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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

POST : 520-TOKYO

010-MINE, METAL, MINERAL PROD & SRV JAPAN

PLANNING: ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

MINERALS AND MINERAL PRODUCTS

CONTINUED REPORTING ON INDUSTRY RESTRUCTURING IDENTIFICATION OF POTENTIAL EFFECTS ON CANADIAN INTERESTS.

MINERALS REPORTS: TRADE AND PRODUCTION INFORMATION ON COMMODITY BASIS; PER MONTH.

COAL AND STEEL REPORTS: MONTHLY TRADE AND PRODUCTION FIGURES, ANALYSES.

REPORT ON PRC ACTIVITY IN JAPANESE MARKET PLUS JAPANESE INVEST-MENT/DEVELOPMENT IN PRC.

METALS, PRIMARY & FABRICATED

CONTINUED WORK ON CERAMICS AND OTHER ADVANCED INDUSTRIAL MATERIAL TO FOLLOW-UP CONTACTS, PROMOTE COOPERATION, TRADE.

CONTINUED REPORTING ON JAPANESE POSITIONS ON MULTILATERAL ISSUES PARTICULARLY INTERNATIONAL COMMODITY GROUPS.

COMMODITY SPECIFIC REPORTS ON DOMESTIC DEVELOPMENTS(PRODUCTION, RESTRUCTURING, INVESTMENT PLANS) AFFECTING KEY METALS: LEAD, ZINC, NICKEL COPPER, MOLYBDENUM.

REPORT ON RARE EARTHS AND METALS DEVELOPMENT INCLUDING OVERSEAS INVESTMENT, COOPERATION PLANS.

TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

QUARTER: 1 PURSUE FORMAL TIES BETWEEN CUICAC & JFCA IN ADVANCED CERAMICS & PROMOTE CDN PARTICIPATION IN NAGOYA CERAMICS FAIR MAY 88.

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ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

REGULAR AND TIMELY PROVISION OF INFORMATION TO OTTAWA, PROVINCES, INDUSTRY.

ELEVEN REPORTS PER YEAR; IDENTIFICATION OF MARKET SHIFTS, EXPORT OPPORTUNITIES.

ELEVEN REPORTS PER YEAR. CONTINUAL ANALYSES OF PRODUCTION TRENDS, COAL CONSUMPTION.

CLEARER UNDERSTANDING OF PRC ROLE AND POTEN-TIAL AS COMPETITOR IN JAPANESE MARKET; 2 REPORTS.

INCREASED NUMBER OF LICENSING, JOINT VENTURE CONTRACTS.

REGULAR REPORTING TO OTTAWA TO UPDATE JAPANESE THINKING.

IDENTIFICATION OF MARKET TRENDS WITH INTL. AND CANADIAN EXPORT EFFECTS.

CLEARER UNDERSTANDING OF DIRECTION OF JAPANESE INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES.

QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:

COMPLETED. - GOV'T WILL HAVE INFO BOOTHS.

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