: Outside main entrance of office building
1500 Highway 99
Squamish, B.C.

All times are local.

For more information, please contact:



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