

*To His Excellency Major-General the Right Honourable the Earl of Athlone,  
K.G., P.C., G.C.B., G.M.M.G., G.C.V.O., D.S.O., A.D.C., Governor General  
and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.*

YOUR EXCELLENCY:

I have the honour to lay before Your Excellency the annual report of the  
Department of External Affairs for the year ended December 31, 1943.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your Excellency's Obedient Servant,

W. L. MACKENZIE KING,  
*Secretary of State for External Affairs.*

OTTAWA, January 2, 1944.